## **History & Geography**

We will conclude our Ancient Egyptian study before beginning to look at Egypt within the continent of Africa. Pupils will learn to locate the countries of Africa, categorising them into different regions and exploring the human and physical features within countries studied. We will also study the different biomes and biodiversity within different regions, looking at indigenous flora and fauna as well as the equatorial climate.

### Science

During this half term, the children will deepen their understanding of how to maintain a healthy lifestyle. They will recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their bodies function. Our Science learning objectives will be complemented by our prior learning from our Drugs and Alcohol PSHE lessons last half term.

# Computing This half

term, the children will be exploring different types of quizzes such as sequencing, grouping and sorting, text based, multiple-choice and labelling. They will also continue to develop their understanding of how to use the Google Classroom programmes- in particular, spreadsheets.

#### **DT & Music**

In DT this half term we will be looking at 'Frame Structures.' We will design, make and evaluate a safari animal hide for use in the African savanna!

We will be listening to a range of African music as well as beginning to improvise and compose some of our own.

## PE

This term, we will be looking at 'Athletics and Fitness' with our NUFC coach each Thursday. Our second PE session will now take place on Tuesdays, where we will be doing a Commando Joe's project.

# **Maths**

This term in maths we will be completing a unit on ratio before moving on to exploring statistics. This will involve interpreting bar and line graphs, analysing parts of a circle and constructing pie charts. We will also focus on how to calculate percentages, including percentages of amounts, and how to work out the mean

# **French**

The summer term provides an opportunity to revise all key vocabulary from KS2 French. We put this into practice by pretending to eat out and meet friends in the restaurants, ice cream parlours and crêperies of Paris!



## **RE & PSHE**

Our RE topic for Summer Term One will continue to focus on Islam. We will explore what it means to be a Muslim in Britain today. Our new PSHE unit is 'physical health and mental wellbeing.' We will be looking into what affects mental health and ways to take care of it; managing change, loss and bereavement and managing time spent online.

## **English**

Our work over the next term will continue to be centred around the novel, Secrets of a Sun King by Emma Carroll. We will be exploring plot and character as well as generating our own Egyptianinspired creative writing. During this book study, we will be deepening and developing various reading strategies such as questioning, prediction, inference and visualisation. Our spelling, punctuation and grammar objectives will be taught within the context of the book and our non-fiction work will complement our learning in geography lessons.