

## TOPIC: Year 8 'Boy in the Striped Pyjamas'

What are we learning about?

War and conflict through John Boyne's 'The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas'.

You will learn to give an opinion on a statement/topic and support a viewpoint with evidence.



Why are we learning about it?

To explore a text from the perspective of a young boy living in Nazi Germany.

To be able to form viewpoints.



What new **KNOWLEDGE** will I gain?

You will gain an understanding of key events during World War II, including life in Nazi Germany and the Holocaust.



How does this build on the **SKILLS** I already have?

You will develop your ability to analyse language and structure in literary texts.

You will continue to make inferences about characters and setting, using linguistic terminology.



What new **SKILLS** will I develop?

You will learn to develop a viewpoint and understand why an author chooses to tell a story from a particular perspective.



How does this build on the **KNOWLEDGE** I already have?

You will further understand the importance of context and setting.