

**Autumn Term 2020 Upper KS2
Juniors**

World War 2

Our main topic this term will be World War 2 and as many subjects as possible will be incorporated into this topic.

Literacy

We will continue to use the 'Talk for Writing' approach and strategies to develop our writing skills. This term we will cover a variety of genres to include Fantasy stories – based around the book 'Lost Happy Endings', newspaper reports, diaries and persuasive writing.

Daily grammar and punctuation lesson which will cover the use of conjunctions, commas for clarity, using adverbials to link ideas across paragraphs, prepositions and relative clauses.

Guided reading takes place every day. Spellings follow the RWI scheme.

Maths

We will continue to embed the Maths Mastery approach across the school. We will focus on place value and written methods for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

Y5 will study statistics, perimeter and area.

Y6 will cover fractions and geometry (position and direction).

Daily sessions of 15 minutes working through the pupils Scofield and Sims book or 123Maths online.

Science

We will be looking at Forces – gravity, resistance and friction and relate this to WW2 weaponry.

Later in the year we will be looking at light.

Computing

We will learn to code and about e-safety.

PHSE

We will be using Commando Joe's this year to build children's character through weekly missions using the acronym R.E.S.P.E.C.T

Resilience, Empathy, Self-Awareness, Passion, Excellence, Communication, Teamwork.

PE

Outdoor PE lessons will take place weekly and will incorporate our World War 2 topic.

The focus this year is on fitness.

RE

The children will explore the question "Is God real?"

Art/ Design and Technology

We will be creating some WW2 art including; airplane drawings, mosaics and propaganda posters.