

Year 2

Weekly learning

Information about some of the things we will be learning in the week beginning 13th December 2021



English This week we will be writing a diary entry for the Great Fire of London inspired by all the learning we have done about Samuel Pepys.

We will be looking to add in details about what we saw, what we heard and how we were feeling. We will be focusing on saying our sentences out loud before we write them down. We will check each sentence has a capital letter and full stop. We will then read our diary out loud to check it makes sense.

Maths:

This week in maths we will be looking at some Christmas puzzles and problems. The children will be using their arithmetic learning from this term including adding tens and ones and taking away 2 digit numbers.

Thank you for all your support this term with the home learning that comes home at the end of the week to consolidate the work in school.

Math Game

$$\text{gingerbread man} = 8 \quad \text{star} = 2 \quad \text{tree} = 6 \quad \text{snowflake} = 4$$

$$\text{star} + \text{tree} + \text{gingerbread man} = \square$$

$$\text{tree} + \text{snowflake} - \text{star} = \square$$

$$\text{gingerbread man} - \text{star} + \text{tree} = \square$$

RE: This week we will be sequencing all of the events of the Christmas story and celebrating our learning of our topic 'Preparations'. Maybe you could read the Christmas story or watch a video online at home to remind your child of what happened in the first Christmas. We will be thinking of activities that we would like to do to celebrate our learning in class. In the past, children have decided on activities, such as, painting pictures from stories they have heard, making little booklets of bible stories they have heard and making prayer cards.



PE

This week in PE we will be getting into the festive spirit and enjoying Christmas related activities. We will be practising our core skills through 'Elf training' activities such, as rolling our 'snowballs' in a lane without touching the sides.

Our PE days:

2S Friday and Wednesday

2J Friday and Tuesday

Please come to school in PE clothes instead of uniform on these days.



ICT



This week we have put some more Christmas activities as 2Dos for the children to do on purple mash. This includes painting activities (Christmas stocking, present), games and quizzes (Christmas jigsaw, Christmas pairs), and writing projects (winter scene, Christmas story storyboard).

Topic - DT/Art

This week we will be making Christmas cards for loved ones using different materials. We will be discussing what messages are written in Christmas cards, and then we will compose our own season's greeting to write inside our cards.



P.S.H.E. (Personal, Social, Health Education)

This week we will be reflecting on the past year, thinking about what has gone well and what could have gone better. We will discuss what our hopes are for next year and will make calendars for 2022.

