

This term our theme is

## The Great Fire of London



### Science

#### Living Things and their habitats–

Identify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats including micro habitats. Create a **simple food chain** and the effects of changes in these chains.

**Animals** Recognise the basic needs of survival for animals and recognise how they have adapted to live in different environments including rainforests and deserts.

**Plants** Understand the needs of plants to allow them to germinate and grow and survive.

### PE



**Gymnastics & Dance** To learn To perform dances using simple movement patterns.

**Ball Skills:dodging and use of feet**

**PSHCE** To use a mindful approach to PSHE focusing on Dreams and Goals. Children explore ways of preparing themselves for learning and working together to achieve a goal. They will focus on their strengths and the importance of persevering even when they find a task difficult.

### Music

Explore how sounds can be used descriptively and combined and organised into a class composition.

### Literacy

#### Narrative:

The children will study Traditional Tales – Creation Myths and use their understanding to write a creation myth of their own.

#### Non-fiction:

Reports - They will study the format of reports and then assemble information on our theme and science which will then be used to write their own reports.

**Poetry** – the focus for our poems this term will be shape poems linked to our theme.

## Monet and Turner

### Year 2

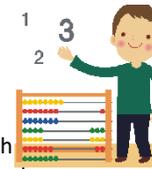
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### Mathematics

The children will develop their skills in counting in even steps from 0 in multiples of 2,3,5 and 10 from any number, forward and backwards.

They will learn to recognise the place value of each digit in a two digit number and to compare and order numbers. These skills will be applied to solve number problems . Children will develop their understanding of fractions.

Standard units to estimate and measure including selecting the correct unit of measurement including learning about time.



**Computing** To learn about the World Wide Web and use recommended sites for research. To log on to the school network and save, locate and edit work using their space on the network. To use technology safely and considerately, including not sharing personal details online.

**History** The Great Fire of London -

Develop a sense of chronology and consider why the Great Fire happened; what occurred and its results.



### Art

Investigate tone and explore how colours can be mixed to create the required colour for the picture. Explore shading and its use to produce shadows.

### DT

**Vehicles** – to use wheels and axles to assemble different vehicles.

To use hand tools safely and appropriately.

### Geography



The children will continue to develop their understanding of countries, continents and oceans.

**RE** Our focus for this term is Justice and fairness. The children will reflect on ideas about what is right and wrong. They will consider how spiritual and moral values influence the behaviour and choices of themselves and of others. Explore and develop their knowledge and understanding of religions.