## English

This term, in English we will be using the text 'When the Sky Falls' by Phil Earle.

- using higher order vocabulary
- cohesive skills and descriptive techniques
- semicolons, subordinate and relative clauses.
- using description to create atmosphere for the reader
- editing, uplevelling and writing with stamina

Our outcome at the end of the half term will be to write our own five-part narrative with description of setting and character, creating atmosphere based on 'The Piano'

#### Maths

## Ratio and Algebra

- Using ratio to solve ratio and proportion problems
- Drawing to scale and using scale factors
- Using function machines for I and 2 step problems
- Finding pairs of values in I and 2 step problems as well as problems with two unknowns

Fractions, Decimals and Percentages

- Place value
- Rounding decimals
- Multiplying and dividing decimals by integers including in context.

#### Science

Our Science topic this half term is 'Animals including Humans'

- identify and name the main parts of the human circulatory system, and describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood
- recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their bodies function
- describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans



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Key Texts





### Humanities

In history, we will be looking at how Women's Rights have changed over time. We will:

- describe how women's rights have changed over time
- explain who the suffragettes were, name key individuals and explain their impact
- explain how and why women's rights changed after WW2
- evaluate gender equality within modern day society

# Art and Design

- explore WW2 recipes and apply the principles of a healthy and varied diet
- investigate recipes with focus on seasonality and ingredients that could be reared, grown, processed in the locality
- use ingredients and equipment to prepare savory dishes using a range of cooking techniques
- evaluate products and understand how they were shaped by the key event of rationing in WW2

RE

Topic 4- Sources

We will be looking at The Bible, deepening our understanding of the books that create it. We will also be looking closer at the relationship between the Old Testament in Christianity and the Hewbrew Scriptures in Judaism. We will also explore how The Bible is useful in daily life.

PE - Invasion Games

PSHE- Getting on/ falling out Body Image, Funny Feelings, Emotional Changes, Photoshopping

Music — Gaining confidence through performance

MFL — School times and life (French)

Computing - Manipulating Images

Key Information for Spring Term 1 (Year 6):

PE days — Our PE day for this half term is Thursday

Homework days- Homework will be given on a Friday and needs to be submitted by the following Friday on SeeSaw

Maths lesson with parents — Monday 5th February at 9:15am