

This week...

We started the week with a wonderful 'Breakfast Bonfire' on Monday morning. The children marvelled at the flames and enjoyed watching the crackling sticks. We made super words banks and used them in lovely acrostic poems. On Tuesday we carried out two science investigations using flames, candles and a range of materials. Art this week was a riot of colour with stunning fire collages inspired by their own fire poems and music revolved around the finale of Stravinsky's Firebird. A real treat on Fridays is our 'Big Writing' session which began today. The focus is to give the children time to let their imaginations run wild, allowing their writing to flow. This week their challenge was to think of an ending for the story 'James and the Dragon'. Where did James go in his hot air balloon?

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**Year 2: Walnut and Chestnut
11.9.15**

Dates for diaries!

6th October - Trip to the Farmer's Market (Look out for a letter)

w/b 12th October - 1666 dress-up day (More info to follow)

w/b 2nd November - The Great Fire of Pewley (more info to follow)

Monday 9th November - Trip to St Paul's Cathedral (more info to follow)

Maths corner

This week the children have been identifying what each number in a 2 digit number represents using the words tens and units. See if you can choose 2 numbers and explain how many tens and units each number has. Which number is greater than and which number is less than?

Super Swimmers!

Very well done to all the children this week for doing a wonderful job of getting changed and joining with their new swimming lessons.

