



## Year 5 Curriculum Overview

### Spring 2

#### History— - How did WW2 impact the rest of the world?

After a very busy term looking at the impact WW2 had on Warrington, year 5 will now start to explore the affects of WW2 across the world. We will be looking at key people during the time of WW2, such as Hitler, Anne Frank and Winston Churchill, and looking to see how the war affected different countries in different ways, depending on if they were allies or axis. We will be spending time to write a biography of Anne Frank and also looking at the impact propaganda had on the pub-

#### Basic Knowledge and Key Facts:

- **World War 2** was a battle between two groups of countries - the "**Allies**" and the "**Axis**". The Allied Powers were Britain, France, Russia, China and the United States. The Axis Powers were Germany, Italy and Japan.
- Before World War 2 began, Germany was ruled by a man named **Adolf Hitler**.
- The group most heavily targeted by the Nazis were the **Jews**.
- The US didn't join the war until 1941, when Japan attacked the United States.
- Around 64 million people died in World War 2.

#### Key Vocabulary:

- Evacuation
- Rationing
- Prejudice
- Invade
- Jewish
- Anderson shelter
- Morison shelter
- Air raid shelter
- Propaganda
- Enigma code
- Blitz
- Telegram
- Black out
- Holocaust
- Allotment
- Concentration camp
- Jewish



#### Science - Do all living things begin life as an egg?

In Science, we will be building on our knowledge of the lifecycles of mammals, by learning about the lifecycle of a human. In particular, we will learn how humans grow and develop during their life and what the characteristics are for each stage of development. Finally, we will teach PSHE through science by discussing the children's health and wellbeing, and how to look after themselves during this stage of their lives.



#### Basic Knowledge and Key Facts:

- There are 8 different stages of development: embryo, foetus, newborn/baby, child, adolescent, young adult, middle-aged adult and older adult.
- Your body will start to change between the ages of 12 and 14. If you're a girl, your breasts become larger and your hips become wider. If you're a boy, your voice grows deeper and your shoulders become wider. These changes are part of becoming an adult.
- Taking care of your body helps it to grow. Exercise, clean water and plenty of sleep can help your body grow strong.

#### Visitors and upcoming dates:

The nurse will be visiting Y5 at the end of Summer to discuss with the children separately the changes experienced by boys and girls during puberty and their development. A meeting will be held in April for parents prior to this and more information for this will follow soon.

#### Key Vocabulary:

- Growth
- Development
- Gestation period
- Puberty
- Adult
- Adolescence
- Child
- Toddler
- Baby
- Mass
- Length
- Womb
- Recap of animal groups, eg. Mammal.