

# Fire, Fire!

The Queen has asked us to investigate important events in our capital's history. We will look at the Gunpowder Plot and the Great Fire of London.

Our English work will read *The Great Fire of London* by Emma Adams. We will write recounts, reports and letters.

We will also explore shape poetry (calligrams) and start to look at different sentence types.

In maths, we will finish addition and subtraction. We will also look at money and multiplication.



In science, the children will link our everyday materials topic to famous inventors.

For example: Charles Mackintosh



In history, we will show an awareness of the past and describe where significant historical events and people fit within a timeline.

We will continue to look at the geography of the UK.

In art and design, we will look at famous cityscapes and discuss our favourites. We will then, inspired by these artworks, create our own cityscapes. In DT, we will bake. The children will discuss safety in the kitchen and bake bread to accompany their lunch.

Our computing focus will be e-safety and looking at the different tools we have in school to support safety online.

Our PSHCE units this half term are anti-bullying and managing change.

In PE, we will explore dance and create different movements with a fire theme.

Mrs Morris will take the class for RE, music and show and tell on a Thursday afternoon. Our RE question will be Why is Christmas an important celebration for Christians? and in music they will complete the Charanga unit Ho Ho Ho.

