

# Welcome to Year 6 😊



Respect, Responsibility, Resilience



# Our School values

Respect

Responsibility

Resilience

# The Year 6 team 😊

Mr Campbell  
(Class teacher)



Mrs Wright  
(Teaching Assistant)



Mrs Speight  
(PPA teacher)



Mrs Davison  
(Teaching Assistant)



# Topics for the Autumn term

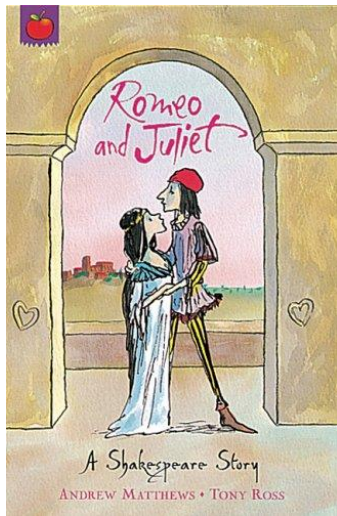
Subject	Topic
RE- Come and See	Loving / Vocation and Commitment / Expectations
English	Romeo and Juliet – Shakespeare Letters from the Lighthouse – Emma Carroll
Maths	Place value Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division
Science	<b>Everything Changes</b>
PE	Competitive Invasion (Invasion – Basketball & Football) Being an Athlete (Athletics) Net Games for Points (Net Games) 'Travelling' in WWII (Gymnastics) History – WWII (Dance)
History	World War II
Geography	United Kingdom

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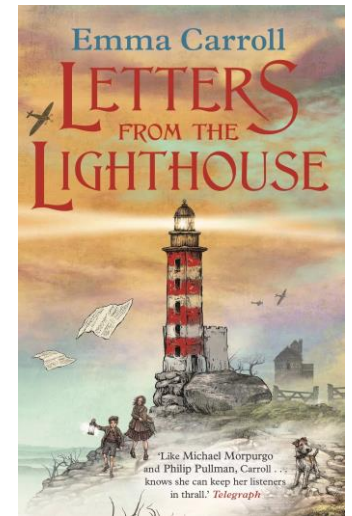
Subject	Topic
Art and Design	World War II Propaganda Posters Postcards From The Front
Design and Technology	Electrical Systems: Light-Up Decorations
Music	Happy Classroom Jazz 2
Computing	Online Safety Dilemmas My Online Life
French	Everyday Life Where I Live, Where You Live
Aspire to Inspire	Judith Kerr

# Class books – Autumn Term

The books which we will be looking at in more detail are:



Romeo and Juliet  
(based on  
Shakespeare)



Letters from the Lighthouse  
(Emma Carroll)



# Homework

All homework will be set using Seesaw. If children have no access to internet at home parents will need to inform school so alternative arrangements can be made. Passwords will be sent home again, if they are needed.

Children will receive their homework on a Monday which is to be completed for Friday.

Homework for this half term will consist of TT Rockstars, Spelling and Maths practice on Edshed and a SPAG Online activity.

There will be a big emphasis on the children knowing their multiplication tables and corresponding division facts. So please encourage your child to go on TT Rocks and any times tables apps.

Spellings are either personalised for each child, taken from spelling patterns being covered in class or common exception word lists.

# Safeguarding team

Mrs Rooney

Safeguarding Lead



Miss Sharratt



Mrs Featherstone



Miss Kenworthy

Deputy Safeguarding Lead



# Online Safety Information

- Once a month, we will be sending out an Online Safety Newsletter for our Parents and Carers. This will help us to highlight any changes to be aware of regarding online safety, age restrictions and apps to be aware of.
- We are always here to help if you have any queries about Social Media or children using the internet safely.
- Children have regular lessons in school regarding Online Safety.

# Reading books

Reading diaries will be checked each Monday by staff.

For children in Year 6, books can be changed as and when by the children as they finish their books.

Children will complete an online comprehension quiz once they have completed their book.

Children also have the additional option of reading an online book via MyOn, which can also link to their Accelerated Reading account.

The children will also be using a website called Reading Plus in class, which will improve the speed at which they read as well as their comprehension skills and their personal vocabulary.

If your child finishes their reading book at home, they can access their Accelerated Reading account and complete the quiz at home. If they cannot complete the quiz at home, then time will be allocated in school for this. It is better to complete the quiz as soon as possible while details are fresh in their mind.

# Feel Good Friday

- On Friday, we held our first 'Feel Good Friday' for the school year. These will be held on the last Friday of each month.
- The children are allowed to wear their own clothes for the day in exchange of £1 to be paid via Parent Pay.
- As part of our annual fundraising for MacMillan, we held a cake sale on Friday 24th. Any donations of cakes will be greatly appreciated. We will be selling the rest of the cakes at 50p each all week this week, with all money going to MacMillan.

# Robinwood Residential

- **Date:** 16<sup>th</sup> February 2021 – 18<sup>th</sup> February 2021 (Subject to Government guidelines and parental consent)
- The children will have a brilliant opportunity to attend Robinwood during their second term. This is a worthwhile trip where the children will take part in challenging, rewarding and team-building activities.
- This year we have chosen to take the children to the new Robinwood site in Wrexham for a number of reasons:
  - More accommodating with dates which suit us better.
  - Robinwood supply the children with outdoor-wet clothes.
  - Children have the chance to build a link with group leader as they stay the same the whole trip.
- A letter outlining this trip will be sent out shortly.
- **Cost: £260**



## What is Y6 all about?



- Hard work
- Determination
- Self-motivation
- Personal goals
  - Great fun
  - Resilience
- And most importantly, memories that will last forever! 😊

The best thing about,  
*Memories*  
... is making them