

# Year 5 Learning

In Year 5, in Maths, we have been looking at angles and 3D shapes. Alongside learning the fluency of these topics, we have also been solving problems and using reasoning skills to consolidate our knowledge.

In English, we have been reading 'Goodnight Mister Tom' by Michelle Magorian, which has given the children the opportunity to write in many different genres; for example non-chronological reports, narrative writing, setting and character descriptions and explanation texts. The children have enjoyed taking part in debates as well as producing their own news reports based on evacuation in World War 2.

This term our topic in Science is Forces where the children have been experimenting to find out if the mass of an object affects the force of gravity.

We have immersed ourselves into the topic of World War 2, which the children have shown great enthusiasm for. We started off by creating timelines of the main events leading up to World War 2 and we then wrote our own letters home as if we had been evacuated.

In PE, the children have been learning about Bollywood music through dance. They have learnt the basics and are now beginning to create their own routines.

The children have been thoroughly enjoying guitar lessons on Wednesday afternoons. This is an exciting opportunity to build on their skills over the year.

