Year 6: Vive La France



Essential Learning

By the end of this term, you will have learned...

- to recognise different regions of France and identify their characteristics
- about tourism in France and how to use persuasive language in holiday brochures
- about nature, wildlife and habitats in France
- to recognise, analyse and critique famous French works of art
- to recreate art in the style of famous French artists
- to understand why the French Revolution happened and explore significant events including the fall of the monarchy
- to write descriptive diary entries from a historical perspective
- about the realities and impact of World War I and World War II in France

• to use imagery, simile and metaphor to create poetry inspired by French war poets

Hook Day

Building French landmarks.

Creating a collage which represents our ideas of France.

Block 1

- Exploring the characteristics of different regions of France
- Viewing, critiquing and recreating French Art
- Writing a biography for a famous French artist

Block 2

- Understanding monarchy, republic and the French Revolution
- Composing descriptive diary entries from a historical perspective

Block 3

- Learning about the realities and impact of World War I and World War II in France
- Creating poetry in the style of war poets

Year 6: Vive La France / National Curriculum Links

Science		Geography	
 describe how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences, including micro-organisms, plants and animals give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics 		 interpret a range of sources of geographical information, including maps, diagrams, globes, aerial photographs locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe, concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries, and major cities understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country 	
Art		History	
 to improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing and painting with a range of materials [for example, pencil, charcoal, paint] to learn about great artists, architects and designers in history. 		 gain historical perspective by placing their growing knowledge into different contexts, understanding the connections between local, regional, national and international history; between cultural, economic, military, political, religious and social history; and between short- and long-term timescales. 	
DT		Key vocabulary:	
N/A this term		 Science –classification, vertebrates, invertebrates, micro-organisms, amphibians, reptiles, mammals, insects Geography – continent, country, capital, population, culture, tourism, differences/similarities, coordinates, grid, map, atlas, globe physical and human geography History – monarchy, republic, revolution, war, allies, civilians, armistice, D-Day, occupied, propaganda, resistance, artillery, no-man's-land 	
Writing genres		Key texts	
Biography Diary entry Brochures Poetry		ND OUT ABOUT	