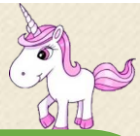

What are Oak Class learning in Term 1?

English

Class Book – Goodnight Mr Tom by Michelle Magorian
Diary entry from the point of view of Willie.
View point narrative from different character perspectives in Goodnight Mr Tom
Create Centre
Writing from the viewpoint of a warchild in Britain and Japan at the end of the war.
Newspaper report on the end of WWII/
Child's Guide to World War II

Geography

Identifying the main participants of Axis and Allied forces and where in the world they are located.

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Understand how war shapes the world and how the events of WWII affected the life decades after.

Maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.

Maths

Place value – Decimals and up to 1,000,000 (ordering, money, partitioning)
Calculation – written method all four operations (see calculation policy)

R.E./P.S.H.E

What is important to Christians and Humanists?

Jigsaw – Looking at the year ahead by planning goals, understanding obstacles and how we can overcome them.

Art

Silhouette/shadow art which allows us to experiment with techniques that use contrasting textures, colours or patterns. (rough/smooth, light/dark, plain/patterned). This will be used to explore the different landscapes the Second World War covered.

Why was WWII a 'World War?'

History

Build an understanding of important events in the lead up to war declaration that sheds light on why humans declare war.

Why was it so important for European Empires to protect their overseas interests during WWII?

An in-depth look into the effects of war on civilians both during WWII and in modern times.

Music

Charanga – Fresh Prince of Bel Air

P.E.

Gymnastics (Indoor)
Team sports (Outdoor)
Weekly Swimming beginning 24th November

Science

Working scientifically
Pattern Seeking -Which material would be most suitable for a soldier's uniform?
Comparative and fair testing - How do nails rust over time?

Computing

Use of Media

E-safety

Internet research during lesson time to find out key facts about Christians and Humanists.

Visitors/Trips –

Bikeability.

Curriculum related trips TBA.

First Aid Training

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World War Memorabilia:

If any children have any Military equipment from any era, do bring it in as we would all love to see it.

Golden Thread: Community / Mental Health / Life Skills / Global Issues / Technology.