

YEAR 2	CURRICULUM	October-December
CURRICULUM AREA	ACTIVITIES / THEMES IN SCHOOL	IDEAS TO HELP AT HOME
ENGLISH	Books Writing firework poems Fires and firefighters (Instruction text) The Great Fire of London Laura's Star	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 4x20 mins sharing reading book per week 2. Bookmark words 3. Sharing library books
MATHEMATICS	Understanding multiplication and division Fractions Length Time Handling data	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Play this terms maths game each week 2. Daily practice in telling the time 3. Using rulers to draw lines
SCIENCE	Materials	Look at items in the home and discuss whether they are made from man-made or natural materials. Discuss how materials change when they are heated eg eggs, chocolate, water
INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY	Creating pictures	Use a drawing programme on a computer if you have one to make firework pictures.
HISTORY	The Great Fire of London Guy Fawkes	Research the Great Fire of London and Guy Fawkes using books or computer
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	Remembering Jesus	Read the Story of Jesus' birth.
ART / DESIGN TECHNOLOGY	Winding up mechanisms	Talk about how winding mechanisms are made and how they work. Look at things in the home or toys that have winders