"Rabbi Zidni Ilma" My Lord, Increase me in Knowledge.

Year 2 Weekly Newsletter

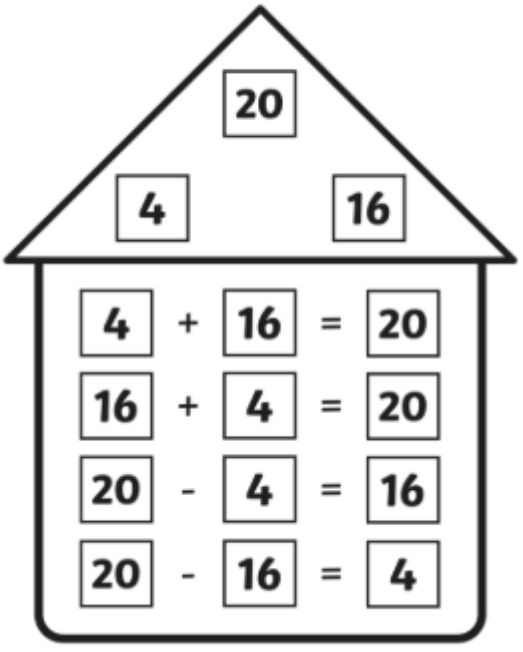
Week Beginning: 5.10.2026

Literacy: The Great Fire of London

This week, we started our new book, The Great Fire of London. We explored the use of past and present tense and created posters to inform tourists about London. We also took on the role of King Charles II and designed warning posters using commands to tell people what to do during the Great Fire of London.

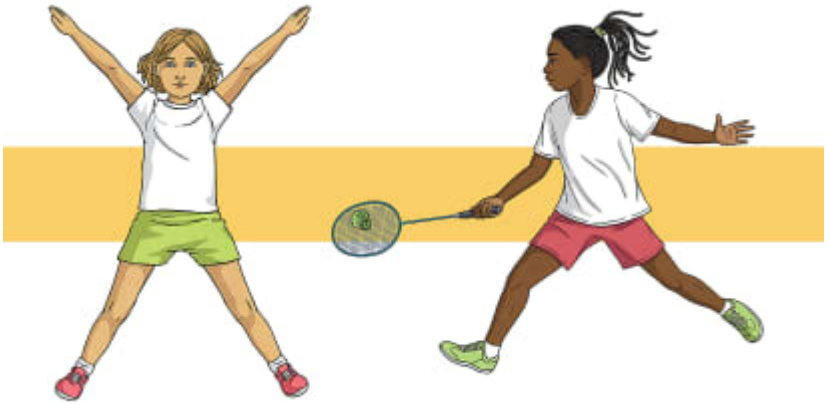
Maths: Addition and Subtraction

We began our new unit on addition and subtraction. We focused on number bonds to 10 and 20, as well as fact families. We explored how three numbers can be used to create four related number sentences, helping us understand the relationship between addition and subtraction.



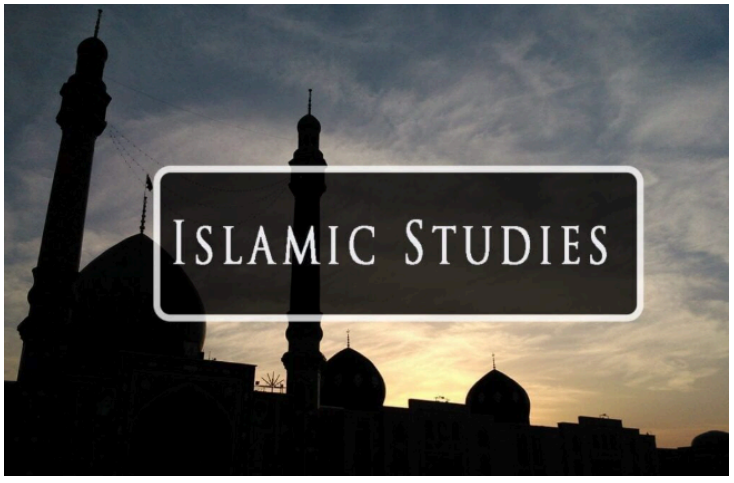
History: Great Fire of London

We explored what happened after the Great Fire of London, including how and why the city was rebuilt. We learned about the changes made to buildings and roads to help make London safer. We then took on the role of architects and designed our own versions of London, considering features such as brick buildings and wider roads.



Science: Animals including Humans

We investigated exercise and why it is important for our bodies and muscles. We took part in different physical activities, timed ourselves to see how much we could do in one minute and measured our heart rates to explore how exercise affects our bodies.

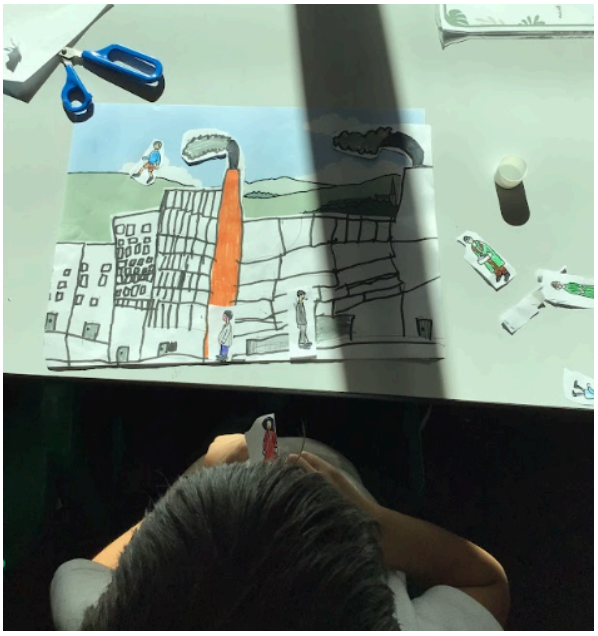


Islamic Studies

This week in Islamic studies as a part of our Fiqh section, children were taught about the things that break Wudhu. Children also learnt about the importance of Wudhu and cleanliness and how certain actions in Islaam require Wudhu. They were taught of the circumstances in which Wudhu breaks so that they can be prepared.

Phonics: ‘kn’

In phonics, we focused on the /n/ sound spelt kn, as in knee and know. In grammar, we explored subordinating conjunctions and how they help us join ideas and create more detailed sentences.



Art: LS Lowry

We created matchstick people to add to our cityscape collages. We will bring all our work together in our next lesson to complete our artwork.

Computing: Technology Around Us

We explored the history of information technology and how it has developed over time. We looked at early computers and compared them with the technology we use today, including modern devices such as smartwatches. We discussed how technology has changed and how it continues to be part of our everyday lives.

Poetry Competition

Congratulations to Noora, Amina and Radiyah for taking part in my Salah mat poetry competition. We are so proud of you. Mashallah

THIS WEEK'S STARS OF THE WEEK:

Noora, Amina, Radiyah & Maryam

PE Stars: Maryam and Abdullah

Masha Allah!

REMINDERS:

PE is on Wednesdays and Fridays

Homework is set on Friday and due in the next Tuesday.

Spelling tests on Thursdays.

Please practice handwriting/spelling and timetables daily.

Year 3 Team Members: Miss Brooks & Miss Munera