



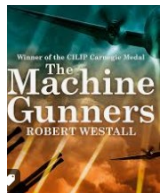
Year Group: 6

Term: Autumn 2

Teacher: Mrs Campbell

### Literacy:

Non-fiction: Newspaper report.



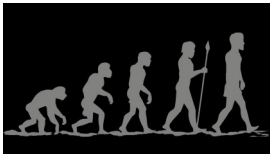
Using the features of a newspaper report, the children will write a newspaper article about the bombing of North Shields and the surrounding area during World War II. They will base their report upon the novel, *The Machine Gunners* by Robert Westall.

Non-fiction: Explanation text.

The children will write an explanation text based on the evolution of an animal. This work will be linked to the science topic of evolution.

### Science: We're Evolving!

Children will reflect on the work by Charles Darwin and the impact it had on the scientific understanding of evolution and adaptation.



Building on their knowledge of animals, they will use a variety of skills to explore and investigate what adaptation means and looks like in the world today. By the end of the topic, children should be able to identify the evolution process.

### Music

Children will complete units on Charanga and learn new songs and notation. Children will learn their carols ready for our Christmas Carol Concert.

## Change and Challenge: Read all about it!



### RE: What do the Gospels say about the birth of Jesus?

The children will recall the key events in the Christmas story and investigate similarities and differences between Matthew's and Luke's versions. They will explain the key truth within both versions. They will also explain the meaning of Advent and how Christians prepare and

celebrate Christmas in different countries.

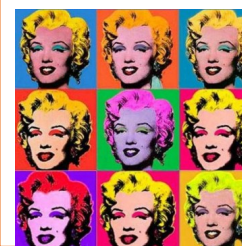


### History:

We will look at how World War Two began and give the children a more comprehensive understanding of how empire and rebellion influenced Hitler and his plan to dominate Europe before looking at how Britain gained victory in World War Two. The children will explore the significance of the Battle of Britain and complete a local study, looking at various sources.



### Computing: Digital Art



Further linking from their physical art portraits, children will investigate a range of different artistic styles and how they can be recreated using digital art tools. Digital sculpture is also looked at and combined with photo editing.

### Maths:

Children will work on calculating with fractions. Please encourage your children to access Mathletics and other suitable revision materials to support their learning.

**Science**—evolution, adaptation, inheritance, trait, adaptive and habitat. **DT**—**computing**: edit, select, manipulate **RE** —census, evangelist, gospel, nativity, Christingle, Ba-bushka.