



Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to our Virtual School for the Summer term.

It has been fantastic to have so many of you working hard with us to keep your children happy, focused and continuing with their learning in such extraordinary circumstances. We really appreciate your amazing support.

We will continue to provide a wide-ranging daily curriculum to work through at home which engages, excites and enthuses our fabulous pupils. Please remember we are here for you so please do not hesitate to get in touch if there's anything we can do to help.

In the meantime, stay safe and well.

Miss Chant, Mrs Dalby and Mrs Halcrow

OUR DRIVING QUESTION:

How important were the lessons learnt from the 20th Century Conflicts?

AS WRITERS we will continue to develop our informal letter, diary entry and descriptive skills with work inspired by 'The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas' and our World War II learning. We will practise spelling, grammar and punctuation skills too.

AS MATHEMATICIANS we will be consolidating our learning by revisiting mathematical concepts and exploring different methods we can use to find answers to a variety of problems.

AS HISTORIANS we will be exploring WWII and the impact this had on those affected by war. We will be looking at the lives of evacuees and the lasting legacy of the Holocaust.

AS COMPUTER SCIENTISTS we will be embracing the virtual classroom and developing our computational thinking.

AS ATHLETES we will be starting to incorporate some track and field events into our virtual P.E lessons. From throwing to sprinting to jumping all mixed in with fitness and yoga.

AS SCIENTISTS we will be learning about electricity. We will find out who the Scientists were that discovered certain aspects of electricity and how it works. We will also be able to build circuits and find out what affects their use.

AS CITIZENS we will be focusing on our emotional intelligence and mental health including strategies for coping with the current lockdown situation.

AS MUSICIANS we will be listening to, and learning from, a range of music that we will use to inform our performing skills.

THINGS TO REMEMBER:

- Keep smiling;
- Find time to do relaxing activities you enjoy;
- Keep in touch with your friends;
- Share happy memories with those around you;
- Do your daily exercise;
- We will be back together soon.

AS ARTISTS we will be investigating the work of the Pre-Raphaelites and what their radical thinking did for the art movement.

IN FRENCH we will be revising our knowledge and conversational skills in relation to numbers, colours, weather and where we live.