

Year 6 Reading List – Summer Term 1

Topic: **World War II**

Essential Question: *Friend or Foe?*

Friend or Foe – Michael Morpurgo

Evacuated from London, David and Tucky feel like the war is a long way away from their new life in the countryside. Then one night the skyline of the moor is lit up with gun flashes, and the distant crump of bombing miles away brings the war back to them and shatters their new-found peace. When a German bomber crashes, the boys feel they should hate the airmen inside. But one of them saves David's life . . .

In the tradition of *Goodnight Mr Tom*, *Carrie's War*, and *The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas*, *Friend or Foe* is a novel that takes children to the heart of a tumultuous period in history.

