

Children in Wartime



World War II



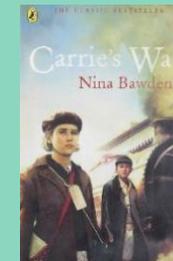
English: During Terms 3 and 4, we will be reading and writing traditional tales. This will be build the children's use of punctuation and consolidate use of inverted commas. In addition to this we will write explanations and reports. Finally, we will examine the structure of haiku, tanka and kennings poems. Then write these forms of poetry. As always, we shall continue with guided reading.

PE: Our gym work will include balance and coordination, which will progress to using these skills with equipment. Also, we will develop skills of symmetry. Then we shall work on netball skills.

Art/DT: Term 3 is all about needlework. The children will design and make a wash bag as if they were being evacuated. Then in term 4, they will develop sketching skills and imagine they are evacuated and sketch the views described in *Carrie's War*.

Maths: We shall learn simple equivalence of fractions, compare and order them and then add fractions with common denominators giving an answer of less than one. After this, we shall study measurement of time, including the use of analogue clocks; understanding am and pm and the use of Roman Numerals. Then we shall move onto understanding right angles, perpendicular and parallel lines and turns, as well as drawing and recognising 2D shapes. Finally, we shall work on measurement of length, mass and capacity. Elm Class will solve problems using addition and subtraction of measurement.

Topic: During term 4 we will be completing a book study. We shall be reading *Carrie's War*, which ties in with our previous term's topic.



History: During term 3 we shall study children during the war. This will include understanding the evacuation process and what life was like during the war: rationing, air raids and the food they could eat.

Science: During term 3 we shall study light and discover reflection, how shadows are formed and understanding darkness. In term 4 we shall study plants looking at the parts of the plant, how they grow and use photosynthesis.

Book Study

Carrie's War

Music: We shall explore pitch and time learning to keep to the beat and different types of melodies. Then use technology to make sounds.

Computing: During term 3, we will complete work on online safety as well as understanding the internet. Then in Term 4, we shall return to programming.

French: During the term we will learn more greeting, count to 100 and develop longer sentences saying how we feel.

PSHE/RE: During term 3, we study Christianity and discuss if Jesus really did perform miracles. Then through term 4 we will investigate the Easter story and why Christians see this as a sign of hope. In PSHE we shall be discussing our goals and how to achieve them. Then consider how to keep ourselves healthy through our diet. .

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Terms 3 and 4