

BRIGHT LIGHTS, BIG CITY



This project teaches children about the physical and human characteristics of the United Kingdom, including a detailed exploration of the characteristics and features of the capital city, London. As **Geographers**, we will be finding out about the countries that make up the United Kingdom. We will start to look in more detail at our local area, identifying its human and physical features. We will use maps, atlases and photographs of our school and its surrounding areas as part of our observational study as well as finding out what makes London a city. As **Designers and Technicians**, we will make our very own London Taxis and use mechanisms, focusing on wheels and chassis.

As **writers** we will be writing our own set of instructions. We will be following lots of instructions at the beginning of the term looking at time connectives and joining clauses using 'and'. We will also be writing our own information texts using our knowledge of London and other capital cities from around the world.

As **readers**, we will enjoy a range of books including our daily reading slot. Throughout the half term we will look at several books from our 'reading spine' as well as some class favourites. We will also continue to learn phonics following the Little Wandle Scheme.



As **mathematicians**, we'll be focusing on:

- Comparing numbers
- Addition and subtraction worded problems
- Multiplication and division with a focus on 'equal groups'