



Newsletter Y1 and Y2 Autumn Term 2 2022

Our class texts...

This term, Y1s and Y2s are learning all about The Great Fire of London.



Key Learning this term...

This term Y1s and Y2s are learning all about our capital city London in our exciting topic 'Bright Lights Big City'. Along our journey to our capital city we will be finding out about the countries that make up 'The United Kingdom'.

In science we will explore a range of materials and their properties and take part in experiments to find out more about waterproofing and absorbency!

We will continue to use our new maths scheme - Power Maths. We will learn about addition and subtraction (to 10 - y1s/to 100 - y2s). Please refer to the maths homework online to see how you can help your child or ask an adult in class 1.

In English, we will read 'The Gingerbread man' (a tale about a character flaw) and write our own version of the story. We will also read and write list poems, instructions linked to making a gingerbread man and recounts.

In history, we will find out about the Great Fire Of London in 1666, We will discover why it happened (a fire in the bakery), the events of the fire and what happened as a result.

In RE lessons, we will discover why and how Christians celebrate Christmas.

Save the date!

Anti-Bullying Week - week beginning Monday 14th Nov.

Infant Christmas Play - Monday 12th Dec - 6pm

PTA Christmas Bingo - Tuesday 13th Dec

Sleeping Beauty Panto at Buxton - Thursday 15th Dec

Christmas craft afternoon - Friday 16th Dec

Christmas party afternoon - Monday 19th Dec

Christmas dinner/church service - Tuesday 20th Dec

Reminders...

A new reading book will be given out each Friday and children will also choose a book from our class library

PE kits should be in school at all times. They will come home at the end of the half term for a wash.

Y1s and Y2s will be set a piece of maths homework on Education City (www.educationcity.com). This will be set each Friday. Please aim for your child to complete it over the weekend. Log in details will be provided at the front of their reading record.

Spellings will be given out on Mondays and children will have a spelling test on Fridays.

Recommended Read!

Children will love picking their favourite dogs and spotting the puppy in busy scenes. This hilarious picture book is a great way to introduce children to Christmas traditions.

