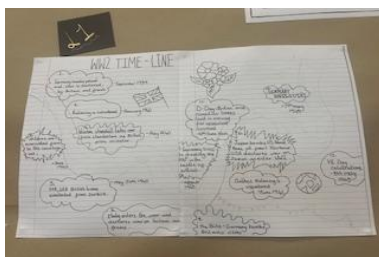




Year 6 News

19th September 2025



What we've been learning recently

English: This week, we focused on writing the problem and resolution for our predicted endings to *The Lion and the Unicorn*. Using a range of cohesive devices such as conjunctions, adverbials, and pronouns, the children worked hard to ensure their writing flowed smoothly and made sense. Their creativity and imagination really shone through!

Maths: We have wrapped up our unit on place value, where the children showed fantastic understanding and resilience. We are now moving on to addition and subtraction, and the children are already showing great enthusiasm and confidence—true maths stars!

Wider Curriculum: In history, we've been learning all about how World War II began, including key events like the evacuation of Dunkirk. The children have shown great curiosity and asked thoughtful questions. In art, we've started exploring the powerful and emotional work of Henry Moore, focusing on how he captured life during wartime through sculpture and drawing.

Over the next fortnight we will be...

In our next English unit, we'll be creating **diary entries** inspired by the novel *Letters from the Lighthouse*.

We'll step into the shoes of key characters and use their experiences to write thoughtful, emotive diary entries.

This will help us develop our understanding of character voice, historical context, and how to express feelings and events through personal writing.

Important Notices

Year 6 Macmillan Coffee Morning: We're excited to see you all at the upcoming Macmillan Coffee Morning next Thursday and can't wait to see everyone's fabulous green outfits!

London Residential Update: The final itinerary for the London 2026 residential is not yet confirmed, as some activities (e.g. the Houses of Parliament) aren't open for booking yet. However, we have been in touch with the tour operator and managed to make a change from Shrek's Adventure to Harry Potter Studios instead – which is great news! As with the residential to London last year, we're conscious of remaining within the agreed budget for the final itinerary. Once the final itinerary is fully confirmed, we will of course share this with parents and children.

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Shining Stars

Congratulations to our Shining Stars from the last two weeks for demonstrating our school values.

6B – Riley, Kaiden, Joseph, Daisy

6W – Albie, Callum, Molly, Maya