



## Welcome back for the second Autumn term!

We hope you had a fantastic break. Everyone has returned with a positive attitude and raring to get back to their learning.. The Year 6 team are all looking forward to an exciting half term of learning.

### English

In English, we will be reading 'Once' by Morris Gleitzman and basing our pieces of writing on this story. We will be writing an information text using our knowledge of World War 2 and a diary entry from the perspective of Felix and Mother Minka.

Support your child by reading with them at least three times a week, ensuring they complete their reading homework and practise their spellings.

### Maths

Throughout this half term, the children will start by improving their understanding of fractions, factors, common multiples and coordinates. After that, the children will learn and apply their understanding of fractions and translations to a range of problems.

Support your child by practising their times tables with them if they don't already know them already.

### Topic

Our topic this half term is A Child's War. We will be using our historical knowledge and understanding to learn about World War 2 and how this affected the everyday life of a child.

We will also learn all about the Blitz, importance of propaganda and air raid shelters.

### Dates for the diary

Thursday: 6AO PE day

Friday: 6JH PE day

Parents Evening: 3rd

December

Epic Partners: every other

Tuesday afternoon

### Homework

Please continue to support your child in completing their homework. This includes their learning log (due in at the end of the term), daily reading, spelling and times tables practise.

### Reading

Daily reading is essential. Please ensure that your child reads at least three times a week so your child can earn their reading band!