



Week beginning: Monday 1st April



Dear Parents,
 The term has flown by and has been very busy. Best wishes to all of you and your families for a lovely holiday. Mrs Woodhouse, our SCITT student, returns to her first placement next term and we wish her all of the best in her future teaching career.
 Mrs Aitken

Core subjects

This half term our topic is: Is freedom worth fighting for?

Maths - We complete our work on fractions, including fractions of amounts and fractions in mixed operations.

Literacy - The children continue with their letter writing which we started last week.

For more details about this half term's curriculum, please see the school website - Curriculum - Yew Class.

Please complete at least three of the tasks from the tic-tac-toe grid over this half term. Year 6s, this time you may decide to do less as you concentrate on revision for SATs.

Home Learning -

Imagine you are an evacuee. Write a postcard home to your family explaining what has happened to you.	Write your name using Morse code. Could you construct a message?	Draw and label a great aeroplane from WW2 e.g. the Spitfire.
Research rationing and write a menu using those ingredients OR bake something using a wartime recipe.	Make an artefact from WW2 e.g. a rationing book, an evacuation case, a gas mask or a medal OR make a model of an Anderson shelter.	How has Britain changed since 1940? Find facts e.g. salary changes, house prices, wages.
Research your family tree and find out which family members were alive in WW2. Can you find out anything else about them? Did any of them serve in the army or help out on the home front?	Design and adapt an outfit for WW2 - 'Make do and mend'	Your own choice - eg top trumps cards on tanks, a board game, a presentation on something you wish to research e.g. the role of women in the war effort, etc.

Spellings
Year 5 and 6

scenic
 incident
 vacancies
 exceed
 fascinate
 citizen
 cyclist
 decision
 concern
 recent
 process

Words with a soft c

privilege
profession
programme

