

PURSTON INFANT SCHOOL

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13th October 2025

Dear Families

After the October half-term, our topic will be 'Fire! Fire!' – all about the Great Fire of London! To introduce our topic to the children, we are excited to inform you that we have booked a very special outdoor workshop which will take place on **Thursday**, 13th **November**.

Educators from 'Alfresco Learning' will be coming into school to lead a variety of engaging activities, such as investigating the wattle and daub building method used to build houses in 1666. The children will work collaboratively to build their own wattle walls using sticks and then finish them off by hand with their own sticky daub mixture! There will then be lots of other activities including movement, games and investigating different types of materials.

All resources are provided for the workshop, children simply need to be dressed appropriately (non uniform) for whatever weather we will have on the day including wellies.

The cost of the workshop is a voluntary contribution of £6.00 this includes all resources. Please could you send the money in a named envelope before the 10th November and hand it in to your child's class teacher.

Many thanks for your support.
Mrs Smith and Mrs Eades
I give permission for my child
to take part in the Great Fire of London workshop on 13th November 2025.
Lenclose £6.00 voluntary contribution

The Designated Senior lead for Safeguarding and Child Protection is the Headteacher, Phillip Barnett, supported by the Deputy Headteacher, Alison Gascoyne, KS1 Lead Karen Smith & EYFS Lead Nichola Tonkinson.

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