

## English

Our **Core Texts** are: The Egyptian Cinderella and Secrets of a Sun King.

In **reading** we will develop our vocabulary and how to answer a range of comprehension questions.

In **writing** we will be using our topic as a stimulus to write a setting description of the river Nile and a newspaper report about the discovery of Tutankhamun's tomb. We will focus on basic skills such as handwriting, punctuation and spelling as well as grammar.

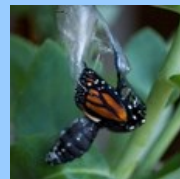


**In Religious Education, (RE)** This half term we are learning to answer the question: Why do some people believe that God exists?

**In Personal Social, Health and Citizenship (PSHCE)** This half term we are learning what 'Being me in my world' means. This includes choices, behaviour, rights and responsibilities and democracy.

## In Science

We will explore reproduction and the life cycles of humans, plants, mammals, amphibians, insects and birds. We will look at different methods of pollination and asexual reproduction.



## Home Learning

- Reading at least 5 times per week. Please record on **We Read**.
- TT Rockstars (regularly)
- Mathematics activities on MathShed
- Spellings (Test every Friday)



**MathShed**

## Maths

This half term we are learning about place value, including how to; read, write and represent numbers up to one million, round numbers and place numbers on a number line. We will also learn Roman Numerals and how to add and subtract using written methods.

## Geography and History

In **History**, we will start by learning about important events during this time period and selecting which ones to use on a timeline. We will learn about daily life, social system and beliefs. They also explore what happened to Ancient Egyptians when they died, including mummification and the use of pyramids.



In **Geography**, we will begin by examining the journey of a river through its upper, middle and lower course, from its source in the mountains, through the meanders of flatter land, to the estuary and its mouth. They will learn about the UK's major rivers and their locations. Finally, children will also understand the process of flooding and why and how rivers breach their banks.

## Foundation Subjects

**In Art** we will be learning how to paint using watercolours.

**In PE** we will be learning how to swim in our weekly lessons.



**In Music** we will be taking part in a project designed by the English National Opera called 'Finish this', where the children will learn how to finish a piece of music.

**In Computing** we will be learning about systems and networks, including how information is transferred and shared.

**In Spanish** we will learn how to ask and answer questions about pets.