

### English:

To start this next half term we are taking part in the Radio 2 500 word competition where children are going to get creative and plan and write a story of their choice.

We will continue to read 'Goodnight Mister Tom' written by Michelle Magorian to explore a range of writing genres.

English lessons will also incorporate a GPS focus where children will learn new spelling and grammar rules.

English will have a close connection to our YPC topic 'World at War'.

### YPC:

We will continue our 'World at War' topic.

We have designed our Anderson shelters and we are in the process of making them with varying materials and equipment. We will also be completing several pieces of art work around the Blitz and in the style of Clarice Cliff.

Also coming up is our exciting trip to RAF Cosford where children will learn more about evacuation and the aircraft flown during WW2.

### Important dates / visitors and visits:

**6.03.19— Birmingham City Mission Assembly**

**12.03.19—6P and 6S trip to RAF Cosford**

**13.03.19—6NP and 6H to RAF Cosford**

**14.03.19—Y6 GPS/Writing Parent workshop**

**15.03.19—Red Nose Day**

**19/20/21.03.19—Parent Consultations**

**12.04.19— Non-School uniform (£1) and Attendance**

### Maths:

During this term all Maths lessons will be tailored to meet the needs of the pupils through constant assessment for learning.

Some of the objectives we will cover this half term:

Statistics and calculating the mean      Fractions, Decimals and Percentages

3D shapes and nets      Reasoning and Problem Solving

Ratio and Proportion      Revision of topics

### Physical Education:

In PE we are learning how to play tri-golf. This is a new sport we are looking forward to playing.

In Games, we will be learning the rules and skills of tennis. We are hoping to have a small tournament between classes in the year group.

### Computing:

We will continue creating our 2 player games using Kodu. Kodu is used to teach creativity, problem solving & storytelling, as well as programming. Children will have the opportunity to learn how to compose safe and appropriate emails and send them to pupils within Year 6. This is part of our ongoing learning about digital safety.

### RE / PSHE / Collective Worship:

Collective worship will take place at the end of the school day and will involve a weekly theme. Each theme will be displayed on the Year 6 notice board.

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### Science:

In Science we are learning about 'Light and how we see things'.

We will be investigating how light travels, the make up of a human eye, reflective properties of materials and how to set up investigations. There will be an opportunity to be creative when planning and carrying out investigations.

### Important Information:

**PE and Games slots:**

**6NP— Tuesday and Friday**

**6H— Monday and Thursday**

**6P— Thursday and Friday**

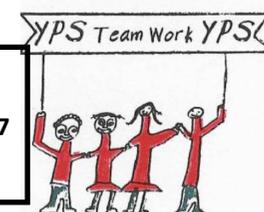
**6S— Monday and Wednesday**

**Please make sure children bring the correct PE kit in on their PE days.**

### Revision packs:

**The children will be given a revision pack each Friday to help prepare for end of year tests; this should be handed in on the following Wednesday. If you does not have a copy, please ask their teacher for a new one. We have spares!**

**Continue to encourage children to read, spell and practise times tables & log this in planners.**



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