

## D&T

The Children will taste and evaluate a range of breads (linked to Pudding Lane bakery – GFoL) saying what they like and dislike. Children will design their own recipe (using basic one as a basis) to make their own bread, evaluating taste and appearance.

## Music

This term we will be learning to play the recorder; playing simple tunes, composing and performing to an audience.



**If your child already has a recorder at home or you can source one and send it in for your child to use this term that would be great.**

## R.E

We will be exploring who is Jewish and what they believe.



## Spanish

We will be learning months of the year and seasons in Spanish.

## Science

The children will be learning about materials. We will name and identify everyday materials and explore the properties and suitability of different materials.



## History

We will be looking at a historical event beyond living memory – Great Fire of London. We will develop an awareness of the past in the context of comparing present-day London to the London that existed before 1666 and find out how the fire started.



# Sparks Might Fly!

## Year 2 Spring 1

## Computing

The children will be continuing to explore coding. We will learn that one object can be used to control another object e.g writing code so clicking on a button gives an instruction to make a lorry move.

## Maths

We will revise our understanding of place value in numbers to 100 and use this to add and subtract 2-digit numbers. We will learn to tell the time on both analogue and digital clocks. We will look at the names and properties of 3D shapes. We will be problem solving using reasoning and logic skills with our Friday 'Chilli Challenge'.



## PSHE and Wellbeing

In PSHE, we will continue looking at how to stay safe outside and online. We will continue with our wellbeing activities such as yoga, meditation, circle time and mindfulness art.



**English** – Our spelling quiz will continue to be each **Friday. Book bags should be returned to school every Friday.** This half term we will be focusing on the book 'The Dragon Machine' by Helen Ward. Children will write an adventure story based upon the model text using own ideas for a change of characters and machine. We will continue to practise using conjunctions, expanded noun phrases, correct punctuation and different tenses in our writing.



**P.E** - Our P.E sessions for Spring term will be on Wednesdays. Please ensure your child comes to school dressed in **plain dark coloured joggers/ leggings, a plain white t-shirt/ polo-shirt, school jumper/cardigan and trainers.** This half term will be gymnastics. Children will roll in different ways including introducing the skill of a crouched forward roll, develop body tension, control and balance and moving with greater agility and coordination.