

Year 2 News

Year 2 have continued their learning about the Great Fire of London. In History, we have been looking at sources of evidence which explain some of the reasons why the fire spread so quickly and was very difficult to put out. There was also a surprise visit from Samuel Pepys himself and children prepared questions so that they could interview him. They discovered a lot about his working life and his family as well as his famous diary. We also started to learn some fantastic songs about the Great Fire in readiness for our Year 2 class assemblies after half-term.



In PE, we have been developing a range of skills including underarm throwing and catching and have played different competitive team games. We used tennis rackets and foam balls to introduce skills linked to tennis.

In Science, the children have continued learning about materials and looked at what everyday objects are made from. This week we have particularly focused on the scientific language used to describe materials and their properties.

In Maths, the children have been continuing their work on addition and subtraction. We have looked at a wide range of resources and written methods that the children can use to support their calculations.

Coming up...

The children will continue to learn about the Great Fire and will be writing a newspaper article about the main events that took place including eye witness accounts.

After Year One's success earlier in the term, Year Two will be inviting parents and carers to the 'Year Two Reading Café' on Thursday 17th October at 9am. We look forward to seeing you there!

In Maths the children will continue to focus on addition and subtraction. They will be learning how to combine tens and ones for addition, use number lines for subtraction and how to add three 1-digit numbers.