



Year 2

AUTUMN 1

Fire Fire

This term we will be finding out about a significant event in British history, The Great Fire of London. We will be learning about fire fighting in the past and present and making our own 3D scene from a range of materials. We will also learn about some key people from the time. We will also be using and making our own maps of London. During R.E. we will explore what we can learn from sacred books and stories. We will also be learning about special celebrations. In Science we will be learning about materials.

In Literacy we will look at instructional writing ending with our first independent Gold Write.

You can support your child's learning at home by:
Reading - Read as often as possible with your child. Your child will take part in a guided reading session once a week. However, there may be opportunities for individual reading so please ensure that your child's reading record comes to school every day.

Spelling - logging on to Spellzone and supporting your child to spend at least 20 minutes per week working on their personal pathway.

Mental maths - complete each day and send back to school on Monday. Use Times Tables Rockstars to practise times tables.

Doing /making -Topic related arts and crafts. Such as fire painting and baking.

Visiting - The library is always a good place to visit. It has a wealth of books for the children to enjoy and broaden their reading. For those of you feeling adventurous you could travel further a field and visit London; Pudding Lane and The Monument.

At Hazeldene, we love to see what you get up to so please feel free to send us pictures on dojo, or add them to your child's dojo page!

Key information:

PE days: Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Don't forget children come to school wearing their PE kits on these days. Please check the school website for our PE uniform.

Please ensure that ear-rings are removed on P.E. days, or that your child is taught to remove them.

If your child's ears have not yet healed please tape them at home.

If your child wears tights please provide them with socks for P.E. Thank you.



Key dates:

Staff in year 2: Mrs Hall, Mrs Pocock, Mrs Sangster