

## English

### Grammar

Phrases and clauses, Standard English, Past / present tense, Verbs in the perfect form, Pronouns, Relative pronouns and relative clauses, Subordinating conjunctions and subordinate clauses, Co-ordinating conjunctions, Modal verbs, Present and past progressive, Active and passive voice, Synonyms / antonyms,

### Punctuation

Colons, Semi-colon, Inverted commas, Apostrophes to show possession /contractions, Brackets, dashes or commas to indicate parenthesis, Commas in a list / to clarify meaning, Hyphens, Question marks / exclamation marks.

**LOOK OUT for revision guides sent home to practice.**

### Reading

In class we will be reading non-fiction, stories and poems linked to World War2. **Please help practice the following comprehension skills when reading at home, using the question prompts on the back of this page:**

Retrieve information

- ✓ Locate key words
- ✓ Read the sentence then back and forward to find evidence
- ✓ Check you have found the right evidence to answer the question.
- ✓ Use evidence to answer question
- ✓ Include detail for questions with more marks.

Infer information

- ✓ Know how a character is feeling, what they are thinking or why they do something based on evidence.
- ✓ Say what I think based on evidence. e.g. I think .... because the author says ....

Discuss the meaning of words

## P.E. & Forest School

6D - Swimming: Wednesday

Forest school: Friday

6M - P.E: Thursday

Forest school: Tuesday

6J - P.E: Tuesday

Forest school: Thursday

# Year Six Spring Term

## Dates

04.02.16- 3.30-4.30 Y6 Harry Potter Book night

09.02.16 4.00-6.00 Parents Evening

11.02.16 5.00-7.00 Parents Evening

12.02.16 Break up for Half Term

17.03.16 Y6 Trip to Alexandra Theatre "Good Night Mr. Tom"

23.03.16 6M visit Back to Back houses

24.03.16 6D visit Back to Back houses

25.03.15 6J visit Back to Back houses

25.03.15 Break up for Easter

## Topic

### A Child's War

Children will be using reading and writing skills to explore aspects of World War 2:

- ✓ How war started
- ✓ Evacuation
- ✓ Rationing
- ✓ The Blitz
- ✓ The Holocaust
- ✓ End of War

## Maths

### Multiplication and Division

- Perform mental calculations including with mixed operations and large numbers
- Multiply 4 digit numbers by 2 digit numbers using long multiplication. e.g.  $3654 \times 47$
- Multiply numbers with decimals using long multiplication
- Divide up to 4 digit numbers by 2 digit numbers using long division. e.g.  $3654 \div 47$
- Identify common factors, common multiples and prime numbers
- Solve word problems and puzzles using all 4 operations
- Check calculations by estimating

### Fractions

- Simplify fractions, change fractions to the same denominator, compare fractions
- Add and subtract fractions with different denominations and mixed numbers
- Multiply proper fractions, simplifying answers
- Divide fractions by whole numbers

### Ratio and Proportion

- Solve problems involving the size of quantities
- Solve problems using calculating percentages e.g. 15% of 360ml.

**Please encourage your child to use the website "I am learning" to practice concepts taught in class.**

<https://iamlearning.co.uk/>

The school code is LYBS26

**Also, please support your child to develop instant recall of all  $\times$  tables.**