

Hazel Leys Academy

Year 1 Autumn Term 2

Welcome to our Exciting New Term

Our new topic is 'The Great Fire of London'. We will be learning about how the fire started, why it spread so quickly and how it was stopped.

Homework – Create a Tudor house using recycled materials? OR Find 5 facts about the Great Fire of London to share with your class?

You only needed to produce one piece of homework. We can't wait to see them – please bring them in as soon as you have finished them.

We have had a wonderful first term. The children loved the visit to the Cube to watch Dinosaur live!

We also had lots of fun collecting leaves to use for our Autumn art projects.



What is happening the term?

29th October - photographs

30th October – African Drumming

1st November – Outdoor Learning Day

4th December – Parents Christmas crafts (TBC)

7th December – Year 1 class assembly, please join us.

19th December 9.00 am – Christmas Concert

Autumn Term 2 Learning

English – We will be reading different poetry and creating our own firework poems. We will also be looking at following and writing instructions.

Maths – We will be focusing on addition and subtraction, looking at different number bonds and the inverse of number sentences.

RE – This term we will be looking at the Christmas story and thinking about what gift we would give to Jesus.

Science - This terms focus is Materials. We will be describing and grouping different objects according to their properties.

PE will be on Tuesday and Friday.
Please make sure your child has a PE kit in school on those days.

Reading – Please continue to read with your child throughout the week. If you sign their reading record, your child will get a smiley!



Below is a list of the Year 1 Common Exception words, please practice reading and spelling them throughout the year – on their own, in sentences and in short stories.

Year 1

the	they	one
a	be	once
do	he	ask
to	me	friend
today	she	school
of	we	put
said	no	push
says	go	pull
are	so	full
were	by	house
was	my	our
is	here	
his	there	
has	where	
I	love	
you	come	
your	some	