



# Y6 Classroom News!

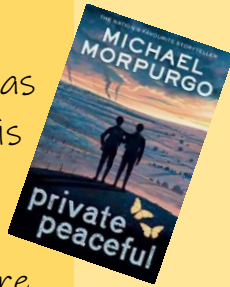


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## Book Talk

Our Year 6 class text for this half term is 'Private Peaceful' by Michael Morpurgo. As young Thomas Peaceful looks back over his childhood from the battlefields of the First World War, his memories are full of family life deep in the countryside. But the clock is ticking, and every moment Tommo spends remembering how things used to be, means another moment closer to something that will change his life for ever.



Our History topic this term is- **Conflict and Resolution.**

During this term, children will learn:

- How the First World War began and why Britain fought.
- Who fought for Britain in the First World War.
  - What trench warfare was like.
- What women did during the First World War.
- How the First World War ended and what followed.

Take a look at the Year 6 class page throughout the term to see the wonderful work the children will be doing.



## Home Reading

Children are encouraged to read at home every day to support their fluency, intonation and understanding of a variety of texts and genres. This not only supports the children with their reading, but also in the wider curriculum.

I would like to thank you in advance for your participation and encouragement.

## Literacy

During this half term, we will be learning how to write a journalistic report and a historical flashback.

We can't wait to share our amazing writing with you.

## Maths

In maths, this half term, we will be learning about integers and decimals, multiplication and division and calculating problems.

Remember to rise to the challenge on TTRockstars!





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## Author Spotlight

Check out our  
'Author Spotlight'  
shelf to see which  
new and exciting  
books are available  
to read!

Which one will you  
pick?

### Attendance

At the end of each week, the class with the highest attendance will win the coveted attendance trophy and each child with 100% attendance has a chance to win a raffle prize!

Let's aim for 100% attendance!

## Important Reminders

### Sports sessions

Sport sessions are every Monday & Thursday.

Please remember to bring the correct PE kit – white t-shirt, black shorts and trainers. Tracksuits can be worn when the weather is cold!

Please remember that all jewellery must be removed for PE including earrings.



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This term, we will be exploring the topics of 'Creation and Covenant'.

We will be learning about the Second account of Creation and the Christian belief in sin.

We will explore how sin damages our relationship with God and how Jesus restores that relationship.

### A Prayer for the Autumn Term

Dear God,

Thank you for this new school year and the opportunities it brings.

Guide us to build a supportive and respectful community, where everyone feels valued and included.

Help us to work hard, play fairly and grow not just in knowledge, but also in kindness and faith.

May our school be a place where we grow closer to you each day, in all that we do.

Amen

