

Year 5 Autumn 2 and Spring 1 Newsletter

This term in Y5 our curriculum theme will be 'World War 2'.

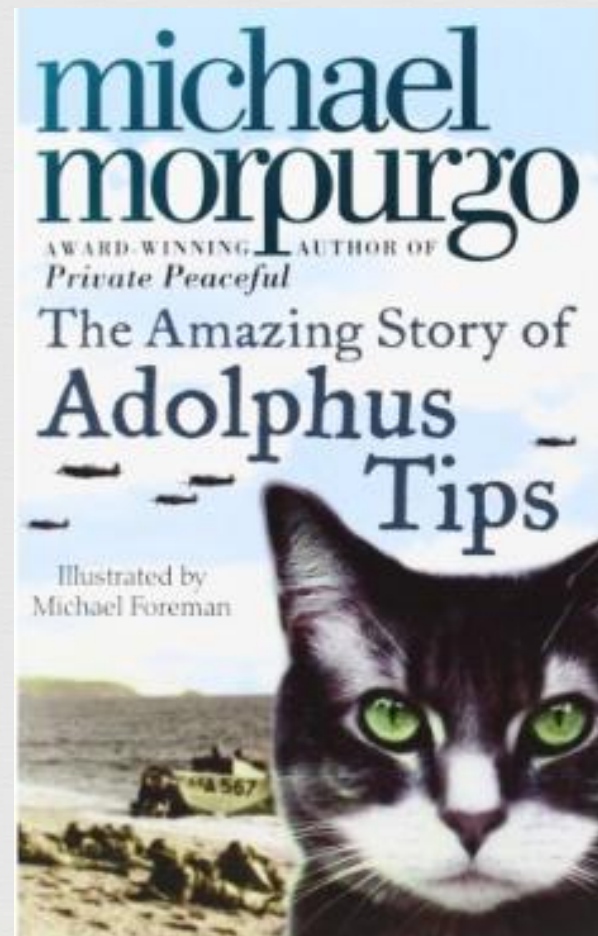


In our curriculum theme we will be learning about the lives of children during World War 2. We will focus on what it was like to be an evacuee, as well as what life was like during the blitz. Finally, the children will understand the chronology of events during WW2 and will compare sources of evidence to find out people's different view points. We will also be comparing the war during different time periods (Egyptians, Tudors and Vikings)

LITERACY:



- ❧ In Literacy we will be studying a number of books including *The Amazing Story of Adolphus Tips* and *The Diary of Anne Frank*.
- ❧ We will be learning about the different characters in the stories and imagining how they would have felt.
- ❧ We will be writing:
 - ❧ Narratives
 - ❧ Character descriptions
 - ❧ Setting descriptions
 - ❧ Diary entries



Maths & Science



In Maths we will be learning about:

- ❧ 2D and 3D shapes
- ❧ Angles, measuring and missing angles
- ❧ Statistics

Please help your child to learn and practise their times tables as often as possible.

In Science we will be learning about:

- ❧ Materials and their properties.

Key information



- Our PE days are Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please make sure your child has their correct PE kit in school on these days.
- There will be regular spelling assessments with lists being sent home every Monday. On Friday, they will be tested on these words. If you want any help with strategies to support your child, please ask.
- To help us with our study of the WW2, we will be visiting 'Eden Camp' in North Yorkshire (more details to follow).
- Whole school art exhibition is on 4th December.
- You can keep up to date with all that is happening in Y5 on twitter.
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