

YEAR 2



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Coming up next week...5/12/2022

Maths

Learning in school:

This week in maths, we will be recapping our previous learning about multiplication and division. We will be doing different activities to consolidate the children's understanding of division and then we will focus on multiplication as the inverse of division.

English

Learning in school:

This week in English, we will continue to write the fact file about the Great Fire of London. Children will be focusing on the section *how do we know about the Great Fire of London*, which is a link to the history lesson about reliable historical sources. They will then continue to complete their fact files by drawing pictures and adding labels and captions.

Reading:

This week will be focusing on a non-fiction text about Tutankhamun.

Please continue to read at home and upload your comments onto the 'BoomReader' app.

SPAG

Learning in school:

The children will be applying all of the taught spelling patterns so far.

Phonics

Learning in school:

Children will be consolidating their learning of the /f/ sound spelt 'ph', /w/ sound spelt 'wh', /ee/ sound spelt 'ie' and the /j/ sound spelt 'g'. The children will be practising reading and writing words using these sounds. We will also continue to practise reading the tricky words - friend, once, our, because, laugh

Topic

Learning in school:

Inside PE: Children will be using counts of 8 to help them stay in time with the music and collaborating whilst they rehearse a class performance.

Outside PE: Children will be developing co-ordination and combining jumps focusing on keeping their body upright and remembering the rhythm - jump, bend, jump, bend.

Music: Children will be practising the Christmas songs that they will be singing at the Christmas performance.

History: Children will imagine that they are town planners and they will be rebuilding London after the Great Fire of London focusing on suitable materials and placement of buildings.

PSHE: Children will be recapping trip safety in preparation for our trip to the church on Wednesday 7th December.

Computing: Children will be creating a table of data on a spreadsheet and using the data to create a block graph.

Homework

Weekend Homework - Friday 2nd December 2022

Great Fire of London Comprehension.

A comprehension is when you read a text and then answer questions about it to show that you have understood what you have read. When answering questions in a comprehension you write the answers in full sentences.

Read the text about the Great Fire of London. Answer the questions in your book using full sentences.

1. When did the Great Fire of London?
2. Where did the fire start?
3. What was the name of the baker?
4. Why did the people of the city have to fight the fire?
5. Give one reason why the fire spread so easily?
6. On what day did the fire destroy St Paul's Cathedral?
7. What were the new buildings made of when they were rebuilt?
8. When did the fire service start?

Remember to write the date, use a sharp pencil and use neat handwriting. You could draw a picture to illustrate your work.

Homework is due in by Wednesday 7th December 2022

Additional notes and reminders

Year 2 Christmas Production:

Tuesday 13th December 10.15 and Wednesday 14th December 9:15.

Christmas Lunch 7th December. Children can wear their Christmas jumper if they wish.

Wednesday 7th December Trip to Worcester Park Baptist Church

Christmas Production Costume Request

To support us in producing our Christmas play we are asking for your help in providing the following costumes for the children.

All children will need dark coloured trousers/tracksuit bottoms/leggings and they will need a Christmas jumper or a bright coloured jumper.

We appreciate that they need their jumper for Christmas lunch on the 7th December but please can we have all named costumes in a named carrier bag by Friday the 9th December.

If your child requires a **different** costume, their teacher will be in touch with you separately.

If you need any help with anything at all please let your class teacher know. Many thanks for your help.

Class email addresses:

Please do not use these email addresses to tell us about changes to pick up, as we do not always have the opportunity to check the class email addresses during the school day.

Leopards: leopards@mead.surrey.sch.uk

Bears: bears@mead.surrey.sch.uk

Monkeys: monkeys@mead.surrey.sch.uk

Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.