



Half Term Overview

English

We will be starting off with some basic spelling, punctuation and grammar work.

We will then be planning and writing a descriptive piece based on the story 'Marcy and the Riddle of the Sphinx' by Joe Todd-Stanton.

We will also be writing an information piece all about the sphinx and a persuasive piece from the Egyptian tourist board.

Maths

We will be learning:

- Number: place value
- Number: addition and subtraction

We will also take part in 'Flashback sessions' to recap topics that have already been taught and complete weekly topical arithmetic papers as well as our times table challenge. These will take place on a Friday.

ICT

We will be using 'teach computing' and our unit is 'the Internet' where we will be learning that the internet is network of networks including the World Wide Web.

Important Information

Children to wear PE kits on Tuesday and be ready for swimming on a Wednesday.

On Thursday afternoons Mr Johnson will not be teaching. Mrs Smith will deliver French and PSHE and Mrs Curtis will be teaching music.

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PE

We will develop our PE skills through the following units:

Invasion Games - Handball

Homework

Homework will be set on Friday and will vary according to individual need. This will be in paper form and will start off with spellings and arithmetic. There will also be the occasional topic themed homework.

Science

Animals Including Humans

This project teaches children about the human digestive system. They explore the main parts, starting with the mouth and teeth, identifying teeth types and their functions. They link this learning to animals' diets and construct food chains to show the flow of energy.

RE & PSHE

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How are important events remembered in ceremonies?

PSHE

Jigsaw - Being Me in My World

Art/DT

Art

Paint, surface, texture
Wonderful Wildlife

History/Geography

Ancient Civilisations - Egypt

Features of civilisations; Artefacts; Gods; Hieroglyphics; Timelines; New inventions and technology; Everyday life; Social hierarchy; Significant leaders; End of Ancient Egypt