



Hook: The Great Fire of London

This week we will be starting a new enquiry focus about The Great Fire of London. The children will become a team of expert Royal Correspondents for King Charles reporting on The Great Fire of London.

English

In Key Stage 1 we are writing Newspaper Reports. In Year 1 our focus is punctuating sentences correctly. In Year 2 our focus is writing in past and present tense.

Maths

Y1 - We will be focusing on equally sharing amounts between 2. We will be doing this practically and pictorially.
Y2 - We will be focusing on solving division number sentences through sharing amounts equally into groups.

Phonics

The children have been split into four groups to match the next steps the children need.
Y2 Mr Allen - oo sound family.
Y2 Miss McIntyre - Split diagraphs
Y1 Miss Allan - ou, ir, aw, oy, ed sounds.
Y1 - Miss McIntyre - Split diagraphs.

Theme

In History we will be looking at the changes that have been made because of The Great Fire of London such as the introduction of the fire service and building brick houses.
In RE we will be learning about the Jewish festival of Hanukkah.
In Music we will be learning a Christmas song and will work at finding the beat and learning simple rhythms.

Toys and Pencil Cases

Reminder, please ensure that toys, pencil cases and other home belongings are kept at home. They are becoming a distraction to the children at school and having an impact on their learning. Thank you for your support.

Maths Books

We have sent home maths homework books. We would like the children to have a go at the pages set, then bring it back to school on Tuesday.

Year 1: page 17

Year 2: page 11

Weekly home learning challenges

- Reading as frequently as possible
- Practice spellings
- Maths home learning book

Forest school kits

The children will need to ensure that they have their forest school kits in school for the following days:
Zog - Tuesday
Stickman - Wednesday
Tabby McTat - Thursday

PE Kits

Please make sure your child has their PE kit in school. PE will take place on a Tuesday in Tabby McTat and Stickman and Wednesday in Zog.

We will be exploring the theme of **friendship** in collective worship this term.

