

## English

### **Text:**

- White Bird by R.J Palacio

### **Fiction -**

- To entertain - Poetry
- To entertain – Story: Moral and dilemma

### **Non-Fiction**

- To inform - Letter
- To inform - Explanation

### **Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (SPaG)**

- Imperative and modal verbs
- Adverbials to convey sense of certainty
- Brackets, dashes, colons, semi-colons
- Rhetorical/exclamatory sentences

### **Reading**

- Identify the purpose and audience of a text
- Identify main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph

## **Termly Overview**

### **Year 5**

### **Terms 3 & 4 2024**

## Topic

### **History – World War II**

- Comparing WWI, WWII and life today
- ### **Geography – Physical / Human Geography**
- The geography of South America

## Science

### **Physics - Light**

- Recognise that light appears to travel in straight lines
- Understand how we see.

### **Physics - Electricity**

- Compare the function of components in a circuit

## RE & RSHE via The Big Think

### **Religious Education**

- Forgiveness
- Commitment

### **Relationship & Health Education via The Big Think**

- Love and Related Values
- Responsibility and Related Values

## Computing

- Creating and Publishing – Word Processing
- Using Data – Concept Maps

## Physical Education

### **Gymnastics**

Movement

### **Dance**

World War 2 & Dance Festival

### **Games**

Net and Wall Games: Basketball

## Mathematics

### **Number: Multiplication and division**

- Efficient Multiplication
- Multiplication: 4-digit by 2-digit
- Division: 4-digit by 1-digit
- Division with remainders
- Multiplication and division problems

### **Number: Fractions**

- Identify equivalent fractions
- Compare and order fractions
- Add and subtract fractions with mixed numbers

## Music, Art & DT, MFL

### **Music**

- How does music improve our world?
- How does music teach us community?

### **Art – Formal Element – Painting & mixed media**

- Stimulus – Portraits
- Media – Collage, photography, printing
- Skill – Developing a portrait using colour, pattern and tone,

### **Design and Technology**

- Electric systems – Doodlers

### **Mandarin**

- Countries and Nationalities
- International Cuisine

## How you can support your child at home

- Listen to your child read for at least 20 minutes every day – no distractions!  
**Discuss text and check for understanding**
- Learn and practise spellings, number operations and problem solving questions
- Promote Growth Mindset and use positive language
- Embed homework routines and encourage good habits in line with our Habit of the Month
- Talk to the Class Teacher about anything that is unclear to you