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Hi everyone, I hope you've had a lovely summer and are looking forward to starting the new year in Year 5. We've lots of fantastic things planned for this first term and I'll go through some of the things to look forward to...

English

Our English text will be linked to our history topic of World War 2. The book we will be studying is the classic 'Goodnight Mr Tom'. We will be producing diaries, writing postcards and telegrams and producing newspaper reports around this text.



Maths

In maths, we will be learning about numbers and place value up to a million. We will also be rounding numbers, looking at negative numbers and practicing some of the arithmetic methods for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

History

The history topic this term is World War 2. We will be learning about what life was like for ordinary people around the Hyde area during World War Two as well as the impact and effect it had on the world. We will be learning about Evacuees, The Blitz, Rationing as well as important figures and battles from World War Two.



Science

In science, we will be learning about forces and gravity. We will be using lots of practical learning to help us understand these scientific forces – even making our own parachutes.

PE

In PE, we will be learning the rules and tactics of Tag Rugby as well as working on our Hockey technique and skills.

How you can help

MATHS –You can access www.sumdog.com for fun ways to practice basic maths.

<https://trockstars.com/> is a fun, online timestable game that children can complete at home and in school.

HOMEWORK / READING – Homework will be reading and recorded on the Go Read app. Sumdog competitions will also be created for homework

Ideally, children will be reading for at least 10 minutes per day with an adult at home or 3 times a week

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