

English

Instruction writing: How to mummify a chicken. We will be mummifying a chicken following the steps that the Ancient Egyptians would have done.

Story telling and drama: We will be looking at the story of Osiris and Isis and using it to act out the different parts.

Maths

We will be continuing our work on fractions, learning about money and how to add and subtract coins and generate change, we will learn how to tell the time to five minutes, we will explore shape and statistics and consolidate all that we have learnt over the year.

Science

We will be looking at different soils, what makes up compost, and looking at forces and magnets with a trip to Science Oxford. We will be having a competition to see which flower will grow the best, Sunflowers, Dandelions or Daffodils! Children will also take part in the Big Science Event where they design their own investigation.

RE

We will be comparing the beliefs of Christians and Muslim, looking at what similarities can be found between the two religions.

Music

We will continue working with Mrs Reading in our PPA sessions to learn songs related to our topics.

DT

We will be sewing an Egyptian collar, or 'usekh' that the Egyptians would wear around their shoulders. We will also be using Microbits to create wearable technology!

PE

We will be following the Jasmine Scheme of work that includes the teaching of skills and challenges the children individually based on their own ability.

Computing

We will look at desktop publishing and how to edit and improve a document, we will also look at coding and how to debug a programme.

Terms 5 and 6

The Mummy Returns

Concepts: Creation, Power

History/Geography

We will learn about the culture of the Ancient Egyptians, the process of mummification and the importance of the Nile. We look at where Egypt is in the world and what the landscape looks like. We will look at the structure of the Pharaoh in Ancient Egyptian society and Howard Carter's discovery.

Values

Excellence, Equality and Friendship

PSHE

We will be following the Jigsaw scheme of work that will explore relationships with your friends, keeping safe online and how you become a good global citizen. We then end the year with a unit on 'changing me' which covers the Year 3 curriculum of puberty and looking at changes in their own lives, including moving to Year 4.

Trips/enrichment:

We will have a visit from Portals to the Past who will be running a hands on Egyptian day for us. We will also be visiting Science Oxford.