

# Boston West Academy

Dear Parents /Carers, below you will find information about our learning this term. We hope this will help you to support your child at home and with homework. As always, we start with our initial plans and then adapt our planning in response to the children's ideas and thinking. Our PE this term is Swimming on a Tuesday afternoon and Homework will be given on a weekly basis, usually on a Wednesday. If you have any questions and queries, then please do not hesitate to get in touch - We are always available!

*Mr Wilson, Miss Hemstock, Mrs Schofield, Miss Mckue and Mrs Ward*

## Music

Music sessions this term will be focussed around composing and performing a WW2 themed song which can be sung in two parts.

## History

During this term our main topic focus is WW2. We will be comparing features of life in the past with life today, including ideas, beliefs and experiences. We will be exploring life as a soldier drawing on key events of the past.

## DT

We will be exploring our understanding of structures and how to ensure that they are strong.

## Geography

Our lessons will focus around using maps to locate countries involved during WW2 and also using maps of the school to follow and create trails.

## Science

Our focus areas are:

- › Light
- › Electricity

## English

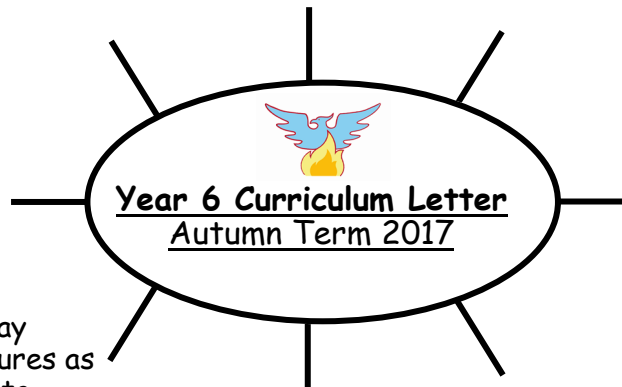
Our text types this term are:

- › Information texts
- › Poetry
- › Diary writing

We are also going to be developing our reading comprehension skills and our grammatical knowledge.

## PE

This term we shall be developing our swimming skills at Giles Academy.



## Art

We will be developing our clay techniques to create structures as well as working on our skills to paint with a limited palette.

## Maths

We will be learning:

- › to add, subtract, multiply and divide decimals and integers
- › to use our skills to solve problems
- › to present and analyse data in different formats
- › how fractions, decimals and percentages connect

## PSHE

We will be developing our understanding about how the news and media show information in different ways, focusing on propaganda during WW2.

## Computing

This term, we will be learning about programming and how to create algorithms on computer software. whilst also developing our understanding of ESafety.

## RE

We will be focussing on the impact of religious charities and how they put religious teaching into action.

## MfL (French)

This term, we will learn:

- › to talk about our likes and dislikes.
- › Learn to follow classroom instructions.
- › the colours

## Trips, Visitors and Other Things!

PGL—Weekend beginning 29th September.  
Swimming—Commencing 12th September.