

History & Geography

Pupils will develop a **chronologically** secure knowledge and understanding of the achievements of one of the earliest civilisations: The Ancient Egyptians. We will conduct an in-depth study of era, exploring Pharaohs, pyramids, Gods, daily life and the work of Egyptologists, such as Howard Carter. Our learning in history will be complemented in our English lessons.

PE

This half term will focus on two sports; basketball and hockey. We will be practising the skills involved in manipulating and manoeuvring the ball/puck, creating space, sending and receiving a pass and attacking and defending.

Maths

This term in maths we will continue to focus on fractions, decimals and percentages. Following that, we will be completing a unit of work on area, perimeter and volume, in addition to a unit on statistics. We will be revisiting our arithmetic strategies used across the year in preparation for the Key Stage 2 SATs exams taking place in the summer term.

Science

During this half term, pupils will be looking at diet and exercise and the impact their lifestyles can have on their bodies. Children will learn and discuss how drugs and other substances can be harmful to the human body. The children will also have the opportunity to explore the work of scientists and scientific research about the relationship between diet, exercise, drugs, lifestyle and health. Our Science learning objectives will be complemented in our PSHE lessons.

Computing

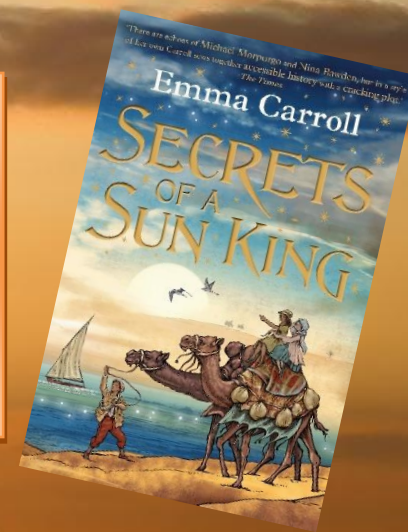
Pupils will be discovering how to develop quizzes using different platforms. After considering their audience, the children will create a range of quizzes for users of different age groups.

Music

In music, we will be learning about rhythm. In addition to this, we will be spending time rehearsing our songs for the Mother's day and Easter services.

French

The introduction to etymology this half term (study of language origins) will assist in developing strategies for further language learning like Spanish and German at High School. We will identify and explore links between related languages and apply strategies for related language skills in translation.



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RE & PSHE

Our RE topic for this term is SALVATION - we will be exploring what difference the resurrection makes for Christians. In PSHE, we will be exploring a balanced lifestyle and what it means to have a healthy body and mind.

Art & DT

Pupils will design and create an alarm system for the British Museum, using their knowledge of electrical circuits from previous science units. We will extend this project into the summer term.

English

Our work over the next term will centre around the novel, **Secrets of a Sun King** by Emma Carroll. We will be exploring plot and character as well as generating our own Egyptian-inspired **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 history lessons.