



Light, Dark and Fire!

This week we have been to a dark, dark street, in a dark, dark house. Down the dark, dark stairs, to a dark, dark cellar....where some skeletons live! We have thought about what light sources might help the skeletons, as well as building on our knowledge for the name of bones in our skeleton and discussing why we have a skeleton. Our skeleton pictures are amazing!



We have also discussed what we would like to learn about fire. The children are eager to find out how the Great fire of London was put out. Over the coming term we will be looking at evidence that has survived from the past, to help us find out what happened in 1666. The children have also decided that it would be good to learn how to keep safe around fire and fireworks. They decided that the best people to ask would be firefighters, so we have decided that we are going to write letters to them to see if they will come and visit us and help us find out about keeping safe.



We also want to ask them if we can make our own mini 'Fire of London' using models in the playground, and will they join us to help keep us safe!

Mrs Crellin is going to help us learn how to write letters, to send to the firefighters, to invite them to Kimpton school.

Reminders:

Please remember to bring in a water bottle everyday. Lots of you have forgotten to bring them in this week. **Make sure your name is on it please.**

Also, please name all hats, gloves and scarves.

Remember joggers or leggings and sweatshirts for outdoor PE

Girls- spare socks in your PE bag please, incase your wearing tights to school.

Next Week

We will be looking at fireworks and Guy Fawkes. We will be exploring words that make the sound they say such as: pop, zoom, wizz!

In DT we will be using our skills to make a moving picture of a rocket flying through the night sky.



We will also be sending home the spelling focus that we are working on in class—look out for this next week.

Home learning this week:

Name: Date:

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Please find the new home learning activities and sheets for this half term in your book bag.

They are also attached to this week's parent mail, as well as in our new Yr 1 class page on the new Kimpton school website

Please choose one of the six activities to have a go at this week.

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<p>Maths - Measuring</p> <p>Can you compare different measures? You may choose to compare how heavy things are: tins from the kitchen, a selection of toys, fruits and vegetables. You may put them in order from lightest to heaviest.</p> <p>You may choose to compare how long things are: could you find things in your home longer and shorter than 1 metre? 10 cm? 50? 1cm?</p>	<p>Science - Light and Dark</p> <p>Could you explore and find as many different light sources as you can? You may look at the rooms in your house, your garden, your route to school etc. Remember: the moon is not a light source.</p>	<p>DT - Moving Pictures</p> <p>Design and make your own moving picture, around our topic, to show to the class. Remember we have already explored and developed skills in how to use sliders, levers and split pins. You could make flaps to reveal things too.</p>
<p>English - Safety poster</p> <p>Can you make a poster to keep people safe with fireworks or near fire? Remember: Bold letters, headings, labels, captions, pictures, warnings.</p> <p>DO NOT play with matches or lighters!</p>	<p>English - Instructions</p> <p>We have been learning to use time conjunctions - first, next, later, after that then, finally to make instructions. Can you think of any others?</p> <p>Practise using these words to make or follow a set of instructions. It could be instructions for: 'How to make toast', or 'How to make a sandwich', or 'How to draw a house', or 'How to play a game'. You choose.</p>	<p>Music - "Fox in a Box"</p> <p>Can you find words that rhyme? They might be in a story book, a nursery rhyme, a poem, a song, a TV programme, in your head!</p> <p>P.S. Nonsense words that rhyme are acceptable too, as long as they rhyme.</p>

Remember: Home learning can be as creative as you like. It may be photos, something you have made, drawn etc. Please do not feel that something needs to be written on the home learning sheet every week, but children should be prepared to share every week, what they have looked at/made/talked about at home. Please send home learning in by Thursday. We share our home learning together on Friday.