Year 6 Autumn Term

We'll Meet Again

Being a child in the 1930s
What games were there? What was worn?
What authors were read?
What would the rest of the family do?

Are we going to war?
What events led to the outbreak of war?

Kristallnacht and Kindertransport
What events led to Kindertransport?
Who ended up in Horsham?

Before the war
How did England prepare for the war?

Outbreak of war!
What were the different responses?
Different leader's views

Dunkirk
Operation Dynamo and Churchill's speeches
How the events at Dunkirk were reported

Battle of Britain
What was 'Operation Sealion'?
Why did the German air force attack?
How can we use GIS to record information?

The Blitz
What was the Blitz and how did the Blitz affect people on the Home Front?

Evacuation
Why were children evacuated?
Importance of rationing and Dig for Victory campaign

The Role of Women in War
The various roles of women in wartime

D-Day Landings
Events leading up to D-Day and Normandy landings
Which events ended WW2?

VE Day
How did the war end?
What did people do to celebrate?

History
How was life different for children in 1930 to now?

Art
World War II artists

RE
Respecting differences including different faiths and beliefs
Judaism

English
To explain
How to prepare for war

DT
Make do and mend
Knitting

PE
A 1930s dance used to entertain
Gymnastics / Football / Hockey

Music
Entertainment and leisure during the war
Radio / wireless
Singing

Grammar, Punctuation and spelling
- Using a variety of punctuation
- Formal writing
- Revision of word groups
- Various spelling patterns
- Year 5 / 6 spellings

Maths
- **Number** – Place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication, division, fractions, decimals
- **Measures** – perimeter, area and volume
- **Geometry** – properties of shape and position and direction

English
To instruct:
How to play a 1930s game

English
To recount:
An interview with Jack Adler

Science
How does light travel?
How did people see during the Blackout?

Computing
E-safety
Presenting information using Geographic Information Systems to show locational patterns

English
To entertain
Poetry about the Blitz

English
To recount
From a Jewish ghetto

Reading
Blitzed by Robert Swindells
Hilter's Canary by Sandi Toksvig
Focus on retrieval, inference, predicting, summarising and building vocabulary using a selection of books set in Britain during World War Two.