

Year 6 - Week Commencing 5th February 2017

Maths This week we will be looking at the following:

- Drawing and translating simple shapes on the coordinate plane.
- Drawing and reflecting polygons in different axes.
- Calculating and interpreting the mean as an average.
- Solving problems involving the mean.

English

This week the children will be using a real life interview of someone who was evacuated during the war to inspire them to write an evacuation letter in role. They will be aiming to include a range of sentence types, show character feeling and use more advanced punctuation. Following this piece of work that will be guided in class, the children will be completing an independent letter that will be used for assessment purposes. Please talk to your child about their writing as I am sure that this will help them with their ideas. The children will then perform their independent letter in role as an evacuee – we are hoping to use the green screen technology to do this.



Theme this half term...

History – WW2

Art – WW2 themed artwork

RE - Christianity and the Church

DT - the focus will be based on a food project

Extras

PE will be on Wednesday and Friday afternoon this week. Please ensure that your child has a **school PE kit** in school for these lessons.

My PPA time will be on Wednesday afternoon

Homework A maths and spelling activity have been set on Active Learn. These should be completed by Friday.

This week I will be sending out homework for over the holidays as well as key spellings that the children should be able to read, understand and spell. It is in the children's best interest to complete any homework that is set. The children will also be bringing home some maths tests that they completed last week. It would be valuable to spend some time looking through these papers with your child, identifying what they have done well on and working through any questions where they have not scored a mark.

Spelling Focus:

'tial' and 'cial' word endings.