

Year 2 - January 2019
Home Learning for Unsinkable

In history:

The children will be learning about the events leading up to the sinking of the Titanic and plotting them on a timeline. They will be examining primary and secondary sources for significant details and investigating different causes of the sinking. Finally, they will be looking at how boats have changed since the 1900s.

In English:

The children will be writing descriptions, diary entries and fact sheets using their own key words to help them. They will also be planning and writing their own narrative about the Titanic.

In art:

The children will be comparing different artist's portrayals of the great ship and creating their own masterpiece for the exhibition using a variety of different media.

What has Miss Vahidi found now?! She went diving and came across a mysterious case containing an old tea cup a pearl necklace, a music box, some binoculars and a boarding pass to a certain ship. When, where and how did it get there and who does it belong to? Year 2 must follow lines of historical enquiry to uncover the mystery of the case and ultimately the Titanic. Will the children be able to use their research and visit to the Southampton SeaCity museum to create their own Titanic exhibition commemorating all those who lost their lives and share the stories of those who survived in a compassionate way?

Learning Value: Emotional Intelligence

- Recognise the emotions of other people, show empathy and respond appropriately.
- Build lasting and meaningful relationships and develop effective interpersonal skills.
- Acquire a range of social skills and adjust behaviour according to context and purpose.

Project Vocabulary

Please ensure your child learns these to encourage them to use them correctly in school.

Spelling quiz - 22.03.19

class last past
poor fast after
Titanic old water
people

Key information:

The Unsinkable Museum will open to parents and carers on **Tuesday 19th March 2019**.

The home learning, which will be in our exhibition, will need to be in school on **Friday 15th March 2019**.

We will be going to the SeaCity museum in Southampton on **Thursday 28th February 2019**

If you are interested in helping on this trip please speak to/write a note to your class teacher as soon as possible.

Please see the attached Home Learning that has been written and explained to your child. We really value the support you show to your child with their home learning in order for them to consolidate their creativity and thinking skills. The Home Learning will be acknowledged in a Titanic exhibition after school for parents/guardians to come and see the work the children have created.