



**Ash Class
Year 2
Spring Term 2026**

STEM-

Science:

During this term, our Science will be linked to animals including humans and plants. We also will be taking part in Chesterton's annual Science Week!

Computing:

Children will investigate how information technology improves our world, and how to use it responsibly. They will be learning about the importance of E-Safety and how to look after themselves online.

English:

Our English units this term will be related to our topic of 'London's Burning!'. We will be working on writing the setting description of London and writing explanation texts based on the books 'The Baker's Boy and the Great Fire of London' by Tom and Tony Bradman, 'Vlad and the Great Fire of London' by Kate Cunningham and 'The Great Fire of London Unclassified' by Nick Hunter.

After half-term, we will continue to explore London and write a recount based on the book 'Katie in London' by James Mayhew.

We will also be writing a narrative using the text 'After the Fall' by Dan Santat.

London's Burning!



(Image taken from Google Images)

Mathematics:

We will be learning to work with money: counting, calculating and comparing amounts.

We will be developing our multiplication and division skills to work out calculations through grouping and other strategies.

During the latter part of the term, we will be focussing on fractions of both numbers and objects.

History:

Our History topic this term is based on a significant event beyond living memory, The Great Fire of London. We will be learning about how the fire started and the impact it had, developing understanding on why people acted as they did.

Geography:

Our unit after half term will be learning about the four countries within the United Kingdom and their capital cities. We will then proceed to look at the capital city of London in greater detail.

Religious Education:

We will be considering the question: 'In what ways is the synagogue important to Jewish people?'

After half term, we will be reflecting on 'What do many Christians do when they meet and why?'

Physical Education:

We will be attending Forest School up until February half-term (see separate letter).

During the whole Spring Term, we will be focusing on developing our control and possession skills, with our hands and feet!

In Spring 2, we will also be improving our dodging skills.

P.S.H.E:

We will begin the term by focusing on the topic of Keeping Safe.

After half-term, the children will be covering Rights and Responsibilities.