Topic - Bonfire Night and The Great Fire of London

Our key questions for Bonfire Night and The Great Fire and London are Should we still celebrate Bonfire Night? Did the Great Fire make London a better or worse place?

Students will enjoy building models, being creative with music to show how the fire moved, explore feelings, use a map to look at London, and explore how people put out fires in the past compared to now.

English

Students have begun this term reading the Bear and the Piano. Everyone enjoyed exploring what it would be like to be the successful bear and role played being interviewed by Newsround. We will continue to explore the story for another week fully immersing in the text to be able to write a retell.

Our next story will be The Smartest Giant in Town.





Science

This term we will be exploring all about materials in science. We will learn how different objects are made from different materials, for example, wood, glass, plastic and metal. Students will investigate the properties of the materials and discuss their flexibility, if they are waterproof, how tough the material is etc. It will be a fun, hands on topic full of experiments which may include a Curly Wurly in one of them!





Newsletter - Autumn Term 2025

Robin Class

Welcome to Robin's Curriculum Newsletter. This is a summary of the learning planned for the Autumn Term.

If you have any concerns about your child's learning please contact Miss Sidney directly, in the first instance.

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Maths

Over the Autumn term, we will be learning that doubling numbers 6—9 gives an even teen number; halving a even teen number gives a number 6 –9.



Students will then expand on this knowledge by exploring addition and subtraction. They will learn that addition and subtraction facts within 10 can be applied to addition and subtraction facts to 20.



Forest School

Robin will continue to have forest school on a Monday afternoon and can come to school in their own clothes.

PE / Swimming

Robin will have PE on a Tuesday afternoon. Students must attend school in uniform and can change into their PE kit in school which will remain in school.

Swimming will continue to take place on Thursdays. Please send kit in on this day and attend school in uniform.

Art—London's Burning

Art this term is linked to our topic. We will be exploring ancient buildings and London to create beautiful pieces of art in a variety of styles.



RE

This term we will be answering the key question, Who made the world?

We are exploring the Bible story of how God made the world in seven days. Students will be thinking about what this story teaches Christians about caring for the Earth. It is a meaningful topic that encourages reflection, respect, and responsibility.

Diary Dates

24/09/25—Flu Vaccines 26/09/25—European Day of Languages 29/09/25—Book Fair arrives 29/09/25—St Michael's Day