

English

- Say and write a series of simple sentences leaving finger spaces and using capital letters and full stops correctly.
- Use capital letters for names of people and places.
- Write factual sentences with conjunctions about London landmarks to create a non-fiction page.
- Add more detail to sentences by using e.g. expanded noun phrases
- Orally rehearse and retell familiar stories based on London.
- Practise and apply alternative graphemes for the sounds we already know.
- Recall what has been read.
- Form all letters using the correct pattern and begin to join handwriting.

Mathematics

- Read and write numbers to at least 100.
- Recognise the place value of tens and ones in a 2-digit number.
- Count to 100 forwards and backwards and from different starting points.
- Count forwards and backwards in 2s, 5s and 10s.
- Know addition facts within 10 and 20.
- Subtract by 'taking away'.
- Understand multiplication and division in terms of equal grouping.
- Write simple fractions.

Science- Materials and their Uses

- Man-made and natural materials
- Properties of materials
- What would be the best material for....
- How do new materials get invented?

Humanities- London and the Great fire.

Our topic centres on the history of The Great Fire of London and we will also learn about London as it is today.

- Know where we live and locate London, Shropshire and Prees on a map of the UK.
- Name popular landmarks in London and talk about how London is the same/ different to our own locality.
- Know how the Great Fire started and how it spread and ended.
- Learn about Samuel Pepys and how his diary is historical evidence.
- Learn about how London has changed.



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

Celebrating Difference

- Looking at differences between boys and girls and stereotyping.
- Know how to help someone if they are being 'bullied.'
- Being kind and understanding we are all different and special.

Music

- Learn simple songs and sing in two parts. (including London's Burning)
- Accompany a song by playing a steady beat and a repeated pattern.
- Listen to and say what we think about a piece of music.
- Create simple repeated rhythm patterns.

Art and Design

- Explore paintings of the Great Fire of London.
- Create shades of red, orange and yellow and learn about primary and secondary colours.
- Create artwork of the Great Fire using a range of materials such as charcoal, paint and oil pastels.
- Explore the pencil drawings of London landmarks by Stephen Wiltshire.

Design Technology

- Explore and taste a range of breads. Learn how bread is made. (like in Pudding Lane)
- Design and make flavoured breads.
- Taste and evaluate our bread.

R.E

- Look at stories from Christianity, Islam and Judaism.
- Share our favourite stories and stories from The Bible with our peers and make connections with our personal experiences.
- Recall what happens in well-known bible stories and learn some new stories from the bible and discuss what the morals of the stories are.

Computing

- Word processing skills- developing word processing skills, keyboard shortcuts and simple editing tools
- Scratch Jr- exploring programming of blocks and familiar stories.

P.E

- Understand the importance of healthy living and exercise.
- Learn to balance and show co-ordination in movement.
- Gymnastics
- Hockey
- **PE is on a Monday and Wednesday. Please come to school in your PE kit and with trainers.**

Welcome back to the new school term. We are looking forward to a busy and exciting term.

Please remember to...

- Come to school in a PE kit on a Monday and Wednesday.
- Bring a water bottle every day.
- Bring your reading book every day.
- Always bring a coat as we will go outside as much as we can and make sure that you have wellies in school.
- Contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

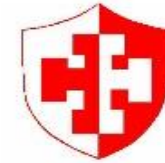
How can I help with my child's learning?

- Read as much as you can. Reading for just 10 minutes each day will help to support the work we are doing in school.
- Learn any sounds or spellings that are sent home.
- Make sure you can access and login to Seesaw to see the homework and messages we put on there.
- Visit the website below and play games to support learning in a fun way.
- 10 mins of Numbots/ TTRockstars every week- login sheets have been sent home

Phonics

www.phonicsplay.co.uk – Focus on Phase 5 and 6 games

Prees CE Primary School and Nursery



Curriculum Information for
Parents

Holly Class

Year 2

Spring Term 2024

The Great Fire of London

