

English This half term our class novel continues to be 'Secrets of the Sun King' by Emma Carroll We will be writing an adventure story with dialogue and a fact file on The River Nile.





We will be using a range of skills such as adverbials; prepositions, noun phrases, subordinate and relative clauses, parenthesis, conjunctions, verb tenses, cohesion and inverted commas. We will ensure our spellings and punctuation are correct by using dictionaries.

Please show your child how to use one if they are still unsure.

### **PSHCE**

### Healthy Me

Children will discuss and talk about keping healthy in school and at home.

#### P.E

The focus this term will be gymnastics and Outdoors and Adventurous Please make sure your child has suitable outdoor P.E kit on a Tuesday

### <u>Science</u>

# Changing Materials

We will be comparing the properties of different materials, separating mixtures of materials based on their properties, irreversible and reversible changes and melting and freezing of different materials.



#### Music

This term we are going to continue spending time developing skills to help us compose pieces of music. We will be studying musical vocabulary such as timbre, pitch, volume, tone, pulse, and rhythm and identifying these in modern and historic music. We will appraise music and discuss our own thoughts, feelings, and emotions. We will be singing theme songs.

Art and Design We will be making mod-roc Egyptian death masks and learning how bread is made. Art and design technology will focus on our theme, Ancient Egyptians.

History - Children will continue study Ancient
Egypt. They will be learning about family life, making
bread, and discovering the Egyptian Gods and
Goddesses.

Geography - Children will be looking at the cities of Ancient Egypt and the geography of The River Nile.

## Computing Skills

We will learn all about databases and how computer software helps us to solve everyday problems

#### SPRING 2 - YEAR 5

Children are encouraged to read at home every night in upper KS2 and planners must be signed by parents/older siblings. This is an expectation that will help with learning.

Reading - books are changed when needed and Reading Plus should be completed for 30 minutes a week at home.

All homework is set weekly - this includes maths, literacy, reading, spellings, times tables, Purple Mash and TT Rockstars. Homework is set on Purple Mash, including spellings on the the class blog and must be completed on time (spelling test on a Tuesday).

Times Tables must be learnt ASAP up to  $12\times12$  at home to help children progress though Maths. Quick recall needed.

SATS bootcamp will help children to practise for statutory tests.

## Mathe Spring Term:

Decimals and Percentages, perimeter/area and statistics



### Yearly Overview



Children should have instant recall of all times

## R.E. Forgiveness

Should we forgive others?