

## Maths

### Number / Measures

Practising counting in different steps, to help with money skills.

Practising adding and subtracting using objects, pictures, dienes and number lines. Develop multiplication skills.

### Geometry

Finding out about the names and properties of 2D and 3D shapes.

## History

Learning about Guy Fawkes and what happened. Linked to bonfire night.

Finding out about Remembrance and why it is important to remember.

## Art / DT

Making firework pictures and creating poppy paintings of Flanders field.

Sensory cooking of biscuit / cakes linked to Remembrance.

Make Christmas cards with sliders / moving part

## RE

What is Christmas? Thinking about giving and saying thank you.

### SCARF / PSHE

Me and my relationship/valuing difference

Thinking about feeling and friendships

# McKee Class

## Term 2



## Celebrate Good Times!

### Key Vocabulary

Guy Fawkes bonfire Houses of Parliament

Gun powder plot arrested

poppy soldier Remembrance

party celebrate birthday Christmas  
Jesus

## PE

Gross motor skills development through: -

Scooter activities (in dry weather)

Fundamental footwork patterns and one leg balance.

Yoga – to support gross motor skills and mindfulness.

Developing fine motor skills through using scissors, carousel and life skills to develop independence.

## English- Speaking and Listening

Talking about our story sharing with photos or objects. Listening to and discussing stories about celebrations and events that happen at this time of year.

Topic word books to develop our vocabulary linked to the topic and other key words.

Everyone will be working on their Speech and Language targets.

### Writing

Creating descriptions, poems and facts about celebrations and historical events.

Practising our handwriting and letter formation along with our phonics learning. Using colourful semantics to help our spoken language sequencing and narrative therapy to develop language use and story strings.

**Phonics / Reading** – Practising phonics everyday to help our reading and writing. Reading with an adult to help our phonic skills.

**Reading for pleasure** sharing books with a friend.

## Thrive – Developing identity

Developing confidence in being able to say what they need to express what they are thinking.

## Music –

My Musical Heart beat / Pulse, Rhythm and Pitch Understanding, Improvise together, Listen and Respond ( Hip hop, Jazz, Pop, Soul)

## Computing

Using Purple Mash to develop keyboard skills taking photos and using a mouse or mouse pad.

Introduction to Chromebooks by adding and removing text and exploring the tool bar.