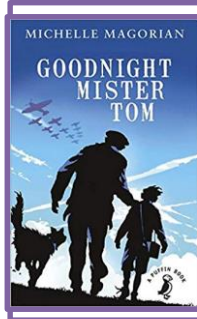
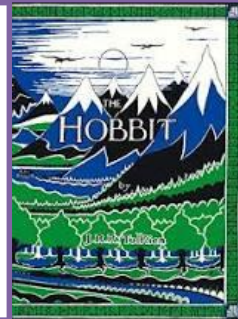


### Literacy

This term, we will be focussing on the text 'Goodnight Mr Tom'. We will read about the 'life of William Beech, a wartime evacuee, whose life changes when he meets Thomas Oakley! We will also be using this text to further immerse ourselves into our topic of World War Two as well as write descriptive stories based on the settings in the text. Later on, we will explore the life of the characters in the stories through biographies and autobiographies. In the second half term, we will read 'The Hobbit' - a fantasy novel - and write our own fantasy story. We will also write a non-chronological report about a fantasy creature.



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### Maths

This term in maths, we will be focussing on solidifying our arithmetic skills and beginning to apply these to complex, multi-step problems. We will begin by studying place value, working with numbers up to 10 million! You can support your child at home with their maths by getting them onto TT Rockstars to allow them to become even better with their times table recall and Mathswatch to practise all the other skills.

**PSHE** - What do the British Values mean to us? We will be exploring what they mean and how they are used in our country.

### Humanities

We will be learning about World War Two. We will learn about some of the causes of the war, how the Blitz impacted life in Britain and we will be exploring the lives of evacuees. In Geography, we will be exploring the impact of plastic pollution on our environment a very current and vital topic.

### Science

This term in science, we will be mastering our science skills throughout our unit on 'Sound'. After this, we will be exploring a biology topic, using microscopes to explore our cells, and learning all about microorganisms.

### RE

This term, we will be exploring God's Creation and what the Bible says about the roles and responsibilities of the human race. We will also analyse the scripture and discuss the impact of Psalm 8 on the lives of Christians. In the 2nd half term, the focus will be on Buddhism. We'll explore the Four Noble Truths and the Eightfold Path.

### PE

Basketball - Pupils will develop key skills and principles such as defending, attacking, throwing, catching, dribbling and shooting. Pupils will learn to use attacking skills to maintain possession. They will also be encouraged to think about how to use skills, strategies and tactics to outwit the opposition.

**Computing** - We will use App Maker software to create apps to teach children in other schools all about Anne Frank. We'll add buttons, text, images, sounds and quizzes to our apps and test them out on tablets.

**Other:** Homework is set weekly and we would appreciate it if you could support and encourage your child to do their homework weekly on time.