

## Maths:

We will be following white rose maths and exploring

Place value

Addition and subtraction

Shape

Mrs.Berry will be covering different types of measure on a Thursday

We will also be revisiting our maths skills from Year 1 on a daily basis.

**English: Finding the mysterious objects. Who did these belong to?**

**Where had they come from? What are all of the unusual and amazing objects ?** Using adjectives to describe the objects. Creating a character - the traveller and writing in character describing your travels.

**Exploring John Burningham stories, including 'The magic bed'** Writing about our own imaginary worlds and creating stories. **The First Flight** - creating posters and writing accounts as if we were there!

**London and The Great fire** -fact files, postcards, diaries,

Mrs.Berry will also focus on handwriting on a Thursday. We will also continue some daily phonics and then move on to our spelling programme.

**Science:** Living things and habitats

Following our Year 1 work...

Exploring and comparing the difference between living, dead and those things that have never been alive. Introducing the word habitat and finding out about local habitats and world habitats and how animals are suited to these.

Learning about food chains.



## RE: Exploring Christianity:

**What is the good news Christians says Jesus brings?**

Exploring the stories in the gospel part of the bible and what they tell us. We will be exploring what it teaches us as Christians.

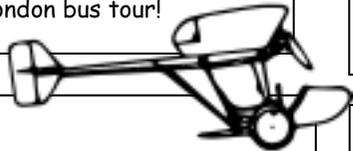
**Christmas - Jesus as a gift from God.** Why did God give Jesus to the world? Is God important to everyone?

## Year 2 Autumn Term: The great Year 2 travelling adventure!!

**Geography: The traveller.** Plotting the Traveller's journey using evidence from artefacts and a world map.

**Exploring the countries of the UK** with a little help from the Go-Jettors and their Funky facts! Finding out about flags, landmarks, traditions and stories.

**Our capital city.** Finding London on a map, recognising landmarks and creating our own London bus tour!



**History: The Wright Brothers, first flight.**

Watching real footage, role-play as if we were in the crowd, being news reporters, interviewing each other, creating posters to advertise, and designing our own planes.

**The Great Fire of London.** Exploring the events and the people involved. Discovering Samuel Pepys' diary. Roleplay and freeze frames.

## Computing:

**Technology around us** - looking at how we use technology in our lives and how to make smart choices.

**Digital photography** - Learning how to capture photos. Capture, edit and improve photos. Recognise that images they see may not be real.

**Music:** Mrs.Berry will continue to teach the children music and her focus will be on South African music.

**PSHE:** Mrs.Berry will continue to teach the children PSHE. Her focus will be on hopes and fears for the year.

## PE:

Throwing and catching skills with a partner and then with rackets.

Visiting the Leisure centre for some super swimming lessons. Outdoor education exploring the woods and creating dens.

## Design & Technology:

**Flying machines.** Find out about the first aeroplanes. Play with toys with axles and draw diagrams. Make axles and wheels and then use this to design our own travelling machine. Make a travelling machine with junk, dowel and wheels. Evaluate these.

**Crown Jewels.** Investigate, then design and make and evaluate our own. Use cutting and joining

## Art & Design:

**Developing our observational drawing skills and pen and pencil techniques,** looking closely at the mystery objects.

**The Magic Bed** - Exploring dream worlds by looking at the paintings 'Butterfly sails' and 'The elephants' by Salvador Dali. Water colour painting.

**Fingal's cave** - inspired by the music of Mendelsohn and the art of Turner, using chalk and charcoal to create stormy sea art.