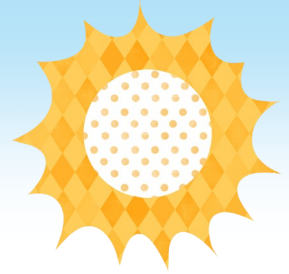


CARING, SHARING LEARNING TOGETHER

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Bringing Learning to Life!

We all know that the best way to learn is through experience. So how can you do this when you're learning about the Great Fire of London? Simple... invite a national theatre company into school! Year 2 have been lucky enough to have a visit from Freshwater Theatre this month, who have led exciting and fun filled workshops for each class. They have used dance, drama and a lot of imagination to help them really picture the scenes in London at the time. The teachers have been thrilled by the quality of the writing the children have produced afterwards—proving that there's nothing like fun to help us learn.



The fun never stops (and neither does the rain!)

Autumn is well and truly here! The rain is falling, the leaves are falling... but it hasn't stopped the fun in our Reception outdoor classroom. The children are still enjoying all the fun of the outdoors—only now they have wellies and coats to keep them warm and dry!



Hoops

Home

Howdy

Help!

Land Ahoy!



The school has been filled with 90 sea-loving, treasure-hunting pirates this

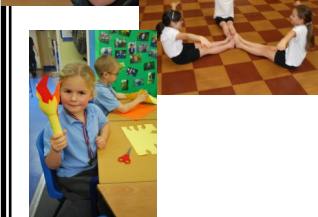
- month as Year 1 have been learning
- about pirates. They've practiced
- their design and making skills by
- making wonderful pirate hats and
- even the odd eye patch (no peg legs
- yet thankfully!) They topped off the
- fun with an amazing pirate party.



No Pens Day



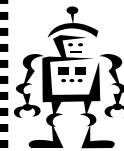
On 15th October the whole school put down their pens and joined in with national No Pens Day. The purpose of this day is to celebrate the role speaking and listening plays in children's learning and to dedicate a whole (fun) day to these important skills.



The children had such an amazing day and the school had such a wonderful atmosphere!

Click, Clack, Clonk

Year 3 have been showing off their writing talents this month by writing THE MOST IMPRESSIVE robot poems. They've practised their literacy skills, working hard on description, alliteration and rhyme, ready to produce their final poems. They've enjoyed writing them up in best for displays and reading them aloud for all to enjoy.



Bong, bong, boom go the robot legs

Click, clack clonk go the rusty arms

Drip, drap, drop goes the oil

Stretch and squeeze, springs like a coil

Rusty head as huge as a bed

Bumpy knees making a loud creak

Dingle dangle goes the bell

Whilst the hammer went thump and

