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Year 2 Spring Term 2025: Those who came before

Vital vocabulary

war, treason, enemy, soldier/army, wounded hospital, waterproof, lever, design, success criteria, evaluate, adapt, structure, slider, mechanism, wellbeing, relaxation, collage, layering, agility, balance, invasion, throwing, kicking, collecting, rolling, underarm, catching, warm-up and cool-down.

Quality questions

How has the work of John McAdam and Charles Macintosh changed lives?

How did Nathan Wyburn create this piece of art?

What makes a person significant?

People and places

See what you can find out about:

Edith Carvell

Charles Macintosh

John McAdam

Mary Seacole

Reliable reading

See inside how things work— Conrad Mason Rosie Revere Engineer Little People Big Dreams: Mary Seacole Meerkat Mail Wanted: The Perfect Pet

Marvellous memories

- Create a lever or slider out of card or paper.
- Explore your home or local environment for different materials.
- Create a collaged portrait using everyday materials.

Rewarding research

https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=E8RA9Kw_laE

STEM & Beyond | Science Level 2 - Everyday Materials #2 | KS1 Science - YouTube

The invention of tarmac - 1st level Science - BBC Bitesize



















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As inventors this term, we will...



Develop our knowledge of a range of mechanisms such as levers and sliders. We will create a strong free standing structure which is waterproof .

In P.E. this term...

We will continue to master basic movements including running, jumping, kicking, throwing and catching, as



well as developing balance, agility and coordination.

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For our well being...

We will learn about how to care for ourselves and our environment. We will look into strategies to manage our emotions, set goals and develop our growth mindset.



As scientists, we will...

We will use our knowledge of materials and their properties to explore the work of two famous British Scientists, Charles Macintosh and John McAdam.



We will use the four operations addition, subtraction, multiplication and division to solve mathematical problems. We will develop our reasoning skills to support our explanation of our working out. We will look at fractions and measurements.

As writers this term...



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We will use two key texts 'Wanted the Perfect Pet' and 'Meerkat Mail'. We will develop our use of expanded noun phrases, coordinated and subordinated conjunctions and a range of punctuation.

As historians this term...

We will develop our knowledge of significant people in history focussing on Mary Seacole, Florence Nightingale and Edith Cavell. We will explore their achievements and the significance of what they did.





As artists, we will...

Use different materials, alongside artistic techniques to create printing and collages. We will create patterns, and use layering when combining different everyday materials We will rip and cut materials to suit the desired cre-

