

Year I Curriculum Overview

Autumn 2

Please find information below about what your child will be learning about in each subject area over the next half term.

Curriculum theme for this half term	The theme for the half term is "How bad was The Great Fire of London?" We will be using secondary sources to find out where and how it started and what life was like in London before and after the fire. We will also be learning about the Christmas story.
Reading - Books we will be reading this half term	We will be using a mix of books, animations and oral storytelling to provide a wide range of texts including
Writing	We will be carrying on with Drawing Club using our reading books as stimulus for writing. We will continue to -orally rehearse sentences. -form letters and numbers accurately -use 'and' to extend sentences -use adjectives to describe characters -understand the difference between a noun and adjectives. -using 'I' to write in the first person -time openers
Maths + × =	We will continue to correctly form numbers and count backwards and forwards confidently to 10. We will specifically be learning to - add and subtract within 10 - know name and recognise 2D and 3D shapes
Science	We will be learning about how the seasons change and about different types of weather. We will be recording the daily temperature for comparison across the seasons. We will be learning to read simple scales and finding out how the weather can help us.

History	We will be finding out all about The Great Fire of London, the cause and the consequences. We will find out about what life was like in 1666, including how fires were put out, and how the fire changed London and our lives in general.
Art	We will be learning about secondary colours, how to mix them and making our own to match the colours of Autumn. We will use Van Gogh as an inspiration for a final piece of painting.
Design Technology (DT)	We will be investigating how simple wheeled vehicles work by looking at axles. We will explore a variety of types and wheels and axles and then make our own simple wheeled vehicle to assist in a fire!
Religious Education (RE) (************************************	We will discover how different faiths view their god and what they might look like. We will also be learning about why Christians celebrate Christmas.
Personal, Social and Health Education (PSHE)	We will be celebrating our differences and learning to understand how we are all the same but all different. This will include some work ok on anti-bullying and our school values.
Music f	We will be exploring pitch and tempo through the theme of superheroes. We will use xylophones to help us explore high and low notes.
Physical Education (PE)	Through the theme of weather, we will be working towards a whole class dance. We will explore how simple and controlled movements can represent different types of weather. We will also learn how to count beats in our head.