

What makes someone Royal?

Year 1/2 Spring Term

As **WRITERS** we will be writing stories using Talk for Writing. Year 1's focus text is The Queen's Knickers and Year 2's focus text is The Princess and the Pea. They will be learning the story using signifiers, creating story maps and then acting out the story. The children will then write their own story based on the one they have learned.

For our non-fiction unit, Year 1 will be looking at reports through the story Don't wake the Royal Baby and Year 2 will be writing instructions based on The Princess and the Pea.

As **ENGINEERS** we will be designing and making our own crowns to display in our Tower of London exhibition at the end of term.

In **P.E.** we will be working indoors and outdoors. Year 1 will be working with Tigers Trust outdoors and doing gymnastics indoors. Year 2 will be working with Hull FC doing multi skills Their indoor session will be dance.



As **ARTISTS** we will be looking at the patterns on stain glass windows. We will then be using different materials to make our own stain glass windows.

In **COMPUTING** Year 1 will be becoming painters. We will be creating pictures on the laptops of crowns and castles. Year 2 will be becoming photographers. We will take photos of objects in the castle. We will then edit our photos and select the best ones to put in a portfolio.

Real Life Outcome- To showcase all of our work this term we will be hosting a Tower of London exhibition where you will be invited to view the children's crowns and topic work from this term.

As **HISTORIANS** we will be learning to use the words 'past' and 'present'. We will be looking at how castles have changed from the past to now. We will also be focussing on the lives of Queen Elizabeth II and Queen Victoria I and comparing them.

As **MATHEMATICIANS** Year 1 will be focussing on numbers up to 20. We will be also working on addition and subtraction. Year 2 will be working on money. We will be counting money in pence and pounds and finding different ways to make the same amount. We will then going on to the units multiplication and division. We will learn to recall multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5, and 10 times table. We will also learn how to multiply other numbers using arrays and repeated addition.

In **RE** Year 1 will be focussing on the unit 'Caring for the World' and Year 2 will be looking at Believing. In **PSHCE** we will continue to develop our skills and knowledge through Jigsaw.