

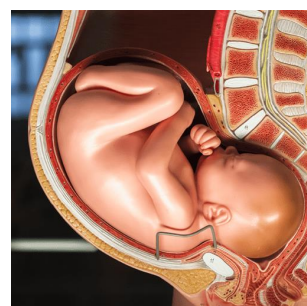


Britain at War

In the Britain at War project, your child will learn about the main causes of the First World War and which countries were the major players. They will investigate why so many men volunteered to fight and then sequence the events at the start of the war. Using various sources of evidence, the children will learn about life in the trenches and the consequences of new weaponry. The children will also learn about the causes and main events of the Second World War. They will find out how Britain prepared itself for war and the war's impact on civilian life. They will learn about the Battle of Britain and how it proved to be a key turning point for the Allied Powers. They will also hear about Anne Frank and discover what her story tells us about the treatment of Jewish people by the Nazi Party. The children

will research the causes and consequences of the end of the Second World War and investigate the legacy of the wars in Britain. Closer to home, the children will research the life of a local World War hero who sacrificed their life fighting for Britain. They will also investigate the legacy of these global conflicts in the post-war period.

Alongside this our Science and PSHE topic is Human reproduction and Ageing. your child will learn what life cycles are, order the stages of life cycles for different animal species and compare them. They will learn what mammals are and the five key mammalian characteristics. They will learn about the stages and processes of the human life cycle. They will learn about human gestation from embryo to birth. They will investigate how humans change and develop from infant to adolescence in the juvenile stage. They will learn about the changes that happen during puberty. They will interpret data about human growth and learn about the human reproductive system and sexual reproduction. They will learn about how humans change as they get older. (More info to follow on this topic)



Memorable experience	Outdoor Adventure trip to Rock UK - Wales
English	Letters; Recount of significant event; Narrative; Non-Chronological reports; Narrative poems
Maths	Ratio, statistics, shape, position and direction, converting units (Year 6 consolidation)
History	First and Second World Wars; Causes; Warring nations; Weaponry, warfare and technology; Key events and battles; Impact on citizens and everyday life; Significant leaders; End of war; Local history study; Remembrance; Post-war Britain
Geography	Place and interconnections; Maps
Science	Animal life cycles; Stages and processes; Classifying mammals; Mammalian life cycles; Interpreting scatter graphs; Human life cycle; Human gestation stage; Human juvenile stage; Human adolescent stage; Puberty; Venn diagrams; Interpreting line graphs; Human sexual reproduction; Human ageing; Working scientifically – Observing changes over time, Identifying and classifying, Pattern seeking. Evolution and Inheritance.
Art and Design	Coronation project, Distortion and Abstraction, Dragon Eyes
DT	Make do and Mend
PSHE	Health and Mental Wellbeing; Growing and changing; Keeping Safe (Yr 6 Transition)
PE	Cricket, Rounders, Tennis, Outdoor Adventure
ICT	Purple Mash – Logo, Quizzing
Music	Composing and playing iPad music (Beds Borough)
French	Weather, School, France at War