

## **Weekly Learning Letter**

Date: 17th November 2023

### This week in Year 2:



We learnt the Pantosaurus song and talked we talked about the rules for keeping children safe.

### Maths / Number:

In Maths, we have been adding three 1-digit numbers. Our first step was to find the number bonds. We then added the remaining number. Draw number lines, or use your knowledge of number bonds, to find the answers.

$$3 + 8 + 7 =$$

$$5 + 4 + 6 =$$

$$14 + 8 + 6 =$$

$$17 + 4 + 3 =$$

$$26 + 5 + 4 =$$

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### English / History:

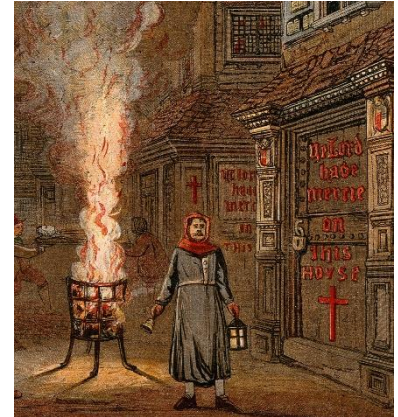
We have been practising using adjectives in noun phrases to add detail to our writing. How would you describe this picture? Which interesting adjectives could you use?

We also used conjunctions (and, but, if, so, or, when, because) to join ideas.

Which conjunction could you use to join these sentences about the picture?

- Red crosses were painted on the doors.
- The people inside had the plague.

Now write two of your own sentences **and** try joining them using a conjunction.



### Phonics / Spellings:

We will be focusing on these words to help us with our writing:

- eye
- could
- should
- would
- who
- whole

### Reading: Yes, and...

What happened next? Ask your child to keep the story going. Where do the characters go next? Who do they meet? Perhaps you can encourage your child to create their own new ending. They could bring in their work to share with their class.



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### Home learning ideas:



Take a nature walk and find some objects to make wild art. You can use sticks, leaves, flowers and anything else you can find outdoors.

### Forthcoming events

St Paul's Cathedral educational visits

- 28 November – Sarah's class
- 8 December – Shona's class
- 14 December – Kate's class

25th November – FOK Star Stories Christmas Fair 1pm – 4 pm

12<sup>th</sup> December – Year 2 Winter Performance

### School website:

Please do [visit our website](#), you can find details of forthcoming events on the [calendar](#) (& you can subscribe to your child/ren's year group so it will auto update your calendar), as well as photos of learning activities including educational visits in the [photo gallery](#), read all about recent events and sporting achievements in the [school news](#) section and much, much more!

Happy learning!

Kate, Sarah and Shona