

English



Once

again we will be looking at a range of different writing styles and genre this term concentrating on children progressing towards the **expected standard** of reading and writing for their age. We will also be thinking about what children will have to work upon to reach **greater depth**. We will look at a range of writing including a non-chronological report, narrative writing and poetry. In reading we will focus **upon building up reading stamina** and the ability to infer from a text whilst answering comprehension type questions. I would like to emphasis the children reading quality texts for extended periods. We will continue to teach grammar, spelling, according to the National Curriculum programs of study with a focus on children recognising their own mistakes. The children will be set small amounts of Grammar H/W.

Maths



We will continue

to follow the national curriculum for maths exploring both written and mental strategies for **addition, subtraction, multiplication and division**. We will be starting each day with a maths challenge focusing upon problem solving. We will also be looking at geometry and in particular **angles and shapes** before moving on to look at **measurement** including **area and perimeter** and **volume**. Homework will continue to be set and will continue to support current learning and **X tables**

Science



Our main focus of

learning will be **animals**. We will look at animals including aspects of food, **nutrition** and the role of the **skeleton**. We will also look at the **digestive system, teeth** and **food chains** before moving on to look at life cycles, the aging process and **reproduction**.

There will also be an opportunity to explore the life cycle of plants and the needs of all living things.

Incredible Egyptians

History/ Geography



We

will take the opportunity to explore **Ancient Egypt** –looking at the achievements of this early civilization.

We will look at chronology and how we can find out about the Ancient Egypt including the different roles within society, the Gods, and the importance of life and death, the mummification process and various aspects of life in Ancient Egypt.

We will also look at where Egypt is and think about its geographical features – the influence of the River Nile and The Sahara Desert.

Art



We will explore working with a range of media to create our own Egyptian art work. A particular focus will be making and decorating our own papyrus.

PE



Working to improve our fielding and striking skills and Athletics. Gymnastics.

Music



Music express unit – Celebration and exploring performance.

RE



We will be looking at the role of religion in ancient Egyptian society. We will also look at key aspects of worship amongst the world's major religions.

PSHCE



Changes and relationship and sex education

Homework

Nightly

reading, spellings, x tables and maths. We will also introduce grammar practice.

Computing



On line safety and exploring coding through programs such as code.org and Apple Swift