

Writing

We will use the book 'The Secret of Black Rock' to generate effective sentences. Following teacher modelling over a series of lessons the children will write their own adventure linked to the Egyptians.

Phonics, spelling, handwriting, reading and grammar activities will continue in groups daily.

Oracy

Using a range of sentence stems to promote speaking skills.

Maths

Year 3

Count on from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100. Find 10 or 100 more /less
Identify, represent, and estimate numbers using different representations. (yr4 also)
Read and write numbers up to 1000.
Recognise the place value of each digit in a three-digit number. Compare and order numbers up to 1000.

Year 4

Count in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1000. Count backwards through zero to include negative numbers.
Read Roman numerals to 100 and know that over time, the roman numerals changed to include the concept of zero and place value.
Round any number to the nearest 10, 100, 1000
Find 1000 more/less
Recognise the place value of each digit in a four-digit number
Order and compare numbers beyond 1000

Science

Forces and Magnets:

Investigations linked to topic: Compare how pyramid builders moved blocks of stone on different surfaces, Mummify a tomato
Notice that some forces need contact between two objects, but magnetic forces can act at a distance.

Observe how magnets attract or repel each other and attract some materials and not others.

Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials based on whether they are attracted to a magnet, and identify some magnetic materials

Describe magnets as having two poles.

Predict whether two magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing.

PE:

Games: Plymouth Argyle Coaches

Experience small-sided and modified competitive net, striking/fielding and invasion games.

Gymnastics: Linking travel and balance actions into short smooth movement phrases using the floor and apparatus.

Sports day: a range of athletics events and spirit of the games value promoted.

Reading

Class book: The Secret of Black Rock, There's a Pharaoh in our Bath, Egyptian themed texts

The following skills will be promoted through whole class reading:

Vocabulary, inference, prediction, explain, retrieval, summary

Children have been issued a reading book, which they will read at home/school. They can change this book as frequently as required.

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The Ancient Egyptians Yr3/4 Coverage



Egyptian Art/DT

Create sketch books to record their observations and use them to review and revisit ideas.

Improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials [for example, pencil, charcoal, paint, clay].

Learn how to draw a pyramid and Pharaoh

Make papyrus paper and decorate with hieroglyphics,

Make clay cartouches,

Design and make an Egyptian necklace.

RE

Domestic Church-PEOPLE

Know and understand:

- Our family trees – **Explore**
 - The family of God in Scripture – **Reveal**
- Acquire the skills of assimilation, celebration and application of the above – **Respond**

Judaism- The Torah

Confirmation-a call to witness

Know and understand:

- The response to being chosen – **Explore**
 - Confirmation: a call to witness – **Reveal**
- Acquire the skills of assimilation, celebration and application of the above – **Respond**

Virtues

We are working towards showing:

Perseverance: a virtue by which we pursue the good despite difficulty or delay – a part of **Fortitude**

Thankfulness: a virtue by which we give thanks to those who have helped us – a part of **Justice**

Humility: a virtue by which discover the truth about ourselves and take action for positive change - a part of **Temperance**

PSHE

New class routines - 1st week

Responsibility

The value of rules and laws: rights, freedoms, and responsibilities

Music

Perform and compose music using their voice and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory, appreciate and understand a wide range of high quality live and recorded music from different traditions and from great musicians and composers.

History:

Locate ancient Egypt in time and place.

Learn about the Egyptian landscape and find out how it impacted on people's lives in Ancient Egypt.

Find out about Tutankhamen and how artefacts can teach us about the past.

Understand the importance of artefacts in helping us find out about the past.

Find out about the way of life in ancient Egypt.

Learn about Egyptian tombs, pyramids, and burial sites.

Computing

Investigate search engines and how to use search terms efficiently.

Create a multimedia presentation about Egypt.