

Year Two – Home Learning Grid - Autumn Term 2 - 2020

Topic	Fire! Fire!					
English	<p>Challenge Activity: We will be learning all about Samuel Pepys' Diary that he wrote during The Great Fire of London. Write a weekend diary (Friday, Saturday & Sunday) of things you did. Remember to include how you felt also.</p>	<p>Keep this homework for December</p> <p>Write a Winter/Christmas themed poem. It could be an acrostic poem, shape poem or a sense poem.</p> <p>Think about alliteration, similes and onomatopoeia – can you included these in your poem?</p>				
Maths	<p>Go on shape hunt around your home, garden, local park.</p> <p>Make a list of the 2D and 3D shapes you can find.</p>	<p>Practise writing 3 digit numbers (choose at least 5) up to 120</p> <p>For example: One hundred and 6 = 106 One hundred and 18 = 118</p> <p>Common Year 2 mistake: one hundred and 5 written as 1005</p>				
Science and the outside environment	<p>Go for a walk (keeping social distancing in mind) to Market Square in Banbury town centre. Look at the old Tudor style buildings. How are they different from your home? Draw a picture of a Tudor style building and your house. Label the materials that both are made with.</p>	<p>This term we will be investigating properties of materials and how these make them suitable for different jobs. Find out with the following properties mean:</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; text-align: center;"> <tr> <td style="width: 25%;">waterproof</td> <td style="width: 25%;">opaque</td> <td style="width: 25%;">transparent</td> <td style="width: 25%;">translucent</td> </tr> </table>	waterproof	opaque	transparent	translucent
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Humanities	<p>Map skills</p> <p>Find out how far your house is from London (you could use Google maps). How could you travel to London? How long would it take you? Would you be travelling North, East, South, West?</p>	<p>Challenge Activity: Using books from the library or the internet, create an information page about The Great Fire of London.</p>				
Art, DT, PE	<p>Challenge activity: Design and build a fire engine. This could be made from Lego, paper, junk modelling, cake – be as creative as you can.</p>	<p>Watch clips on YouTube of firework displays or you may even see some out your window on Bonfire Night. Create a colourful firework display picture.</p>				

Each week choose one item from the grid. For the time being, UPLOAD your homework to Class dojo by 12pm Thursday each week (do not bring sheets of paper into school with homework).

Remember that part of your home learning is also to read at home at least three times a week. This needs to be recorded in your yellow reading diary and signed by an adult in order to move up the Reading Rainbow. Like homework, upload a photo of your reading diary comments to dojo and we will tick off your reads each week.

Times Table Rock Stars is also available for you to use to practise your maths skills.