

English

Term 1: Writing to Entertain

- Descriptions of London in different books and films
- Invitations to a Teddy Bear's picnic with Paddington bear.
- Descriptions of our teddy bears and different characters in London
- Paddington Bear adventure stories; retelling
- Plan and write own Paddington Bear adventure story

Term 2: Writing to Inform

- Labels, lists and captions: maps and London landmarks with descriptions.
- News report on the Great Fire of London
- Samuel Pepys' diary – diary entries and different points of view
- Non-chronological report on the Great Fire of London using everything they have learnt so far. Planning content and layout, sentence building and extended write

Maths

Year 1:

- Place value within 10
- Addition and subtraction within 10
- Shape

Year 2:

- x2, x5, x10 Time Tables
- Counting in 3s
- Place value to 100
- Addition and subtraction
- Shape
- Money

Science

Seasonal Changes

1. Observe changes across the four seasons
2. Observe and describe how day length varies by exploring the average number of hours of daylight in Autumn.
3. Observe and describe weather associated with Autumn.
4. Gather and record data to help in answering questions.
5. Observe changes across the four seasons by exploring how some animals adapt to survive in Winter.

Plants

1. Identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees
2. Identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees
3. Observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants
4. Find out and describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy

Computing

Programming – Algorithms

- Write the algorithm and code for a simple animation for others to watch Daisy the Dinosaur
- Complete challenge algorithms and design their own algorithms.

Presentation

- Create storyboards based on a book and create speech bubble pictures

Year 1/2 Cycle A Autumn Term London



Music

Percussion

- Bongo and djembe drums – strokes
- Simple beats
- Slow rock rhythms
- Fast rock rhythms
- Country rhythms
- Pop rhythms

Ukulele

- Parts of the ukulele
- Strumming
- C / Am / F major chords

PE

- Running
- Jumping
- Dance
- Gymnastics

PSHE

Me and My relationships

- Classroom rules
- Feelings and bodies
- Good friends
- Listening
- Bullying and teasing
- Types of bullying
- Being a good friend

Geography

- Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography in the context of the UK.
- Understand the differences between a 'town' and the 'countryside'.
- To name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the UK and its surrounding seas.
- Locate the UK using a map
- Understand what an aerial view shows.
- Explain what London is like using key words.
- Compare Brasilia to London and identify geographical similarities and differences.

History

- Develop an awareness of the past. Compare past and present London.
- Explain how people live now is different to how people lived in 1666.
- To order the events of The Great Fire of London.
- Understand some of the ways in which we find out about the past.
- Explain how we know about The Great Fire of London.
- Explain how London changed after The Great Fire.
- Describe London before, during and after the Great Fire.
- Fire Safety then and now. Compare modern fire fighting methods with those in the 17th Century.

Art

Landscapes and Cityscapes

Bright colours and bold brushstrokes when painting landscapes and cityscapes. *Claude Monet, Van Gogh, Jean Metzinger*
Sparks and Flames

Create pieces of art themed around The Great Fire of London. Chalks, paints, collage and mixed media.

DT

Teddy Bears' Picnic

Explore different picnic foods and where they have come from. How to make Teddy Bear Biscuits using a set of instructions. Design, make and evaluate Teddy Bear sandwiches.

Homes

Explore different houses and identify shapes and features. Investigate how to join and combine shapes to make a house. Design, make and evaluate a Tudor house.

MFL – German

- Greeting words and phrases
- Numbers up to 10
- Numbers and key phrases in a children's story
- Say your age
- Months of the year and Birthdays
- Colours
- Animals
- Apply knowledge to understand mixed-up Chameleon
- German Christmas song
- Happy Christmas in German
- Christmas traditions in Germany

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Belonging

- Belonging and caring in families
- Belonging in schools and the community
- Belonging to a Christian family
- Baptism and Jesus's baptism
- **Diwali and Christmas**
- Hindu Celebration of Light
- Christmas – gifts, Jesus' birth and the Wise Men
- Celebrations in Church