

English

Writing - This term the children will be looking at the key features of traditional stories. They will continue to plan, write, edit and improve their work, proof read for spelling and punctuation errors and respond to marking. They will be constantly reminded to use full stops and capital letters at all times and on the correct placement of letters in joined handwriting.

Reading - The children will continue to read from our class reading book each week. Please listen to your child at home as often as possible and talk to them about their books.

Homework – words will continue to be sent home weekly for the children to learn.



Class 3 - Summer Term Ancient Egypt and the River Nile



Our Values

Friendship – is the vital link with others which nurtures and sustains us through life.

Truthfulness – the importance of being true in our dealings with one another and how to be true to oneself.

Respect – treating each other, belongings and the environment with dignity.

R.E

The children will explore how festivals and worship show what matters to Jewish and Muslim people and what difference this makes to the way they live.



Maths

In Maths, the children will recognise and show equivalent fractions with small denominators. They will also be adding and subtracting, comparing and ordering fractions with the same denominator.

Children will practice telling the time to the hour, half hour and quarter of an hour before moving on to tell the time to the nearest 5 minutes and then the nearest minute.

The children will then look at angles in shapes or as turns, identify horizontal, vertical, parallel and perpendicular lines. They will draw and make 2d and 3d shapes.

The children will be measuring, comparing, adding and subtracting mass (kg/g) and volume/ capacity (l/ml).

Computing

The children will explore the concept of sequencing in programming using Scratch, using blocks to create their own programs, including a representation of a piano and a maze game.

Music

The children will continue to listen to music and perform songs from a range of genres, styles and traditions.

History/ Geography

The children will journey back to the land of the Pharaohs and discover the fascinating world of ancient Egyptian history. They will learn about Tutankhamun and the story of his tomb discovery, the grisly process of mummification, the pyramids, daily life in ancient Egypt and the importance of remaining artefacts.



The children will also learn about rivers – focussing on the River Nile.



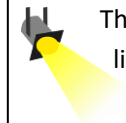
They will learn how rivers shape the land and the landforms they create. They will consider how rivers are important to people and what happens when a river floods.

P.E.

Games – the children will need a suitable kit for outdoor games every Thursday (eg. joggers, t-shirt, sweatshirt and trainers). Please include a pair of socks in case their feet get wet!

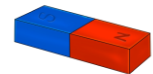
Swimming – should take place after half term (more details to follow).

Science



They will also learn about light and shadows.

The children will learn about pushing and pulling forces in relation to magnets.



Art/ Design and Technology

Art - The children will sculpt their own Egyptian style pieces of work.



D.T. - The children will design and make healthy sandwiches.

MFL - French

The children will be enjoying the story of 'The Hungry Caterpillar', whilst learning about, amongst other things, the days of the week, numbers and different foods, before creating their own version of the story.