

KEEP CALM AND CARRY ON



Over the next two terms our theme will be World War II.

Our focus of Powerful Knowledge will be based upon the reoccurring themes of *Invasion*, *Conquest /conflict*, *Equality and Status and hierarchy* and the impact that WWII had on Britain and the world as a whole

What was the impact of WWII?

Pupils to know how WWII started?

Due to Hitler breaking the Munich agreement and invading Poland. The Allies declared war on Germany.

Know why children were evacuated?

Due to high bombings in cities children and other special groups were evacuated for their own safety.

Pupils to know what the role of women was during WW11?

During the war due to men being away fighting women were employed to carry out the jobs normally done by men. Weapon making, engineering farming to name a few. After war due to men returning and women losing their job they campaigned for equal rights.



Pupils to know why there was rationing and what that looked like for the ordinary person in the street?

Due to living on an island, Great Britain's living supplies were disrupted/targeted. The government introduced rationing to make sure everyone had a fair share of limited supplies. Dig for victory/ make do and mend slogans.

NINJA SKILLS

CURRICULUM COVERAGE

English and Destination Reader

In English and DR we will be reading *The Lion And The Unicorn* by Shirley Hughes. This book is a child's view of WW2 in London and the experience of evacuation. We will then be moving onto *Utterly Unbelievable World War II* by Adam Frost. This book is a non-fiction text and the children will be gathering information.

Maths

Over the coming term we will be covering the following: number and place value, equivalent fractions, ordering fractions, adding and subtracting fractions.

Science

In science this term we will be looking at planning our own scientific experiments involving forces. The children will be planning, carrying out, evaluating and using results to then plan a second experiment.

History

We will be learning about why the war started, children being evacuated, food and rationing and air raid shelters. We will be looking at maps and learning about the impact of the Second World War across the globe.

Art

The children will be investigating the effects and impact created by WW2 propaganda Posters.

PE

We will be continuing with our new PE scheme focussing on the social cog.

Music

Music will be linked to the music from the 1930s and 1940s. We will be looking at the important part music played in helping people through the war.

As Ambitious Ninjas we will set our selves ambitious targets and work to achieve these.

As Courageous Ninjas we will try something new; something that takes us outside our comfort zone.

As Determined Ninjas we won't give up until we achieve our goals.

As Dynamic Ninjas we will have a positive attitude and be full of energy and new ideas.

As Inspirational Ninjas we will help our friends; approach work differently and take inspiration from others

As Resilient Ninjas we will learn from our mistakes and bounce back from these.

PPA TIME

Forest School - Nelson
6 Love Coaching - Churchill
Swimming - Nightingale

As with previous terms these sessions will during Monday afternoons.
If your child is involved in Forest school this term please ensure that they bring their Forest school clothing to change into after lunch.

Please could all named PE kits be brought in within the first week.

Home Learning

For home learning, we will be encouraging children to read every day, practice their spellings and complete their apps. We would also like you to create a homework project linked to an aspect of WW2.

What you create is entirely up to you, here are a few examples:

- Poster
- Powerpoint
- Cooking
- Model Making
- Piece of Art

Please bring them in and we will create a display within the classrooms.

