# **Year Six**

# Autumn Term - 'Lest We Forget'

As readers, these are some of the texts our children will use to support their learning:

# **Short Story**

The Golden Hand – Kevin Crossley

## Poetry (performance)

'In Flanders' Fields' by John McCrae

#### Non-Fiction

Newspaper articles

Non-chronological reports

#### Fiction

<mark>'Goodnight Mr Tom'</mark> by Mic<mark>helle</mark> Magorian



Our children will use the texts and the links to the curriculum to develop their skills as writers of:

**Biographies** 

Letters

Diaries

Non-chronological reports

**Biographies** 

**Explanations** 

Instructions

### **Marshland Moments**

44. Create and Art
Exhibition
45. Work as a Dojo Shop
Assistant

# **Key Events**

PGL

Residential Visit

**Eden Camp** 

**Educational Visit** 

As Y6 mathematicians, our children will learn and remember the basic skills:

#### COUNTING

I can understand numbers with different decimal places
I can find the gap between a negative number and a positive
number

#### **LEARN ITS**

**Revision and Consolidation** 

#### IT'S NOTHING NEW

Revision and Consolidation

As mathematicians, our children will study:

Weeks 1 - Number

Place value

Weeks 2 - 6 - Number

Addition, subtraction, multiplication, division

Weeks 7 - 8 - Number

Fractions A

Weeks 9 - 10 -Number

Fractions B

Week 11 - Measurement

Converting units

Week 12 - 13

Shape and Geometry

As scientists, our children will work scientifically:  - planning different enquiries  - taking measurements and using a range of scientific equipment  - recording data and results and presenting these using a range of methods  - using test results to make predictions and carry out further tests  - reporting and presenting their findings  - identifying scientific evidence that has been used to support or refute ideas	The children will also study the following two units:	
	Light - recognising that light travels in straight lines - explaining that objects are seen because they give out or reflect light - explaining how we see things - explaining why shadows are the same shape as the objects that cast them	<ul> <li>Electricity</li> <li>investigating how the number and voltage of cells affects a circuit</li> <li>comparing and giving reasons for variations in how components function</li> <li>using recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram</li> </ul>
As designers and users of technology, our children will develop their cooking skills and their knowledge of nutrition through:  Cooking and Nutrition  Existing Products: recipe books and prepared food from this period in history  What meal can you prepare and cook using your rations?  Link: History - WWII	As artists, our children will investigate:  Drawing and Sketching  Artist: Henry Moore  Architect: Daniel Libeskind  Outcome: Perspective drawings linked to WWII Shelters  Link: History (WWII)	
As geographers, our children will study: Finding out about Europe Poland Link: History - WW2	As historians, our children will study:  What was the impact of World War II on our country?  A study of an aspect or theme of British history beyond 1066	
As linguists, our children will learn and use French vocabulary linked to:  - On Holiday  - Eating Out	As musicians, our children will study the units: World War II – Genre: 1940s Happy – Genre: Pop	
In physical education, our children will: - play competitive netball and basketball games with a focus on Invasion - link their movement to the history unit studied with a focus on gymnastics.	In Personal, Social and Health Education, our children will: Being Me in my World - planning the forthcoming year, being a citizen and recognising the impact behaviour has on a group Celebrating Difference - explaining how differences can be a source of conflict	
Investigating world religions through the Doncaster Agreed Syllabus for Religious Education, our children will investigate:  - What do religions say to us when life gets hard?  - Is it better to express your religion in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity?	As computers and users of technology, our children will:  - begin to use spreadsheets with simple formula  - understand how binary is used in computing  - use quizzing effectively	

