Autumn 2
2026

Year One Curriculum Newsletter

The Great Fire of London

Why did the Great Fire of London cause so much damage?



Project Questions

Who was Samuel Pepys?
What materials were the buildings made out of?
When was the Great Fire of London?
Where did the fire start?
How did the fire change London?

Visits and Visitors

Samuel Pepys visit, visit Shakespeare's very own Pudding Lane

Shakespeare 60

Sing for an audience – Christmas Sing-along

Golden Themes

Social Justice and Equity- what fairness means • examples of what it can mean to be rich or poor in local and other contexts

KEY DATES: Wednesday 4th November- Individual and sibling photo day | Friday 6th November- Shine a light day | Tuesday 10th and Thursday 12th November- Parent's evening Tuesday 17th November- Samuel Pepys show | Wednesday 18th November- Parent Voice | Monday 30th November- school closed for a training day | 8th and 9th December- Skelton Grange visit | Tuesday 15th December Christmas sing-along AM, Christmas Party PM | Friday 18th December Christmas jumper day | Friday 18th December- school closes at 3pm for the Christmas holidays and will re-open on Tuesday 5th January

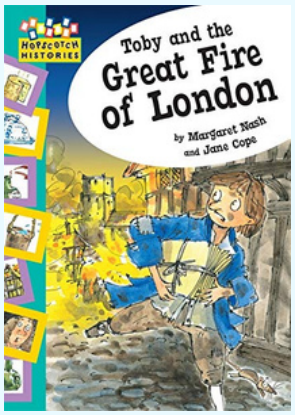
ATTENDANCE

NEVER ABSENT

NEVER LATE

- School starts at **8:45**
- It is illegal for your child to be absent from school without authorisation
- High attendance in school gets your child's life off to a flying start!
- To report an absence please contact us on the number below:
- 01135351000
- office@shakespeareleeds.org.uk

WE ARE READING:



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