Rockingham

Summer *Term 6*

Fire, Fire!

Literacy

Key Texts: The Twits by Roald Dahl & .

Purpose for writing: To entertain

Children will learn how to vary the conjunction, past progressive tense, verbs and adverbs, sustain present tense, ensure adjectives are cohesive, vary sentence types.

Word Reading / Comprehension: Children will continue to build on their decoding skills to read. They will make predictions throughout the texts to explain what they think will happen next. Children will also draw on illustrations and the texts to make inferences.

PSHE

Focus: Growing, changing, staying well : Children will learn about : body parts and changes as they grow **and** Keeping fit and well through exercise, food, encouraging mental wellbeing.

Maths

Key Facts: position and direction and problem solving across a variety of areas.

Position and direction: Children will learn how to complete half turns, quarter turns and three quarter turns clockwise and ant-clockwise.

Problem solving: Children will develop more efficient methods for solving one-step and two-step problems. They will learn to explore possibilities by working systematically,

We will also secure all Year 2 calculation knowledge and ensure appropriate key facts can be recalled instantly before moving to Year 3.

Science

Animals including humans : Children will explore how animals grow and change— focusing on sea animals and what they need to survive. They will learn about how humans need to exercise, eat well and have good hygiene to survive and live healthy lives.

Working Scientifically: They will use observations and data to answer questions; record and gather information; communicate what they learn; explain how they know,

History

Focus: The Great Fire of London

We will be studying the events of **The Great Fire of**

London. The children will learn about King Charles II; what the houses were made from; why fire was a big part of daily life; how the fire started; why it spread so quickly; what people did to try to stop the fire; why Samuel Pepys is so significant; what survived the fire and how London was rebuilt after the fire.

Music : Our big concert

Put on a big concert! Present your choice of songs to create a performance. Remember to introduce the songs and tell your audience what you have learnt.

PE

Focus: Sports Day Skills : The children will prepare to run, dribble a ball. jump hurdles, skip, throw, catch and aim . **Multi skills - prepare for an inter-school festival.**

RE

This two part systematic study of Islam sets the foundations for children's learning about Muslims and the religion of Islam. Previous encounters in FS will have been as part of thematic units (e.g. Being Special, Special Times, and Special Places). Part 2 of this unit, revisits what they learned during their initial encounter with Muslims earlier in the year. It will build on and deepen previous learning.

DT

Focus: Mechanical systems—Wheels and axels

Children will explore and use wheels, axels and axle holders. Children will also learn to distinguish between fixed and freely moving axels. The end product will hopefully be a hand cart.

Computing

Focus: Creating Pictures—children explore digital art creation through the use of a digital art tool - 2Paint A Picture.