This half term our intent is to celebrate our local environment to give children a sense of appreciation for where they live, promoting their social, moral and spiritual compass. We will be focusing on respect; both in terms of local environment and about the tragic events of WWI and WW2.

# Jigsaw

We will be celebrating what makes us the same and what makes us different.

#### Art & Music

The children will mix secondary colours to make a beautiful soldier silhouette to commemorate fallen soldiers. In Music we will be continuing to think about rhythm and pitch.

# History

We will be linking our local environment to the history of Mary Anning and creating a fact file about her.

### Literacy

We will be creating non-chronological reports about the local area of Elson as well as using the T4W structure to innovate a wishing tale about dinosaurs. As we move into Christmas, we will be completing some fiction work based on a narrative.

**Kinetic letters** — we will be focusing on snuggling pairs.

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## PE days = Monday & Thursday

Please ensure your child comes to school in their PE kit.

### Library day = Tues/Weds

Please ensure library books are in book bags on these mornings.

Please send book bags into school every day.

## Computing

We will be using the computers to begin our unit on asking effective questions which will link well to our history unit on Mary Anning.

#### Maths

We have moved from addition and subtraction onto multiplication and division. The children will recap counting in 2s, 5s and 10s and begin to relate this to multiplication and division facts.

#### RF

We will be learning about light as a symbol.

#### Science

We will be continuing our work on materials but developing their knowledge into how materials can be changed. We will be conducting an experiment as to what is the best material to help chef in the kitchen with a problem!

#### PE

On Thursday with CM Sports, the children will be taking part in curling. We will also be putting together moves to create a dance.