

# At Salmestone we reach our PEAK through Perseverance, Effort, Ambition and Knowledge

## Reading

In our reading lessons we will be studying a range of texts:

- War Horse by Michael Morpurgo
- A bridged version of Anne Frank's diary
- War time poems such as Flanders' Field

The focus is on developing an understanding of vocabulary, inferring information from the text and developing the ability to use evidence to support answers.

## Educational Visit

This term on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September we will be visiting Canterbury University who are collaborating with the NHS to provide workshops to help children understand the different types of roles that are available in the NHS.

## Maths – Maths Mastery

The children will be following the Maths Mastery Scheme. Our first topics for the term will be:

- Reasoning with large whole Integers
- Integer addition and subtraction
- Line graphs and timetables

## Andes Class - Autumn 1

Mrs Powles



## Writing

This term we will be basing our writing around the books War Horse and Anne Frank's Diary.

The children will be working on three genres of writing to help their writing progress.

- Narrative
- Recount (Diary)
- Non-chronological report

## Science - PZAZ

Our topic this term is Forces. This will involve learning about

- Gravity
- Friction
- Air Resistance
- Water Resistance

## PSHE – 1 Decision

### Spiritual Religious – Plan Bee

The theme of our PSHE lessons this term will be looking at our emotions and supporting children with staying safe online. In RE our first topic is stories from Hinduism.

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## History

Our key theme of the term is looking at 'changes in Britain from the early humans to the iron age'. Our key questions for this term are:

- How did early technology change life for early humans?
- What was the result of the discovery of farming on the people of Britain?
- Why was mining so important to Bronze Age people?

## Modern Foreign Languages - Kapow

In French the theme is 'My French Home'.

## Geography

In geography this term we will be learning about mountains.

- How are mountains formed?
- Where are significant mountain ranges?
- How have humans interpreted mountains?

## Assemblies

Monday – Current Affairs – Votes for School

Tuesday – School Values

Wednesday – Singing

Thursday – Attendance and Safeguarding

Friday – Celebration

## Art/Design and Technology

In art this term we will be looking at creating painting in the style of J.M.W Turner.

In design technology we will be using mechanical systems to create a wooden moving human.

## Physical Education – Real PE

In physical education we will be developing children gross motor skills with a focus on:

- Co-ordination and agility
- Static balances

The children will develop their creativity as well developing tactics to be successful in team-based games.

## Computing – Teach Computing

## Music - Kapow

In music our topic this term is Songs of WWII. This involves comparing and contrasting song and developing pitch when singing. In computing the children will be learning about computing systems and networks.