

### English – linked to The Great Fire of London topic

Writing—Instructions, diary entries, stories, descriptive writing.

Poetry and rhyme linked to the Great Fire of London

Spelling, punctuation and grammar lessons in line with the National Curriculum.

Weekly spelling patterns, applying phonics knowledge and focus words to develop vocabulary

Reading a range of genres in Guided Reading and reading homework.

Class text - Toby and the Great Fire of London

### Science- Living Things and their Habitats

Explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead, and things that have never been alive

Identify the habitats of different animals and describe how animals and plants depend on each other.

Identify a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including micro-habitats

Describe simple food chains.

### Maths

**Number and Place Value**—Numbers to 20, Numbers to 100, Recognise the tens and ones in a 2 digit number, spelling numbers in words, Partitioning numbers. Counting in 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s, placing 10s on a number line.

**Addition and Subtraction**—2 digit numbers.

### Important Dates

KSI Harvest Worship — Friday 6th October 9:10am

Parents evening - Tuesday 24th (3:45-5:30pm) and Thursday 26th (4:30-6:30pm) October.

Break up for Half term - Thursday 26th October

Back to School - Monday 6th November

### History

Events beyond living memory - Great Fire of London 1666

Samuel Pepys/  
Christopher Wren

Understanding chronology

### Geography

To locate capital cities on a map.

Orienteering

### Art

Work in the style of Wassily Kandinsky.

Drawing and technical skills.

Working with colour.

### DT

Making Tudor houses

Baking bread

### Music

Call and response songs

Ukulele with Mrs James - Wednesdays

### MFL

French numbers 1-10.

French greetings.

French instructions

### Computing—Information Technology Around Us

Children will develop their understanding of what information technology (IT) is and will begin to identify examples. They will discuss where they have seen IT in school and beyond, in settings such as shops, hospitals, and libraries. Learners will then investigate how IT improves our world, and they will learn about the importance of using IT responsibly.

### PSHE/Citizenship

Keeping safe and managing risk: Indoors and outdoors

Keeping safe in the home, including fire safety.

Keeping safe outside. Road safety

## Great Fire of London

### Year 2 Curriculum overview

Autumn 1



Cookridge Holy Trinity  
Church of England (A) Primary School

### RE

Creation -  
the creation story.

Harvest

Christian value -  
Respect

### Physical Education

Please note that P.E. will be taught on MONDAYS and WEDNESDAYS.

Real PE:

Coordination - footwork

Static Balance - one leg

### Homework

Please see separate sheet regarding homework expectations.