



# Bee Class Newsletter



## Welcome

Welcome to the Year 2 Bee Class. All the children have settled in to Year 2 really well and are eager to learn.

## Topic

Our topic for this term is 'The Great Fire of London'. Our work will be based around the events of the Great fire of London and we will be looking at life in the 17<sup>th</sup> century.

## P.E.

At the moment we have P.E. on a Monday and a Wednesday. However, we may do PE on different days (sometimes dependent on the weather!) so it would therefore be useful if the children could continue to bring their P.E. in on a Monday and leave it in school until Friday. As the weather is turning it would be advisable to also keep a spare jumper and joggers in your P.E. kit for cold

## Homework

The children will be given homework on a Friday and will need to bring it back by the following Wednesday. Homework will consist of a piece of written, creative work or online work.

## Reading

The children have all been given a reading book and reading diary to read at home. We recognise the importance of reading at Kingsway and encourage you to hear your child read 5 times a week. Your child will be given the opportunity to enter the Rainbow Reading Challenge. Our Rainbow Reading Challenge will be awarded when the children have read at home with an adult for various amounts, starting on 20 reads. To encourage the children's independence will be asking that the children count the amount of reads in their reading diary and tell the class teacher when they have done so. They will then be given their Rainbow Reading Challenge award.

## SATs

During the summer term children in Year 2 throughout the country will have to complete the compulsory SATs assessments. A parent meeting will be arranged closer to the time.