Key Stage 1 Summer Term 1 Topic Summary

BRIGHT LIGHTS, BIG CITY!

This topic will run until the May half term. Below is a snapshot of some of the learning experiences that are planned.

Geography

Use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the UK & its countries.

Name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the UK and surrounding seas.

To ask & answer geographical questions e.g. What is this place like? What or who will I see in this place? What do people do in this place?

Use compass directions (NSEW).



History

The Great Fire of London

Know why events happened and what happened as a result

Describe historical events from Britain

Exploring historical evidence (artefacts in a history suitcase) and ask and answer questions about the past



English

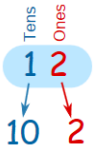
Vlad and the Great Fire of London





Katie in London

Maths



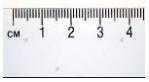


Number & place value

Addition & Subtraction

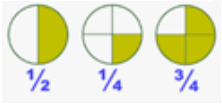
Multiplication & Division –

Measures









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Science

Plants



Art

City Skyline

Music

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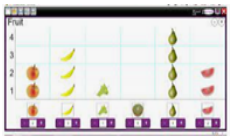
PE

Gymnastics – Net or Wall games

Computing

Legobuilders





Pictograms

Personal Development

Journey in Love – Emotional Health and prevention - Dental

Topic Hook

Reenactment of the Fire of London.



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https://st-thomas-mores-catholic-primary-school.secure-primarysite.net/year-1-2-mars-jupiter-neptune/

Bright Lights, Big City! – Learning Enquiry Homework

As part of our topic learning enquiry homework we would like the children in KS1 to complete at least one of the following activities over the coming weeks. They will be able to demonstrate their creative talents and share their findings with the whole class.

We hope you see this as an opportunity to support your child in their learning as well as having fun! All work produced will be on display in your child's classroom.

We look forward to seeing the results and would like the children to bring their completed projects into school as soon as they have completed it, but ideally by 6th May, so that they can share and celebrate each other's achievements.

May we take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support.

The KS1 Team

Collage Create your own fantasy city. Label your city to show what there is. What would the transport be like in this city?	**City walk** Go on a walk around a city... Look at the buildings. What are they like? Can you draw a map of the city? Can you write about your experience in the city?	**Library visit** Visit your local library and find either fiction or non-fiction books about London. Bring one to school to share with us.
Design Design a house suitable for the King. What type of house would he need? How many rooms will the house have? What colours do you think the King likes?	**Research** Find out about Samuel Pepys and write your own diary entry in role as Samuel Pepys, as if you were in the Great Fire of London. Imagine what you would see, smell, feel, hear and taste.	**Presentation** What can you find out about London or another exciting city that you may know about? Create a presentation, a scrap book or poster to share your findings.
Poems and rhymes London's Burning is a well-known rhyme all about the Great Fire of London. Can you make up your own rhyme, poem or song about this historical event?	**Capital cities of the UK** Find out about the capital cities of the United Kingdom. What would you see and do there if you went to visit them?	**Surprise us!** Come up with your own idea – we would love to see it!

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