

Year 5 Timetable	
Day	Subject
Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	Homework due in
Thursday	PE with Class Teacher
Friday	PE with Coach // New H/W Set

### Reading at Home

Please try to listen to your child read every day. Use the Reading Record to keep a record of the book and pages read. If you are unable to hear your child read, encourage them to read independently and get them to write the details into their Home School Contact Book. These need to be brought into school every day.

### Homework

Homework is given out on a Friday and needs to be handed in the following Wednesday. Homework consists of a Maths activity, spellings and an English task. It should be completed in the yellow homework book and presented to a high standard. Failure to complete and return will result in loss of lunch time.

### Useful Websites

<http://primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/>

<http://www.topmarks.co.uk/>

[www.mathszone.co.uk](http://www.mathszone.co.uk)

[www.mathletics.com](http://www.mathletics.com)



**ST RICHARD'S  
SCHOOL**

# Curriculum Overview Autumn Term 1 2018 Year 5/6

## A Child's War



## Literacy

This term we are reading C.S. Lewis's 'The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe'. We will be enjoying the fantasy world of Narnia for the first half term of the year. Check out our reading corner to see our portal to a new world! We will explore all different genres of writing such as story writing, reports, instructions, recount and diary entries.



## RE

We will be looking at the Journey of Life and Death. We shall explore important milestones in life; our own experiences of life and death; explore bereavement and loss and develop our understanding of celebrating life.

## PSHE

We will explore our emotional, mental and physical health, within the realms of providing strategies to ensure good health in these areas. Lifestyle, choices, responsibilities and rights will be learnt about.

## Mathematics

This half term we will be covering the following areas of Maths:

- Roman Numerals
- Regular times table revision
- Place Value
- Addition and Subtraction
- Short and long division



Please do come along for our **Stay and Create** morning on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October. We will make our **Anderson Shelters** then!

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## Science

In the latter half of this half term, Year 5-6 will explore Light. We will learn of how light travels; explain how we see; work with reflection and shadows.



PE will be taught by Mr. Butler on a Thursday with Gymnastics, whilst Onside coaches will teach Basketball on Fridays.

## Art and DT

We will be making World War Two aircraft and Anderson Shelters from mixed materials.

## Topic

Our topic for the whole of the Autumn Term is a Child's War, and we will be learning about World War II. We will begin this half term exploring the main events within the war, the lives of the children involved in the war (having to be evacuated or the lives abroad with Anne Frank). We will look into the Blitz, the aircraft and also the propaganda used throughout the war at home and abroad. We have three school excursions involving our topic and another after the half term. Hopefully it will be a really memorable topic, peaking around Remembrance in November.

