

Ashley Primary School ~ Autumn 2018 Year 6 Curriculum

Subject	Autumn 1 st half term	Autumn 2 nd half term
Literacy	1. Author and Texts Michael Morpurgo 'Friend or Foe' 2. Fiction Genres 3. Book week- Rose Blanche 4. Recounts/Journalistic Writing	1. R.J. Palacio 'Wonder' 2. Persuasion/Discussion 3. Poetry ~ Power of Imagery
Numeracy	Following New Curriculum: 1. Numbers and the Number System 2. Calculating 3. Visualising and Constructing	Following New Curriculum: 1. Calculating (division) 2. Investigating Properties of Shapes 3. Exploring Fractions, Decimals and Percentages 4. Algebra using Formulae
Science	Electricity (KH)/Light, Shadows + the Eye (JC)	Light, Shadows + the Eye (KH)/ Electricity (JC)
I.C.T.	E-Safety & Multi-media	
R.E.	Why do people have ceremonies + use rituals in their lives?	What do the Gospels tell us about the birth of Jesus?
P.E.	Games (Thursday)	Games (Thursday)
Topic	World War II	South Shields after 1948
Geography	Location Skills: World map	
Art/D.T.	World War II art and artefacts & Christmas art and Artefacts.	

Some subject topics relate more easily to others and can be taught in a cross-curricular manner. Most of the teaching and learning this term will occur through the World War II topic. Any extra research (for any of the units of work) that your child wishes to undertake or that you yourself are interested in is greatly received in school.

Reading - We ask that your child still reads regularly - **at least 10 minutes each day**.

Spelling - Initial learning of spellings will take place in school, but practise will need to continue at home also. Your child will be bringing home a yellow spelling book (every Monday with new spellings and any errors from their tests), to learn their words. Please ensure this is looked after.

English - Children will receive English homework every Thursday for Monday.

The children are given homework that is usually based on the learning of the week and believed by the teacher to be able to be completed independently.

Games will be every Thursday afternoon. Children are now asked to come into school in their games kit on a Thursday to lessen the chances of forgetting or losing items. They must have appropriate kit for the weather as Winter draws in, including a warm sweatshirt/hoody and waterproof coat.

We hope this gives you sufficient insight into your child's learning for Autumn 2018. Any queries or worries don't hesitate to contact Miss Humphrey and Mrs Coult.