



St. Peter's Academy – Miss Walton's weekly newsletter

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Date: Friday 19th November
2021

A summary of this week's learning...

Subject	Key learning points
English	Letters home from evacuees and fronted adverbials
Maths	Introduction to statistics – charts and graphs
Topic	School life during the War and the Battle of Britain
RE	Jewish experiences of the Holocaust
PSHE	Alcohol awareness and peer pressure

Reminder for reading awards – the children's diaries are being checked and any reads signed off by a parent can count towards a reading certificate at the end of the term.

If you would like to have a look at reading prompts to aid reading discussion with your child, please go to the school website -> key information -> curriculum -> English -> Reading at home -> reading prompts -> UKS2.

Things to note...

- General information is available on the class page.
- If you are isolating or off for any other reason, there is a home learning section on the class page for you to follow along with what we are doing in school.
- Children should be reading three times a week at home, which they can record in their school diaries. Each read counts towards your child achieving a reading certificate.
- Homework should be completed in homework books to a 'Take Care' standard.

Homework for this week:

Spellings – Your children will have 15 spellings written down in their diaries or homework books to learn for this week. Each child has completely personal spelling lists. Once they have been tested, they write down the next set of words from the statutory spelling lists and any that they got wrong on that particular week. Spellings are tested each Friday.

Maths – Complete the times tables grid activity. You can either take your time with this, or challenge yourself to see how quickly you can complete it. Times tables are key and help with everything in maths!

English / Topic – How am I linked to World War 2? *You will have 2 weeks to complete this homework and it will be due in on **Friday 3rd December**.*

Over the next 2 weeks we would like you to gather information about how you are linked to WW2. You might have had a great grandpa who was in the armed forces, or a great Aunt who was evacuated to Canada (some examples of stories so far from our class!). Your house may have a story behind it, of being built on an old air base which was used as a communications hub in WW2. You might have a family friend or elderly neighbour who lived through the war and has some great stories to share. We would like host in our classes, a living museum, where you bring in your research and information (and any memorabilia if you have permission) to share with the rest of UKS2 in 2 weeks time. Please make sure you get permission from adults if you are borrowing memorabilia or possessions to bring into school. We will take lots of photographs of our museum to put on to the website ☺ Watch this space!

If you are struggling at all to complete anything, please let me know prior to the deadline next Friday and we can sort something out ☺

Maths and spellings due – Friday 26th November 2021