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Year 6 Topic: We'll Meet Again (WW2) Autumn 2026

English: In English, we will be stuffing the narrative <i>Twitch by M.G. Leonard</i>. As part of our work, we will be creating an information booklet about birds, creating a free-verse poem about birds, rewriting a chapter from a different character's perspective and then to finish off the children will be creating their own mystery narrative. Key texts: <i>Twitch by M.G. Leonard</i>	Stunning start: To listen to Neville Chamberlain's declaration of war on Nazi Germany. Fabulous finish: Making vegetable soup	Science: In the first half term, we will be learning about living things and their habitat and how they are organised based on their taxonomy. In the second half term, we will be looking at electricity and learning about how voltage affects a circuit, how the components of a circuit function and the using symbols to draw circuits.
	Visits and visitors: We will be visiting Windmill Hill as part of the Year 6 residential visit.	Art: In the first half-term, we will be learning about photography and practising this skill by taking pictures of nature while considering angles, distance, focus and light. In the second half-term, we will be learning about the life of architect Norma Sklarek and designing our own building in the same artistic style.
History: In history, we will be learning about which countries were involved in WW2 and their leaders, the Home Front, the Blitz and the changing role of women.	PE: We will be doing gymnastics and tag netball in the first half-term. In the second half-term, we will be doing dance and taking part in the social game river crossing.	DT: We will be researching the different types of vegetables grown as part of the Dig for Victory Campaign in WW2. Using our research, we will then create and cook our own soup recipe using the vegetables available during WW2.
Geography: We will be locating the different countries involved in World War Two and whether they were an Ally or Axis Power and identifying the land claimed by the Third Reich at the height of its power in 1942.	Music: In the first half-term, we will be looking at the compositions of Felix Mendelssohn and using nature to inspire our own compositions. In the second half-term, we will be listening, analysing and reflecting on war time music: Vera Lynne and Glenn Miller.	Computing: In the first half term, we will learn about the World Wide Web as a communication tool. First, we will learn how we find information on the World Wide Web, through learning how search engines work (including how they select and rank results) and what influences searching, and through

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		comparing different search engines. Then, we will investigate different methods of communication, before focusing on internet-based communication. Finally, we will evaluate which methods of internet communication to use for particular purposes. In the second half term, we will develop our knowledge and understanding of using a computer to produce 3D models - Tinkercad https://www.tinkercad.com/
Maths: Number and Place Value Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division Fractions Measurement Properties of Shapes	Suggestions for home learning: Read 4x a week and record it in reading records. Timestable Rockstars Spelling Practise	MFL: Revision of numbers in French and using that to learn to tell the time Looking at the French school day, including reading timetables.
Life Skills: In the first half-term, we will be discussing 'Being Me In My World', which looks at helping and working with others, thinking how other people are feeling and how to make the school community a better place. In the second half-term, we will be discussing 'Celebrating Difference', which will look at understanding that everyone is different and unique. We will also be looking at bullying.	Ideas from children, parents and carers:	RE: Judaism - key Jewish symbols and place of worship The holy book - The Torah Jewish artefacts

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