URBAN PIONEERS



Hop on the bus and take a trip downtown, where the lights are bright, and every street has a story to tell.

This half term, we'll visit our local village to look at important buildings. We'll photograph the buildings around us, important features and statues. At school, we'll write an information leaflet about our village. Using digital mapping tools, we'll identify the streets and buildings that we saw. We'll investigate cities around the world and find out how they've changed over time. We'll have questions for you about where you work or places you often visit, and we'll present the data we have collected. As part of our design work, we'll sketch the important features of our village, create dramatic light effects and find out how light is used to keep people safe at night. At the end of the ILP, we'll create a piece of graffiti for our school, thinking about imaginative wording and appealing colours. We'll invite you to an installation featuring our artwork, discuss where it will be displayed and why.

ILP focus -Art & design

English- Leaflets and autobiography,

Art & design -Photography, graffiti art, observational drawing

Computing -Digital maps and programming.

Geography- Geographical skills and fieldwork

History- a local history study

Mathematics -Place Value, addition and subtraction

PSHE- Being safe, presenting opinions.

Science -Light and dark, shadows.

Help your child prepare for their project Take a trip to the city! Why not photograph interesting buildings and make a scrapbook? You could also research urban artists and add your favourite images to your scrapbook. Alternatively, you could visit a churchyard to go gargoyle spotting!