

# Stow Heath Primary School—Year 6 Autumn Term Newsletter

#### Reading Writing Numeracy Reminders: This term our reading focus will be: This term our writing focus will be: This term our numeracy focus will be: PE is on a Monday. Recount story: Friend or Foe Place Value Swimming is on a Tues-Friend or Foe Letter writing Addition and Subtraction day. Star of Fear, Star of Hope Friend or Foe—alternative ending Fractions Listen to your child read Measurement—converting units The Piano visual literacy Non-chronological report about Holoaloud for 15 minutes a caust and the Ghettos The Christmas Truce visual literacy night. Biography Spelling tests will be The Christmas Truce— Write a balevery Friday morning. anced argument Remember gates close at 8.45am. Children won't be dismissed until 3.15pm. How to help your child with their reading at How to help your child with their writ-How to help your child with their maths Key dates: home: ing at home: at home: Encourage reading for pleasure at Practice handwriting at home. Recall all timestable facts at speed. Year 6 Residential to home throughout the week. Robinwood— Ensure that your child practises Question your child about the text their spellings throughout the Help children with maths at home – follow this link that they are reading.

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week.

Help children with writing at home – follow this link

Wednesday 7th February—Friday 9th February.

SATs week beginning Monday 13th May 2024

#### Science 1

Pupils will learn about Light and develop knowledge about

shadows, refraction and re



#### RE

Pupils will focus on what makes
Wolverhampton a respectful community.







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## Music

Pupils will learn about pop, Motown, Jazz, Latin and Blues. Children will sing, play, improvise and compose

their own music



Pupils will focus on football, swimming, dance and dodgeball.



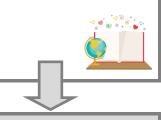


# Our Topic this term is:

# **Blackout!**

# Geography

Pupils will develop knowledge of the world's hemispheres and the significance of the prime meridian.



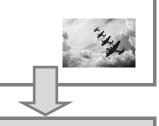
# DT

Pupils will design and make a traditional war time meal.



# History

Pupils will develop historical knowledge and skills related to the topic of World War Two.



# Art

Pupils develop their perspective drawing skills by studying war artist Henry Moore.



#### Science 2

Pupils will learn about Electricity and develop knowledge about how different circuits work.



# **PSHE**

Pupils will focus on the themes Being In My World and Celebrating Difference.

# ICT

Pupils will learn about coding, online safety, blogging and spreadsheets.



# MFL (KS2)

Pupils will begin to learn to about school and regular verbs



# Literacy

Write a diary entry from the perspective of a mom after her children have been evacuated.

Or...

Design a poster detailing the dangers of living in a city during WWII

### RE

Research religious institutions in and around Wolverhampton, which religion is more predominant than others?

#### Music

Explore different Motown songs and choose two pieces of music —one that you like, one that you don't and explain your reasons.

# PE

Choose a physical activity and set yourself a challenge.

E.g. Do 10 burpees, 3 times a week.

Jog to and from school at least once.

# Homework Activities for Autumn

Choose at least one activity to do each week.

Bring it in to school so we can celebrate your learning whilst at home.

Help children with maths at home – follow this link

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# Geography

Choose a country in the Southern Hemisphere, find where it is on a World Map. What interesting facts can you find out e.g. climate/ well known buildings/ food/ culture etc.

# DT

Research vegetables grown in the garden during WWII and create a 3 course menu detailing what the meals include.

Then make your meal!

We would love to see a photo of what you made!

# History

Make a 3d Anderson/Morrison shelter showing where families hid during an aid raid.

# Art

Draw the skyline of London during the Blitz using only pencil and your knowledge of shading.

# Science

Research different types of circuit and predict which ones operate electrical items in the home.

Design a poster showing the difference between man-made and natural light

#### Maths

Practise your a times table that you are not secure in.

Practise column addition and subtraction using the formal method and extend to decimals.

#### **PSHE**

Create a 'New Year resolution' for your year in year 6 and explain reasons for choice.

#### **ICT**

Log in to Purple Mash and complete your weekly spelling tasks and coding tasks.

# MFL (KS2)

Record your subjects and state which day of the week they are on this year in Spanish

Can you name any classroom resources in Spanish?