

English

Key Text: Pyramid video from the Literacy Shed and Information on Howard Carter .

Purpose for writing: Narrative plot and a biography.

Writing:
Children will learn to focus on writing the plot in a narrative piece of writing. They will also learn the structure for writing a biography. Both of these pieces of writing will be based on our History topic of the Egyptians.

Grammar: Children will learn how to punctuate speech in their writing, they will also explore time adverbs conjunctions and prepositions of place.

Reading Detectives / Comprehension:
Children will focus on making visualisations, connections and wonderings alongside language exploration and making deductions from our focus text.

History

Focus: How can we rediscover the wonders of Ancient Egypt?

Children will build on their knowledge that Egypt is a country in the continent of Africa. The climate of Egypt is different to that of the UK. Human and physical geographical features of Egypt and what life was like in Stone Age Britain

The children will find out what was unique about the Egyptian burial process and all about the history of the pyramids. They will explore how the Egyptians communicated as well as how they treated their sick and ill. The children will discover why the River Nile was so important as well as finding out about Cleopatra and Howard Carter.

Art

Focus: Sculpture
The children will be exploring joining clay to make Canopic jars. They will also be exploring natural colouring. The children will spend some time finding out about the artist Barbara Hepworth.

Topic Name - How can we rediscover the wonders of Ancient Egypt?

Class Jamila

Year 3: Summer 1

Computing

Focus:
Purple Mash—Online safety and simulations.



Music

Focus:
Charanga— Bringing us together

PE

Focus:
Swimming and Athletics

PSHE

Heartsmart.
Focus: Fake is a mistake.

Maths

Key Facts:
Multiplication and division facts for 2,5,10 times tables.
Multiplication and division facts for 3,4 and 8 times tables.
Quick fire number bonds to 10 and 20.

Number - Fractions
Children will build on their knowledge of half, quarters and thirds from Year 2.
To explore tenths and tenths as a decimal.
To recognise equivalent fractions and compare fractions.
To add and subtract fractions.

Measurement—Time
Children will build upon their knowledge of O'clock, half past, quarter to and past from Year 2.
To explore months and years and hours in a day.
To tell the time to 5 minutes.
To use am and pm and a 24 hour clock.
To find and compare durations.
To measure time in seconds and problem solve with time.

(Please see our Calculation Progression document on our website for Addition and Subtraction strategies.)

Science

Biology: Plants
Children will build on their knowledge of different types of plants from KS1. The children will identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers. They will explore the requirements of plants for life and growth (air, light, water, nutrients from soil, and room to grow) and how they vary from plant to plant. The children will be able to investigate the way in which water is transported within plants and explore the part that flowers play in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal

Working Scientifically:
The children will learn to ask relevant questions and learn how to plan a scientific enquiry to answer questions. They will also learn to make systematic and careful observations.

RE

Focus: Understanding Christianity— What kind of world did Jesus want?

French

Focus:
The children will learn body parts.