# **Autumn**



# **CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER**



# 6 Hornbeam/Pine

**Values** 

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## **English**



Hermelin by Mini Grey (Whole School) Night of the Gargoyles - Narrative

The Mysteries of Harris Burdick by Chris van Allsburg - Narrative Planetarium by Raman Prinja and Chris Wormell - NCR Professor Astro Cat's Frontiers of Space by Dr Dominic Walliman and Ben Newman - NCR

Wisp by Zana Frallion and Graham Baker-Smith - Narrative Talking History by Dr Joan Lennon and Dr Joan Haig - Persuasive speech

## Maths



Number and Place Value Fractions, Decimals and Percentages Weekly Arithmetic tests

#### Science



The children will utilise and develop their skills to work scientifically within a theme of the Titanic. In autumn 2, they will explore how to classify living things and their habitats.

## RE



What is one of the main teachings of Buddhism? (Suffering - linked to the Old Testament)

Was Jesus the Messiah?



Nurturing Life-Long Learning

## **History**



WWII - The Battle of Britain
To find out about the failed German invasion of
Britain

## Geography



To study California as a region of the Americas.

## **Spanish**



The Date
Do You Have a Pet?

## Music



Learn to sing songs from World War 2 and develop confidence when singing. To increase understanding of dynamics, pitch and texture.

#### Art



Painting and mixed media - we will be looking at a range of artists and their styles, including David Hockney and Paula Rego.

To learn more about

World War 2 in general,

scan the QR code



## DT



Food: Come dine with me In groups, create a 3 course meal by researching, preparing and cooking their meal.

#### **PSHE**



Learning about children's rights and making choices as well as learning about how to celebrate differences.

#### PE



Dance Yoga Cricket Hockey

## **Computing**



An introduction to spreadsheets.

Exploring variables when programming.

#### **Homework**

In Year 6 children are expected to:

Read daily, reading records checked every Friday

Practise year % spelling words
Complete CGP Home learning (due Tuesdays)