

Extravagant Egyptians!

Year Four Rauf
Autumn Term 2022



Key Areas of Learning

As geographers, we will learn about the continents of the world and we will find out where Egypt is located discovering the physical landscape of the country. We will also compare the climates of London and Cairo.

As historians, we will discover how Ancient Egypt was formed, learning all about pharaohs and what life was like living as an Ancient Egyptian. We will also discover why pyramids were built and who discovered Tutankhamun's tomb!

As scientists, we will identify different states of matter, learning about the differences between a liquid, solid and gas and we will undertake some fun experiments! We will also explore how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating and recognising that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear. We will find patterns between the pitch and volume of a sound.

English

As readers, we will be reading a variety of books to further develop our love of reading. We will also start to have weekly visits to our lovely school library to choose our own books.

As writers, we will be learning the features of an information and instructional text. We will be writing newspaper articles and stories. In Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (SPaG), we will revise what was taught in Year Three, applying our knowledge of nouns, pronouns, verbs, fronted adverbials, noun phrases and punctuation we use for dialogue.

We will develop our spelling skills with a focus on specific spelling rules.

Maths

As mathematicians, we will be reading and writing whole numbers to 10,000 and learning about Roman numerals. We will solve problems using the mathematical signs; $<$, $>$ and $=$.

We will recap learning the number bonds to 10, 100, 1000, 10,000. As well as rounding a given number to the nearest 10, 100 or 1000. We will learn all multiplication and division facts for the multiplication tables up to 12×12 .

We will learn how to measure and calculate area. We will use mental and informal methods to solve problems using the 4 operations: $+$, $-$, \times and \div .

Computing

In computing, we will become designers and use Scratch to design a number or word game.

We will research about Ancient Egypt and use Word and Publisher to create information texts and newspaper reports.

PSHE

During our PSHE lessons, we will learn about what makes us unique and how our attitudes and actions can affect others. We will know about the different roles in our school and appreciate how we fit into our school community. We will also be celebrating and sharing our differences with others.

PE

In Physical Education, we will be developing our swimming skills and understanding of water safety. We also be developing our skills in handball and Tag Rugby.

Music

As musicians, we will be developing our understanding of rhythms to create a four bar melody using a variety of instruments.

Art and DT

As creators, we will be drawing, sketching and making collages. We will learn about the artist Quentin Blake and the sculptor Julie Taymor. We will also design and create our own Egyptian pictures using different materials.

RE

In Religious Education, we will be learning about different Rites of Passages that are unique to different faiths, thinking about their importance. We will also look at different stages of human life: birth, growing up, marriage and death.

French

In French, we will learn how to say the nationality of a person. As well as recognising masculine or feminine nouns and verbs. We will learn to pronounce different feelings, sport and hobbies.

Experiences

Pedestrian Training

Whole School Events and Themes

W/B 10/10 Humanities Week
W/B 17/10- Teacher Parent Meetings
W/B 14/11- National Anti-bullying Week
W/B 14/11- Open House Event
Autumn Clubs Start- 12/09 - Ends- 25/11



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