



Homework Menu Autumn Term 1 - London's burning!

During the next few weeks, we would like you to select at least one challenge per week to complete. When you have completed your task, please bring it into class to share. You can also upload it on to class dojo as a new portfolio post. We would also like you to continue reading your book at least 4 times a week for 10 minutes and practise spellings and times tables. If your family have any questions please come and speak to Mrs Topping.

Also, this half term please could you practise your 2, and 10 times table and the related division facts. You can do this on TT rockstars - if you need any support please let me know.

EG.

$$1 \times 5 = 5$$

$$5 \times 1 = 5$$

$$5 \div 1 = 5$$

$$5 \div 5 = 1$$

TT Rockstars

Children need to know these multiplication and related division facts by the end of the year for the 2, 5, 3 and 10 times table.

We look forward to seeing what you are doing at home with your families.

Mrs Topping, Mrs Albutt and Mrs Thulborn

Spellings: please ensure your child learns the following words over the year. By the end of year 2, your child will be expected to know how to spell each one.

Year 2 common exception words						
door	wild	great	class	sure	clothes	Christmas
floor	most	break	grass	sugar	busy	everybody
poor	only	steak	pass	eye	people	even
because	both	pretty	plant	could	water	
find	old	beautiful	path	should	again	
kind	cold	after	bath	would	half	
mind	gold	fast	hour	who	money	
behind	hold	last	move	whole	Mr	
child	told	past	prove	any	Mrs	
children	every	father	improve	many	parents	



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Each week, choose an activity from the grid to complete at home.

Listen to the nursery rhyme 'London's Burning'



Can you come up with your own rhyme or add music to the original rhyme?

Challenge - Can you sing the song with someone else so that it creates a round?

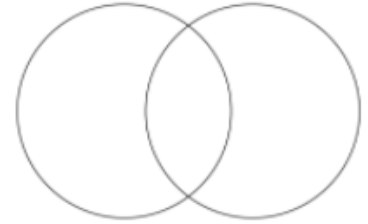
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5Atpbo3wOts>

Think about Fire Safety



Draw a poster or make a leaflet informing someone about fire safety.

Two different Great Fires



Can you research the 'Great Fire of Edingburgh'. Compare the similarities and differences between the two major fires. Draw a Venn Diagram to share what you have learnt.

Thomas Farriner



Poor Thomas's bakery has burnt down. Can you design and build him a new one? What will you use to build it? Lego? Playdough? Cardboard boxes?

The Great Fire of London



Be a baker!



Don your aprons and bake a new cake. Make sure you write the recipe so that someone else can make it.

Write a letter



Can you write a letter to Thomas Farriner explaining to him how he could stop the fire from happening again?

Can you create a problem?



Can you make some maths problems using the context of fire?

Eg, If there are 35 houses in a street and 13 of them burn down, how many are left?

Sewing Challenge



Can you use some old pieces of material to make a new apron to wear when cooking?