Academic (wisdom, knowledge and skills)

- As speakers, readers and writers we will write and perform poetry based upon picnics, to be in-keeping with our street party theme. We will then move on to narrative writing using the text 'The Queen's Hat' before creating information texts about London and the Queen.
- We will use our ICT learning to support us here, allowing us to further our skills as Inspiring Researchers.
- As mathematicians we will start the term by recapping the Four Operations (Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division). We will then recap Money.
- As scientists we will learn about living things and their habitats, supported by our examination of animals homes during our trip to Beer Mill just before the holidays.
- For our history learning, we will learn about the life of the Queen and how other Jubilees have been celebrated in the past. We will also learn about London, focusing on the Great Fire of London and how this has helped to shape London today.
- Our PSHE learning will focus on class rules, being a good friend and what our ideal classroom might look like!
- As physically active learners we will focus on striking and fielding.
- As creators we will investigate construction, the rebuilding of London by Sir Christopher Wren following the Great Fire, and how to build a 21st century castle befitting our Queen. We will also create decorations for a Jubilee celebration to be held in school!

Innovation

This term Squirrels will have opportunities to:

- Learn about the Queen and how past Jubilee celebrations can help us plan our own.
- Learn about the rebuilding of London following the Great Fire, and use these ideas to build our own model castles.
- Use real life events from recent and further history to inspire learning.
- Be creative, reflective and independent learners in all aspects of school life.
- Link and share our learning with other schools from around the Trust.

Summer Term 2022

Let's Have a Jubilee!

This term our overarching theme is 'Service' – How has the Queen served her country throughout her reign? What did Sir Christopher Wren do to serve London after the Great Fire? How can we help to serve our school community by planning a Jubilee celebration in school?



Character

(hope, aspiration and courageous advocacy)
Our focus virtues are Confidence, Caring, Courtesy, Honesty
and Reflection.

We will...

- Explore these virtues in our whole school and class-based assemblies.
- Join with Clinton and Dolton virtually.
- Look out for 'virtues in action' in many ways as well as develop our own character journeys and celebrate our own and others' efforts.
- Take part in 'inspiring researcher' and 'inspiring skillbuilder' enrichments as part of 'Character Sought' through outdoor learning opportunities and experiences linked with our learning theme.

Community (and living well together, dignity and respect)

During this term, Squirrels will:

- Celebrate the Jubilee by planning and helping to host a school 'Street Party'.
- Learn about people from history who showed courtesy towards others, bringing history to life and bringing the community together.
- Learn about how to care for our local environment through our Science learning about animals, their habitats and how we can help to preserve them.
- Celebrate the end of our academic year with the local community by contributing to the school summer production.