

## Reading

Reading will continue to take place daily in Terms 3 and 4. Please continue to read at home daily and add this to BoomReader. Reading stamina and comprehension will remain key features of our reading sessions as well as identifying and understanding vocabulary and the choices authors make.

## Writing

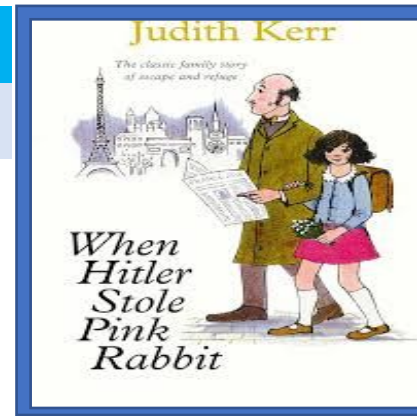
During the next two terms we will be writing for a range of purposes. These will include: descriptive writing, letter writing, diary entry and instructions. Spelling, grammar and handwriting will also remain a main focus within all of our writing sessions. Please utilise the Emile App at home to consolidate spelling knowledge.

## Mathematics

Our main focus will be algebra, decimals, percentages and geometry. The children will be encouraged to use TT Rockstars at home for additional times table practise. Homework will be set weekly on Method Maths. Please utilise this to consolidate maths understanding.

## Science

We will be studying:  
 \* Light and how we see things.  
 \* Electricity.  
 As in all science work, we aim to encourage the children to question, formulate ideas and test them in practical work throughout the topic.



## History

In history, the children will begin by understanding the causes and outbreak of World War II. The children will then look at the Battle of Britain and the Blitz- a strategy used by the German air force to try and force Britain to surrender. Finally, the children will look in more depth at the role that intelligence and code-breaking played in winning the war.

## Geography

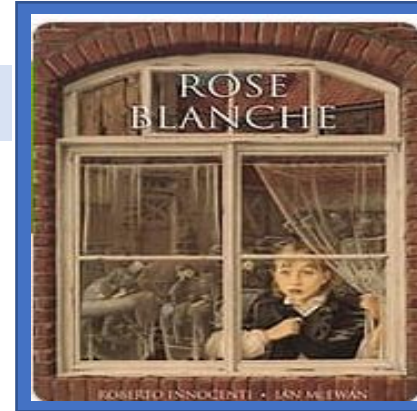
In geography the children will learn that there are many countries in Europe, including the UK, France, Germany and Spain. They will learn that Russia is a large country located both in Europe and in Asia. The children will also learn about physical and human features such as climate, food and farming.

## Art & DT

In art, the children will be developing their drawing skills in their sketch -books, looking closely at Henry Moore style war scenes. In D.T the children will be experimenting with upcycling existing garments. They will be selecting materials, cutting shapes, creating patterns, pinning, threading and using embroidery. Stitches and buttons will feature..

## PE

In P.E, the children will be learning all about the skills needed in netball, basketball and tennis with the Brighton and Hove PE coaches. The children will also be taking part in gym and dance activities. DON'T forget that the children need to come to school in full PE kits on Thursday and Friday.



## MFL

The children will become experts at presenting themselves both orally and in written form in French. This learning will then be extended so children are able to create a presentation about their own family.

## PSHE and Computing

We will explore personal strengths, set goals, and learn about physical and emotional well-being. Computing will focus on critical online self-reflection, including the impact of online presence, bullying and screen time. Digital footprint and copyright will also feature.

## RE

In R.E. the children will be learning all about Christianity. The children will explore the Christian understanding of eternity and the Christian belief that God's love for humankind is eternal in that God will never stop loving humanity.

## Music

In music we will be learning to sing, play, improvise and compose music as well as learning to sing a variety of songs. We will participate in singing assembly weekly.

### Creative project Ideas:

1. Host a family games night using games that were available during WWII
2. Design your own spitfire
3. Write a story based on life during World War II.
4. Make a 3D model of an Anderson Shelter.
5. Learn some key facts about Hitler.

# 6 YEAR

KEY TEXTS  
 WE READ:  
 When Hitler  
 Stole Pink  
 Rabbit  
 Rose Blanche