

## English

### Key Texts:

Fire Poetry  
Non- Fiction Texts  
Vlad and The Great Fire of London.

**Writing:** Shape poetry, diary entry, non-chronological reports.

**Reading:** Recognise some different forms of poetry and patterns within the poetry. Read non-fiction texts and look at index, glossary and dictionaries.

**Spoken Word:** Practise reading poems out loud. Perform their poems to the class. Add expression and emphasis to their reading.

**Text and Word:** Children will identify and use expanded noun phrases, co-ordination and subordination and different sentence types. The children will learn to write in the simple past and past progressive tense.

**Punctuation:** To write in sentences using capital letters at the beginning and full stops at the end.

**Sentence structure:** The children will explore the use of structural features including headings, sub-headings and paragraphs to give structure and clarity to their writing.

## Learning Theme

### What can we learn from The Great Fire of London?

In **History**, children will learn about the Great Fire of London. They will be learning about what it was like to live in 1666 and what London was like before and after the fire. We will also be re-enacting the 'Great Fire of London' on our playground! In **Art**, children will explore tone and proportion to help them create collages and silhouette cityscapes of London. In **Music**, children learn to sing the song 'Once a Man Fell in a Well' and to play it using tuned percussion. Using letter notation to write a melody.

## Maths

### Money

- Count pence and pounds
- Make and compare amounts of money
- Calculate money
- Two- step problems

### Multiplication and division

- Recognise and make equal groups
- Add equal groups
- Use the x sign
- Use arrays to solve multiplication problems
- 2, 5, 10 times-tables

## Science

### Growth and Survival

### RE: Who is Allah and how do Muslims worship him?

### PSHE: Dreams and Goals (Jigsaw)

### Computing: I.T around us- computing systems and networks. (TEACH Computing)

## Curriculum Information

### Year 2

Mrs Van der Schaff, Mrs Whitby,  
Mrs Spencer & Miss May

### PE: Gymnastics & Sending and Receiving. (Get Set 4 PE)

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## Useful Websites

### Phonics and English

Phonics Play- <https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>

Reading Eggs- <https://readingeggs.co.uk/>

Oxford Owl- <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/help-child-learn-age-6-7/>

### Maths

Top marks (maths game) <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/mathsgames/5-7-years/counting>

BBC bitesize- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zjxhfg8>

Numbots- <https://play.numbots.com/#/account/school-login/101403>

Oxford owl <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/kids-activities/fun-maths-games-and-activities/>

TT Rock Stars <https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school/student/101403>

Hit the button - <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/mathsgames/hit-the-button>

GFOL game <http://www.fireoflondon.org.uk/game/>

<https://www.hantsfire.gov.uk/kidzone-and-schools/frances-the-firefly/>

## Recommended Reads

### Books to read in Year 2

- Secret Sky Garden by Linda Sarah
- The Enchanted Wood by Enid Blyton
- George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl
- Milo Imagines the World by Matt de la Pena
- Code Name Bananas by David Walliams
- The Famous Five Collection by Enid Blyton
- Secret Sky Garden Paperback by Linda Sarah

### Topic books

- The Great Fire Of London (Beginning History) by Liz Gogerly
- Toby and The Great Fire of London by Margaret Nash
- The Great Fire of London: Anniversary Edition of the Great Fire of 1666 by Adams, Emma

## Optional Home Learning Ideas

- Visit the Museum of London  
[https://www.museumoflondon.org.uk/museumlondon?gclid=EA1aIQobChMlivyYq5D28QIVg6rVCh2F9gPnEAAYASAAEgIEk\\_D\\_BwE](https://www.museumoflondon.org.uk/museumlondon?gclid=EA1aIQobChMlivyYq5D28QIVg6rVCh2F9gPnEAAYASAAEgIEk_D_BwE)
- Visit Pudding Lane and The Monument to the Great Fire of London
- Play the Great Fire of London game - <http://www.fireoflondon.org.uk/game/>
- Write a diary of your week like Samuel Pepys
- Research 'The Plague'. What can you find out about it?
- Make a Great Fire of London timeline. What are the key events?
- How did London adapt after the Great Fire of London?
- Walk to your local fire station and see what you can spot. Send a post card to the firefighters to thank them for what they do for us.
- Look around your house and find things that keep us safe (e.g. smoke alarm)

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