

Fire, Fire!

How did London change after the Great Fire of 1666?

Our English work will read *The Great Fire of London* by Emma Adams. We will write recounts (including diary entries and newspaper reports) and information texts.

We will also explore poetry (rhyming and haiku) and continue to explore grammar expectations for year 2.

In maths, we will finish addition and subtraction. We will also look at the properties of shape.



In science, the children will link our everyday materials topic to famous inventors.

For example: Charles Mackintosh



In history, we will look at the Great Fire of London and show an awareness of the past and describe where significant historical events and people fit within a timeline.

For example: Samuel

In DT, we will look at food preparation and become bakers. The children will discuss safety in the kitchen and bake bread to accompany their lunch.

Our music will focus on nativity practice. We look forward to sharing this with you in December.

In RE, our work will focus on how Christmas is celebrated around the world.

In PSHCE, the children will look at anti-bullying and managing change.

Our computing units this half term are online safety and spreadsheets.

In PE, we will explore fundamental skills and dance. The children will create different movements with a fire theme.

Mrs Hardwick will take the class for art on a Thursday afternoon. We will look at cityscapes and give our opinion on famous artwork. We will then, inspired by these pieces, create our own cityscapes.

