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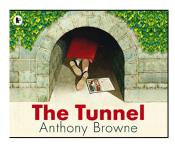
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Year 2 Autumn 2 books

During Autumn 2, Year 2 will be reading 'Toby and the Great Fire of London by Margaret Nash' and 'The Tunnel by Anthony Brown'.



Toby and the great fire of London, is about a young boy (Toby) who lives above where he works. When he realises that Mr Peyps diary has not been returned to his house. Toby rushes out to make this delivery only to find the Great Fire of London starting.



The Tunnel is about a brother and sister who were complete opposites. One day when out they discover a tunnel. The boy goes through it at once, ignoring his sister's fears. When he does not return his sister has to pluck up the courage to go through the tunnel too. She finds her brother in a mysterious forest where he has been turned to stone...

We will be using these books to:

- Create inferences and predictions about what might happen
- Learn a variety of different sentence types such as, command, exclamation and question sentences.

We will be using these books to write re-telling's of the story's, character descriptions, setting descriptions and instructions. It would be helpful for your child to have read these books during the mid-term break so that they are familiar with it. Please find attached at the back of this letter a word mat with key vocabulary we will be using this term.

Some useful links for skills that they will be learning in Year 2 can be found on Espresso and BBC Bitesize:

Letter formation:

https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/topics/zgjj6sq

https://central.espresso.co.uk/espresso/modules/el_handwriting/index.html?source=subject--KSI--Resource% 20 types















Using adjectives:

https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/articles/zy2r6yc

Using full stops and capital letters:

https://central.espresso.co.uk/espresso/primary_uk/subject/module/frontscreen/item_910313/gradel/index.html

Please continue to practise the Year 2 spelling words with your child.



