

Lingham Primary School Autumn Term Year 6



English

Our key texts:

- Rose Blanche
- Hansel and Gretel
- Cogheart
- A Midsummer Night's Dream
- Macbeth

Our writing genres:

- Diary writing and Award speech
- Sound poetry
- Dual Narrative

Maths



- Place value to 10 million
- Addition and subtraction
- Multiplying and dividing up to a 4 digit by a 2 digit number
- Using the four operations with fractions
- Converting units of measure

Science



- Investigating electrical symbols and circuits
- Explaining current and voltage
- Evolution and adaptation
- Distinguishing between inherited and acquired characteristics

PE



- Athletics: throwing, sprinting, jumping and building stamina
- Gymnastics: linking shapes and movements, developing core strength and performing and evaluating routines

History

- Understanding why WW2 began and the instrumental power of Hitler
- Giving reasons for evacuation
- Evaluating the impact of propaganda
- Understanding the significance of the Battle of Britain



Geography



- Understanding weathering and erosion and their impact on coastal features
- Fieldwork based on Hilbre Island (an SSRI)
- Using 6 figure grid referencing
- Coastal counties of the UK

Art



Drawing - Make my voice heard

- Exploring expressive drawing techniques
- Considering symbolism in art
- Using the drawing technique chiaroscuro
- Applying street art skills
- Independent artwork

DT



- Investigating textiles
- Conducting product research
- Designing, making and evaluating a textile product
- Using CAD (Computer Aided Design)

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Music



- Listening to and appraising Fingal's Cave
- Using instruments to create a group composition using pitch, texture and dynamics
- Developing melodies using rhythmic variation

RE



- Islam - What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?
- Christianity - Do Christmas celebrations and traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why he was born?

Other bits & bobs

- PE is every Wednesday for Oak class and Friday for Elm class
- Please try your best to listen to your child read 3 times or more per week and sign their reading record
- Please encourage your children to practise their weekly spellings and times tables on TimesTables Rockstars
- Reminder: please pay the deposit for your child's place for our Y6 residential trip to the Conway Centre
- Hilbre island and Western Approaches trips upcoming. Please look out for further updates.

Computing



- E-safety and the importance of having a secure password
- Investigating different types of code
- Understanding 'Brute-force hacking'
- Understanding the importance of Bletchley Park

PSHE



- My Happy Mind - meet the brain
- Friendships
- Respectful relationships
- Change and Loss
- Gender identity
- Online safety
- Discrimination

French



- Naming school subjects with the correct determiner
- Expressing opinions
- Telling the time
- Reciting days of the week
- Recalling numbers
- Using o'clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to