

English

Class texts:

- The Great Fire of London
- The Jolly Postman (and the Christmas version)

Using these texts, we will continue to look at letter formation and the spacing of letters and words. We will continue to spell phonetically, learn how to write the past tense suffix -ed and use capital letters for proper nouns when writing sentences.

Year 1

Autumn Term 2

The Great Fire of London The Jolly Postman

Maths

Multiplication, division, geometry and fractions:

- Counting in 2s, 5s and 10s
- Recognising equal groups
- Adding equal groups
- Recognise a half of shapes, objects and quantities
- Recognise and name some 2D shapes (rectangle, square, circle, triangle)
- Recognise and name some 3D shapes (cuboids, cones, pyramids, spheres)

RE

We will be looking at journeys linked to the Christian festival Christmas.

Parent Information

We will be preparing a Christmas performance with Year R to parents in December – please stay tuned for dates!

Science

We will be learning about different materials and their properties. This will link to the Great Fire of London, thinking about materials used for houses then and now. We will also look at the properties of materials in terms of historic and modern communication.

History

We will be looking at the history of The Great Fire of London in 1666 and how communication has changed over time. We will learn common phrases used to show the passing of time and look at ways in which we can find out about the past.

Music

We will begin by listening to music that makes us feel different feelings. We will then learn to use our voices creatively to sing songs.

Reading and phonics

We will continue our 3 weekly reads following the Little Wandle phonics programme.

PE

Yoga – we will be learning to create balances independently and with others. We will learn to repeat actions, linking balances together.

Our PE lessons aren't on a set day so please ensure children are in kit every day.

DT

Linked to our science, we will be looking at materials for building models of houses. We will build, decorate and evaluate them.