

L O N D O N N

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.

Key Texts: Time for Treason by Ann Turnball The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark by Jill Tomlinson
The Great Fire of London by Emma Adams

English

- Calligrams (shape poems) with a firework night theme
- Gunpowder plot recounts
- Diary entries (Samuel Pepys)
- Newspaper reports
- Story structure

Magic Spell

- Ur spelt or after w
- -le at the end of a word and following a consonant
- Adding suffixes to words ending in e and with a consonant before it
- ee spelt ey
- R spelt wr
- Sentences types – statement, question, exclamation, command

Science

We will continue our materials unit and look at inventors.

- Transparency
- Recycling
- What is an inventor?
- Charles Macintosh
- Waterproofing
- Becoming an inventor

Maths

We will continue to look at addition and subtraction. We will then move on to multiplication.

- Number bonds to 100
- Adding and subtracting with 2-digit numbers
- Introducing column method
- Word problems

History & Geography

We will show awareness of the past and describe where significant historical events and people fit within a timeline.

We will name, place and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the UK.

Art & Design

This half term, we will look at cityscapes. We will create our own artwork inspired by Van Gogh, Lowry, Klee, Monet and O'Keefe.

The children will also plan and make bridges. We will cook bread like the bakers on Pudding Lane.

RE & PSHCE

We will look at festivals of light. In PSHCE, the children will look at managing change.

Music & Computing

Charanga Unit – I Wanna Play in a Band

The children will use Purple Mash to explore winter stories.

PE

This half term, we will focusing ball skills in football and we will complete a Great Fire of London dance unit.

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