

Year 5 – Summer Term 2

Footprints in the Sand

In our final term we will be continuing our theme about Egyptians and we will be studying the impact of the Ancient Egyptians on later civilisations.



CURRICULUM COVERAGE

English and Destination Reader

In English and DR, we will continue to read the *Secrets of a Sun King* by Emma Carroll. This is a fictional book which is set in London in 1922. In this story we meet a girl called Lillian who travels to Egypt with her friends Oz and Tulip in hope of returning a Canopic jar with some mystery contents to save her grandad. It's a race against time as Howard Carter is also in Egypt about to make an historic discovery. We will be covering a variety of recount, poetry and persuasive writing.

Maths

Over the coming term we will be covering properties of shape, time, converting units and statistics.

History

As part of their learning they will learn about the history of Ancient Egyptians. This will include the process of mummification, gods and goddesses and why the river Nile was essential to the Ancient Egyptians. We will be using our trip to The British Museum to enhance the children's understanding of Ancient Egypt.

NINJA SKILLS

As Ambitious Ninjas we will set our selves ambitious targets and work to achieve these.

As Courageous Ninjas we will try something new; something that takes us outside our comfort zone.

As Determined Ninjas we won't give up until we achieve our goals.

As Dynamic Ninjas we will have a positive attitude and be full of energy and new ideas.

As Inspirational Ninjas we will help our friends; approach work differently and take inspiration from others

As Resilient Ninjas we will learn from our mistakes and bounce back from these.

Science

We will be learning about animals (including humans) and their life cycles. This will include reproduction, changes that happen and gestation periods.

Art

Our Art this term children will be writing in Hieroglyphics as well as creating other Egyptian artefacts using clay.

PE

We will be continuing with our new PE scheme focussing on the personal cog.

Music

Music will be linked to charanga and the children will listen, appraise, sing and play musical instruments alongside.

PPA TIME

Forest School - Hazel

6 Love Coaching - Hornbeam

Swimming - Beech

As with previous terms these sessions will during Monday afternoons. If your child is involved in Forest school this term please ensure that they bring their Forest school clothing to change into after lunch.

Please could all named PE kits be brought in within the first week.

Home Learning

For home learning, we will be encouraging children to read every day, practice their spellings and complete their apps. We would also like you to create a homework project linked to an aspect of Ancient Egyptians.

They may wish to make a model, write a song or poem, produce a fact file or create a picture.

