

Year 2 Autumn 2 (November & December)

<p>Topic: The Stuarts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Who was Guy Fawkes and why did he want to kill the king? Why do we celebrate bonfire night on 5th November?• Why did Charles I not like Parliament? What did he do to make them angry?• Who did the Roundheads fight for?• Who did the Cavaliers fight for?• What happened to the king?• How is a republic different to a monarchy?• Who led the Republic?• Why did Parliament decide to ask the king's son to come back and be king?• What were the houses and streets like in London in the 1650s?• What was the Great Plague? How did it spread?• Can you tell me the nursery rhyme 'Ring A Ring A Roses' – what does this have to do with the plague?• How did the Great Fire of London start?• What happened next? How long did it last?• How was it finally put out?• How do we know so much about the Great Fire? (drawings, paintings, diary of Samuel Pepys)• How did the fire change London and why is Sir Christopher Wren famous?• How can we help to prevent fires in our homes?• What should we do if we see a fire? How do we keep ourselves safe?• Why did Parliament want Mary & William of Orange to be king and queen?• Why did Parliament want a Bill of Rights?• How did this protect Parliament and the people?• Who rules the United Kingdom nowadays?	<p>Art: Narrative Paintings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What is narrative art?• How do paintings of the Great Fire of London help us to learn about the events?• What is a silhouette? How could we use this in paintings of the Great Fire?• Can you create your own narrative painting showing events during the Great Fire of London? <p>DT: Mechanisms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Can you tell me how the wheels and axles help your car to move?• Can you tell me why you chose to include certain things in your drawing?• How well do you think you have made your car? Could you improve it?
<p>Computing: Networks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What different uses of technology are there at home?• What different uses of technology are there in the classroom?• How do you find information on the internet?• How are computers connected?	<p>RE: Hinduism</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Why are Dharma and Moksha important aims in Hindu life?• How does the life of Gandhi show Hindu beliefs in action?• What are the similarities and differences between the life of a Hindu child and that of a child from a different faith/ no faith?