





# **Tomb Raiders**

### The main **Class Texts and Poems** for this theme are:

#### Fiction:

- Flat Stanley: The Great Egyptian Grave Robbery Sara Pennypacker
- Princess and the Pea (Hans Christian Anderson)
- The Proudest Blue (Ibithai Muhammad)

#### Non- fiction:

- Pharaoh's Fate Camille Gautier and Stephanie Vernet
- The Story of Tutankhamun Patricia Cleveland-Peck and Isabel Greenberg

## Poetry:

• Sound Collector (Roger McGough)

### Play:

• The smell of Cakes (Pearson)

### Additional cross curricular texts linked to theme

- Myth: Ancient Egypt: Tales of Gods and Pharaohs Marcia William
- Howard and the Mummy Tracey Fern
- Egyptian Tales: The Plot on the Pyramid by Terry Deary
- There's A Pharaoah In Our Bath!







# During this theme we will develop as

iviatnematicians	Speakers, readers and writers
As mathematicians, the children will focus on:	During the Spring term, the children will write a:
	Character/setting description
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- Multiplication and division
- Deriving multiplication and division facts
- Time
- Fractions

We follow the **Mathematics Mastery** scheme of learning.

- Letter
- Balanced argument
- Short narrative (5 part)
- Journalistic report
- Review

We follow the <u>SpellingShed</u> scheme of learning to develop our spelling knowledge and understanding.

# <u>Scientists</u>

As scientists, the children will learn about;

- Lights and shadows
- Magnets and forces

# **Geographers**

As geographers, the children will find out about the world learning about:

- Mapping countries
- continents
- Identify lines of latitude and longitude
- Identifying time zones

# Theologians (RE)

As theologians, the children will discuss:

- Why people pray?
- Why festivals are important to religious communities?

# **Historians**

As historians, the children will go back to Ancient Egyptian times to find out about:

- Who were the pharaohs of Ancient Egypt?
- How did Egyptians impact civilisation?
- Why was the river Nile important?

# We will follow the **Doncaster Agreed syllabus** for RE

# <u>Linguists</u>

As French linguists, we will cover the following units:

Core Vocabulary - Core Unit 3 (Spring 1)

### Citizens (PSHE)

The children will focus on 'Dreams and Goals' and 'Healthy Me' units in PSHE. We will learn how to:

Identify a dream/ambition that is important to me

# Year 3 Spring Term Theme Map





• Animals (A) (Spring 2)

We follow the <u>CGP</u> scheme of learning for Modern Foreign Languages.

- Be motivated and enthusiastic about achieving new challenges
- Recognising obstacles which might hinder my achievement and take steps to overcome them.
- Understand how exercise
- Identify when something feels safe or unsafe
- affects the body and how why my heart and lungs are such important organs.

We follow the JIGSAW scheme of learning for PSHE.

This is not a statutory subject and schools have the flexibility to decide on their own content, based on their context.

## **Artists**

As artists, we will create a detailed self portrait by:

- Drawing and sketching
- Recreating Tutankhamun's mask
- Experiencing different grades of pencil and other implements to show line, tone and texture.
- Beginning to show consideration in the choice of pencil grade we use to demonstrate light and shadow effect.
- Beginning to use media and techniques (line, tone and colour) to show representation of movement in figures and forms.

## Designers (D&T)

As designers, we will prepare and cook a healthy soup (considering seasonality):

- Researching existing products
- Designing our own products
- Making their products using a range of tools and know how to use kitchen equipment safely.
- Sharing and evaluating their products

## **Musicians**

As musicians, the children will listen to a range of songs, sing and play instruments.

We will focus on the following units:

- Three Little Birds Reggae style
- The Dragon Song

# **Users of technology** (Computing)

In computing, the children will learn about:

- Online Safety
- Spreadsheets
- Touch-typing

We follow the **Charanga** scheme of learning for music.

We follow the <u>Purple Mash</u> scheme of learning for computing.

#### **Sports People**

As athletes, the children will focus upon Invasion Games in Spring 1 Our unit is called Passing for Possession.

For Spring 2 we will focus upon Outdoor Adventure Activities. Our unit is called Thinking Aloud.

We follow the <u>IPEP and KIXX</u> scheme of learning for PE.

## Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural (SMSC) citizens

The children will focus on:

- How to be a good British Citizen
- Our cultural
- Our historical past

We follow the  $\underline{\text{JIGSAW}}$  scheme of learning for PSHE, which incorporates SMSC

If you would like any further information about your child's learning then please do not hesitate to get in touch with the class teacher.