



Term 5 in Golden Eagles Class

This term's focus topic is: World War II

Maths

This term we will be looking at:

- Decimals
- Position
- Direction
- Area
- Times tables; focusing on revision of all times tables, including the inverse (division).

English

This half term we will be focusing on informal letters based on an evacuee experience, recount of events, diary entries, propaganda posters, as well as comprehension of texts around the topic of World War II.

Within Grammar we will be focusing on:

- Expanded noun phrases
- Progressive tense
- Perfect tense
- Time, place and cause conjunctions
- Adverbs
- Prepositions

Science

Our science focus this term is Animals including Humans.

We will be looking at healthy living, skeletons and bones, and moving muscles.

Topic - World War II

Art and Design - Silhouettes.

History - Sequencing events, the outbreak of war, the Blitz and the Holocaust.

Design and Technology - War time recipes and designing our own suitcase.

Music - Vera Lynn.

Computing - Animation.

PSHE/ RSE - Family Tree and It's my body.

R.E.

'The big questions'. Exploring big questions in the context of different religions such as 'Is there an afterlife?', 'How did the universe begin?' and 'Are rules and routines important?'

Physical Education

This term we are going to focus on the skills and teamwork needed for rounders.

Please check our school website, weekly newsletter and twitter for up to date information and any potential changes.

Golden Eagles class page will be updated regularly with news on your child's learning.



Dates for your Diary



Friday 30th April—Captain Tom 100 Day
Monday 3rd May—Bank Holiday
Friday 14th May—Pyjamarama Day
Monday 24th May— Group photos with Wrates Photography.
Tuesday 25th May—Game on Day
Wednesday 26th May—Cricket workshop
Friday 28th May—Summer 1 Term ends
Monday 7th June—Summer 2 term begins



Golden Eagles Notes



Homework

Weekly spellings sent home on a Friday. **Test will be carried out on a Thursday.**

Weekly number bonds/ times tables sent home on a Friday. **Tests will be carried out on a Tuesday**

Weekly homework of maths/grammar will be sent home Friday and is due back into school the following Wednesday.

We would encourage all children to read **daily** at home - reading books can be changed on a daily basis if required but we understand that some books may take longer to read.

PE Kit

Your child is required to have their PE kit at school each day, our PE day is Thursday.

Spring/Summer

As it is beginning to get warmer, your child may need to bring in a hat and/or suncream for the hottest weather. Please make sure any suncream is clearly labelled with your child's name and class. This should be kept in their school bags. Hats can also be kept in their school bags, and it would be helpful if their name was inside the hat too.

Childrens' belongings

Just a reminder that your child is increasingly encouraged to take responsibility for their belongings to encourage further independence. To support us in this can you please ensure that all items of clothing and belongings are labelled with your child's names.

During PE sessions your child is also encouraged to tidy their own belongings into their PE bags. Please ensure that all items of their PE kit is clearly labelled with their name.