

WEEK BEGINNING:



## English

All of Year 5 have now finished their newspaper articles about the blitz and have shown excellent understanding and empathy with the wartime population. They have continued to develop their reading skills with games and reading races to increase their speed-reading. Reading speed can often let children down in their reading tests as there is so much to reading and all of the questions to answer within an hour. It would be good if you can help your child by timing them to read a couple of pages of their reading book each night and see if they beat their time the next night. If your child does this, please let us know and we will reward them with merits or raffle tickets for being a responsible learning.

## Maths

Year 5 have been developing their reasoning skills further in their maths lessons and they are being encouraged to question answers and explain how they got the answer. This is helping to deepen their learning. They have been exploring angles: measuring, drawing and calculating.

## Topic

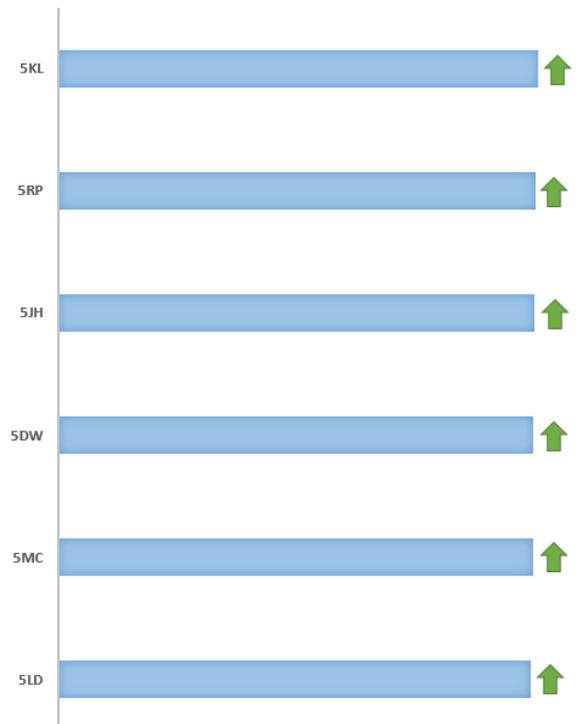
All of the Year 5 classes have started their preparation for the World War 2 afternoon on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June. Each class is creating a museum with a different themed linked to World War 2. A letter has gone out inviting parents and carers to visit our museums from 3.30pm until 4.30pm; it would be lovely if you could all come.

## Eco-Club

Some Year 5s are members of the Eco-Club, which is run by Mrs Chadwick. With volunteers from Oakland, they have been tending to the allotment and planting new vegetables; sweetcorn, peas, beans and peppers. All of these have been grown from seed during our science lessons. Once they have grown and are ready to harvest, the Eco-Club will be experimenting with different recipes to use them. The Year 5 staff are hoping they can be tasters!



## ATTENDANCE



Well done 5RP!

## ★ Star of the week

5MCH - Evie Conley

5LDA - Danielle Swain

5JHY - Nathan Buckingham

5KLA - Wojciech Gluszak

5DWI - Nikola Kordela

5RPU - Max Oldnall