

# Woodpecker Hall Academy Learning Web: Year 1 Spring 1

## Inspiring Awe and Wonder:



Visit from our local Fire Brigade.

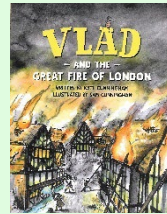
## Key Dates:

### Maths



This half term the children will learn to count in 2s, 5s, and 10s. They will continue to practise counting forwards and backwards to 100. The children will explore money and learn to identify coins and understand the different values. They will then add coins together and solve 1 step problems.

### English



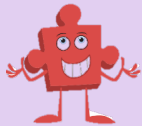
In English this half term, the children will read, act out and retell the story of Vlad and The Great Fire of London through oral rehearsal, story maps and story boards. They will use these skills to plan and write their own escape story to read to Year 2. They will also be learning how to write instructions and will use these skills to write their own instructions to make cupcakes and share this with you at home.

### Music



This term, the children will explore songs related to The Great Fire of London. They will learn to perform a melody on tuned percussion.

### PSHE & P4C: Dreams and Goals



The children will be setting and achieving their own goals showing resilience in the process. They will work with a partner and discuss the skills needed for good teamwork.

### Physical Education



#### Games – Boccia

The children will explore the inclusive sport of Boccia. Through this sport they will learn the importance of teamwork when playing both cooperatively and competitively.

#### Gymnastics

In gymnastics, the children will learn how to use equipment safely and the importance of staying healthy. They will focus on balancing on different parts of the body and explore wide, narrow and curling shapes using their body and explore linking movements together.

### History



This half term the children will be learning about The Great Fire of London. They will explore how the fire started, the role of the fire brigade and comparing firefighters' uniform and equipment from the past and present. They will end this topic by spending the day as firefighters from the past, racing to put pretend fires out using only buckets and working as a team. They will then safely burn their home learning project houses to re-enact The Great Fire of London.

### Spanish



This half term, the children will learn the names of classroom objects and colours and begin to request and describe classroom objects.

### Computing



This unit will introduce the children to programming and being able to programme a device to follow simple commands using toys such as BeeBots.

### Design & Technology



The children will explore sliders in books and follow instructions to make their own. They will then design make and evaluate their own slider inspired by The Great Fire of London.

