



**Ash Class
Year 2
Autumn Term 2021**

Creative Curriculum:

History

Our History topic this term is based on a significant event beyond living memory, The Great Fire of London. We will be learning about how the fire started and the impact it had, developing understanding on why people acted as they did.

Geography

We will begin by learning about the four countries within the United Kingdom and their capital cities. We will then proceed to look at the capital city of London in greater detail.

Science:

During this term, our Science will be linked to Everyday Materials. The children will be exploring the properties of different materials, making observations and conducting an experiment, finding out which balls are the bounciest!

English:

This term, we will be recapping our sentence writing skills. We will be reminding ourselves that all sentences have capital letters and full stops, whilst moving on to more advanced punctuation, including question marks and commas. There will also be a big focus on developing our handwriting skills, using the correct letter formation and consistently using cursive lettering.

Our English units this term will be related to our topic of 'London's Burning'. First, we will be exploring the exciting tale of The Baker's Boy and the Great Fire of London. Followed after half-term by the narrative, Vlad and the Great Fire of London.

We will also develop our non-fiction writing, through writing our own well-structured explanation texts on how to put out a fire.

London's Burning!



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Mathematics:

The children will start the term by learning about number and place value. They will then apply this understanding to addition and subtraction learning formal and informal methods.

Additionally, we will also be placing a strong emphasis on recall and fluency with times tables and corresponding division facts. This September, we are incredibly excited to officially re-launch TT Rockstars.

Computing:

In Computing sessions, children will have the opportunity to develop their coding and programming skills.

Religious Education:

We will be considering the question: 'Who should you follow?' After half-term, we will be reflecting on 'Do religions mean the same to everyone?'

Physical Education:

P.E. during the Autumn Term will be focusing on multi-skills.

With our P.E. coach Jack, children will be participating in the invasion games of football and rugby.

P.S.H.C.E:

With Mrs Cresswell, children will begin the term focusing on Healthy Lifestyles.

After half-term, the children will be covering a 'Keeping Safe' topic.