

Year 5

Could you be the next CSI investigator? Why should gunpowder, treason and plot never be forgotten?

Key Humanities Questions

Who were the Roundheads and the Cavaliers?
Why was the execution of Charles I a major event in British history?
Was Oliver Cromwell right to stop the monarchy?
Why do you think the monarchy was restored after a short while?
Who was Samuel Pepys and would he have been a modern day blogger?
Can you work with clay tiles to recreate the Great Fire of London?
Why do some people think that the Great Fire was one of the best things that happened to London?

Key Science questions

How have scientists made use of changes to create materials that make our lives easier, e.g. cling film?
Which materials dissolve and evaporate and why can this sometimes be an important quality in those materials?
How are reversible and irreversible changes important to forensic scientists?
How could you solve a crime by using forensic evidence?
What is bicarbonate of soda and what impact does it have on different materials?
Using finger prints as well as hand and foot prints, can you create an interesting piece of art work that has interesting design features?

As Historians/Geographers can we...?

Understand the main reasons behind the English Civil War and the birth of the British Parliament.

As Scientists can we...?

Become forensic investigators.

Can they name materials that change state? Can the children identify materials that dissolve and evaporate?

Using technology can we...?

Build and edit algorithms for simple games as well as editing and debugging existing codes.

As Musicians can we...?

**Identify the inter-related dimensions of music? E.g. timbre, dynamics, pitch...
Practise and evaluate a Christmas performance.**

As Writers can we...?

Plan and write an explanation text.

Create a fantasy story.

Structure and organise our writing using paragraphs, time openers and connectives.

Produce a piece of writing suited to its purpose.

As Readers can we...?

Read both independently and with an adult

Ask our adults questions linked to the text.

Undertake further reading

As Artists can we...?

Create our own art in the style of Van Gogh.

Use different mediums to create a piece of art.

As mathematicians can we...?

Identify direction or turn

Classify 2D and 3D shapes

Compare, draw and measure angles

Calculate area and perimeter

Mental and written strategies for x and ÷

To develop our physical ability can we ...?

Identify and show five basic jumps to demonstrate clear body shapes in the air

Spring from hands to feet and back to feet again

Compose a sequence of two jumps, landings and rolls.

To develop our religious and cultural understanding can we...?

Explain how the Church of England was formed?

Identify the differences and similarities between the Catholic Church and The Church of England.