



Term 5

## Cornerstones Showcase!

Year 1

### Bright Lights, Big City



Leon Verchuk - The Great Fire of London, 1666 - Museum of Fire Arts, Stuttgart

As well as the academic Homework, including daily reading, that the children complete, we want to encourage and celebrate the children's creative side.

The children are encouraged to use their thinking hats to create a piece of Homework that we can share with the whole school community. They can pick from one of the suggested ideas or create an idea of their own.

The children will vote for the most creative homework (green hat thinking) from each class!  
Good luck!

### Suggested ideas

Four countries make up the United Kingdom. Use an atlas, map or the internet to find out the names of each of the four countries and the surrounding seas and oceans. Print off a blank map of the United Kingdom and label the four countries and surrounding seas and oceans on the map. Mark the place where you live.

Who is the current monarch of the United Kingdom? Find out as much as you can about them, using a range of sources. Draw a picture of them and write a list of facts to go with your illustration.

Use information books and the internet to find out as much as you can about London. Create an information poster to record what you have found.

Explore London on a map, using Google Maps or OS maps online. What human and physical features can you see on the map? Draw a simple sketch of a section of the map and label the physical and human features.

Make a model of a famous landmark in London. Do some research to find out as much information as you can about it.

Look at different images of London. Can you create a sketch or collage of a famous London scene?

How was London different during the Great Fire of London? Create two images or models to show how the city has changed between then and now.

Deadline for entries:

Tuesday 25th May

