

Dear Parents and Carers,

Our topic this term is **London in Danger** and we will link all our learning to World War 2 and the Blitz. We have organized some fun trips for the children, which will provide them with more hands on experience and enhance their learning. It would be great if you could support your child by listening to them read every day and test them on their number bonds and times tables.

Literacy 	Story with a flashback (Piano), Suspense Story, War Poetry
Speaking and listening 	Presenting, Discussions, Poetry Performing
Numeracy 	Measurements, Shape, Fractions/Decimals/Percentages, Geometry
Science 	Properties of Materials, Microorganisms and Evolution
Computing 	Using Technology Safely
Topic London in Danger 	World War 2, the Blitz, Henry Moore's Art
Art	Sketching war art by Henry Moore
PE and Sport 	Swimming and Dance
Religious Education 	Is it better to express your religion in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity?
Music 	Strings (violin and cello), Curriculum Music
PSHE 	Celebrating Difference

Please join us for your child's assembly on:
No class assemblies this half term.

Trips this term:

- London Docklands Museum 14.11.18
- Christmas Pantomime 7.12.18



Reminder

PE days Y6 will be doing PE on Mondays. PE kits must be worn. It is essential that your child brings in a change of clothes and trainers. On Tuesdays both classes will be going swimming. Girls must bring a swimsuit and boys must bring swimming trunks. All children need a swimming cap and a towel. We will be walking both to and from the swimming baths so please ensure your child is wearing appropriate footwear and coat.

Jewellery Children must not wear any jewellery on the days when P.E takes place. On other days the only jewellery permitted is a single stud in each ear for girls.



Homework

Homework will be given out each week on a Friday and due back the following Wednesday. Children are expected to read every day and practice their spellings and times tables. Children will be provided with a different times table to learn each week and will only receive the next times table when teachers are secure with children's understanding of that multiplication. Spelling tests will take place every Thursday and times table tests, every Friday. Please support your children with their learning. This can be done by asking them questions about what they have been learning at school, listening to your child read and asking them questions about the story. Taking every opportunity to practice their number bonds and times tables, for example when walking home, will support their numeracy work.



Glasses:

If your child wears glasses please ensure they bring them to school everyday.

