

English

Using our new topic, The Great Fire of London, as our inspiration, we will be writing a setting description to imagine what people may have experienced during this time. We will also look at Samuel Pepys diary and write our own diary entry about life in London in September 1666. Further to this, we will continue to explore the use of newspaper reports and how they record factual events.

To celebrate World Book Day we will be using descriptive language to write our own narratives based on a traditional tale.

Science

Our science work this term will continue to be around everyday materials. Children will learn more of the properties of materials and link this to the suitability for different purposes. The science learning will link to our topic as we will look at which materials flammable and discuss the materials that houses are made from now.

Children will get the opportunity to practise their scientific skills by conducting experiments.

History

In History, children will be comparing London, past and present. They will look at the key events leading up to The Great Fire of London and look at where this event started. After this, we will look at the changes that we can see today that are a result of The Great Fire of London.

Maths

In maths, we will be learning to tell the time. Children will be practising o'clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to. They will then go onto telling the time to 5 minute intervals.

After this, we will recap the four operations and work on understanding and completing word problems.

Towards the end of term, children will look at statistics and learn to read graphs and tables.

Computing

We will be continuing to learn about representing data using pictograms and binary trees and understand how useful these are. Children will also learn how to search for information safely and effectively using the internet. Internet safety will be incorporated into this.

P.S.H.E.

This term, we will be thinking about 'Healthy Me'. They will discuss food and medicine and how to make healthy choices.

Year 2 Class 5 & 6 Miss Carter & Mrs Pearce

Term 4: February & March 2024

Fire! Fire!



Music

The focus this term will be learning to perform a song in a round and using percussion to enhance our performance. We will continue to develop our knowledge of different music genres, including traditional and pop.

P.E.

This term, Mr Barnett will be focussing on rugby skills. Children will be continuing to learning about sequences of moves in gymnastics. PE kits are required in school every day.

R.E.

We will be learning about Christianity and what Jesus' resurrection means for Christians. Through this, children will learn about the Easter story and have a go at retelling it.

Art

This term, we will be looking at 3D sculptures. Children will look at a range of abstract sculptures before designing and creating their own sculpture using a range of materials. Once completed, children will evaluate the success of their creation.

Welcome back!

We hope you had a brilliant half term and are pleased to welcome you back. This term, we are very lucky to have Forest School on Thursdays. Please see the letter in the window for more information. As well as this, we have arranged a visit from the fire fighters to allow children to better understand fire safety. A year group assembly will take place on the afternoon of Tuesday 12th March – more information to follow. As always, please speak to us if you have any queries or concerns, Miss Carter, Mrs Pearce and Mrs Abson.