

Kingsweston Centre @ Brightstowe

Key Stage 3

Term 2 – 2017 *Why Do Wars Happen? (history focus)*

PE (movement, personal fitness)

- Gymnastics – how can I move?
- Fitness – monitoring and improving performance
- Team games – attacking, defending, being a good team player.

English

- War poetry including performance poetry
- Novel study such as Goodnight Mr Tom
- Individual reading and comprehension
- Spelling
- Speaking and Listening - debating, role play. Famous war time speeches
- Grammar and Punctuation

Creative (art, music, DT)

- Using a viewfinder
- Creating a background using a wash
- Using line, tone, shape and colour to represent figure and forms in movement.
- Creating moods, copying the style of different artists/composers.
- Responding to and expressing preferences to art and music.
- Listening to the music of the times.
- War artists and art, for example Guernica by Picasso, Paul Nash

History

- Using correct vocabulary to describe things that happened in the past.
- Understanding and using timelines
- Improving our research skills
- What can we learn from the past?
- Comparing our lives to the lives of children in the past. (WW2)
- How has our locality changed? What happened in Bristol in WW2?
- Key figures and events in WW2.

ICT

- Using the internet for research
- Collecting and presenting information.
- Recording and playing back sound.

Work at home

Remember your child can practice English skills using IXL English and Spellzone at home, and maths using IXL Maths and Study zone. We also encourage supporting pupils to watch/ listen to the news and discuss current affairs, and to practice using skills involving money and time in relevant situations around home and in the community. Please ask if you need more information.

Science

- Recapping healthy eating – what was rationing?

Geography

- World issues, how are countries affected by war?
- Local affects of war (Bristol before and after).

Maths (number)

- Place value
- Ordering numbers
- Number bonds to 10, 20, 100
- Counting in increments (2, 5, 10)
- Written addition and subtraction methods.
- Mental addition and subtraction methods.

PSHE and Citizenship ()

- Relationships
- Anti bullying week
- Conflict Resolution
- Which areas of the world are currently at war, why?
- Helping those affected by war

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Heroes and Leaders, religion and war Remembrance