



## Miss Poxon's Class

### Autumn Term 2025

We have had a fantastic start to the school year! Our enjoyment of reading has grown as we enjoyed two engaging class texts, *Wolf Brother* and *Street Child*. We have enjoyed writing descriptions, writing from different character perspectives and extending our use of adventurous vocabulary and grammatical features to improve our writing.

In history we have been learning all about World War II which we really enjoyed. We looked in depth at the Blitz and how that affected Britain and the home front. We learnt how diverse our soldiers were and how that had been impacted by the British Empire. We linked our Art skills and created our own clay medals and water colour poppies. It was interesting to learn about the roles of women during the war and about the experiences of evacuees. We thoroughly enjoyed learning how this happened and the timeline of events that affected the outcomes of World War II.

We have enjoyed learning about media and video production during computing lessons. We created story boards to plan our own video and completed short videos using a range of filming techniques.



We also took on the task of designing and making our own bird hides in D&T. We researched bird hides before designing our own with a specific design brief. Some were more successful than others but we were all able to effectively evaluate our own bird hide and consider what changes we could make next time.

A particular highlight was our visit to Chester Zoo! It was great to experience the zoo and to see so many animals. We were delighted to see the chimpanzees and the monkeys; another firm favourite were the giraffes and the rhinos. We also got to go through an enclosure that replicated the rainforest climate which was great because we had been learning all about rainforest in Geography!