

Curriculum Plan Terms 1 & 2 - 2021

Department

YEAR 4

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Topic – Ancient Egypt

CURRICULUM AREA		FOCUS
<u>ENGLISH</u>	Reading	Exploring a range of poetry and non-fiction texts. Improving fluency of reading aloud. Recalling details from a text.
	Writing	Reading for meaning, whilst inferring and deducing information from a variety of texts. Understanding and applying different word classes. Expanding our range of adjectives, adverbs and a variety of sentence structures. Writing a poem, a story opening, a persuasive text and a newspaper report.
	Speaking and Listening	Developing our grammar knowledge, spelling patterns and joined handwriting. Preparation for group presentations Expressing ideas and opinions
<u>MATHS</u>	Number	Place value. Quick mental recall of a variety of number facts. Addition and Subtraction – mental methods, number lines and column method. Times table facts.
	Problem Solving	Developing problem solving and investigation skills.
<u>I.C.T.</u>		To understand the importance of eSafety, including the SMART rules. To use search engines to find information and extract information safely and effectively. Use Word documents including text boxes and copy and paste To begin to understand and write algorithms (scratch)
<u>SCIENCE</u>		Identifying different types of teeth and their functions. Identifying, naming and understanding the function of the parts of the digestive system. Electricity Developing scientific investigation skills.

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<u>R.E.</u>	Commitment – what does it mean to be committed and researching various people and how they show they are committed.
<u>PSHE</u>	Being Me Celebrating difference
<u>GEOGRAPHY/HISTORY</u>	Study of the Ancient Egyptians – looking at the geography of the River Nile, the religious beliefs of the Ancient Egyptians and the practices of the Ancient Egyptians such as: mummification, the building of the pyramids and tombs.
<u>DESIGN TECHNOLOGY</u>	Design and make a clay amulet.
<u>ART</u>	Sketching facial features– focusing on shapes. To identify symbols and pattern in Art Create patterns and symbols in design Christmas Crafts
<u>PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND GAMES</u>	Outdoor Adventurous Activies – including being part of a team, building trust, following instructions and working together to a collective goal. Specialist teaching of outdoor P.E. skills.
<u>MUSIC</u>	Rhythmic patterns. Composition skills.