



English	Maths	Theme	Other Subjects	What you can do to help your child this half-term
<p>Text Level:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Persuasion</li> <li>Stories from other cultures</li> <li>Poetry - narrative poetry</li> <li>Writing and performing a play</li> <li>Stories set in imaginary worlds</li> </ol> <p>Sentence:</p> <p>To use speech punctuation accurately.</p> <p>To use fronted adverbials</p> <p>Word: to spell homophones</p> <p>To spell verb tenses</p>	<p>Area of the maths curriculum will include:</p> <p>Place value with up to 4 digits</p> <p>use the vertical algorithm to multiply 3-digit numbers by 1-digit numbers; solve simple money problems with decimals to two decimal places</p> <p>find non-unit fractions of 2-digit and 3-digit numbers; find equivalent fractions and use them to simplify fractions (halves, thirds, quarters)</p> <p>Geometry: properties of shapes</p> <p>Understand how to divide 2-digit and 3-digit numbers by 1-digit numbers using place value and mental strategies;</p> <p>Recognise, use, compare and order decimal numbers; understand place value in decimal numbers</p> <p>Add amounts of money using written methods and mentally using place value and number facts</p>	<p>This term our theme in class is: Ancient Egyptians</p> <p>Within this theme we will be covering the following subjects:</p> <p><b>History</b> - Placing Ancient Egypt on a timeline. Looking for information using artefacts. Studying beliefs and practices of Ancient Egyptians and looking at how this impacted on their daily life. Studying writing skills and applying them to make their own Cartouches.</p> <p><b>Design &amp; Technology</b> - making death masks</p> <p><b>Art</b>- sculpting and painting Canopic jars.</p> <p><b>Scientific Enquiry</b>- to investigate the effects of fizzy drinks on teeth.</p>	<p>Science Core - Exploring and investigating Habitats, the digestive system, teeth</p> <p>ICT Skills -Creating a website on Egyptians and a Wiki about animals and their habitats</p> <p>PE - Gymnastics, athletics and games</p> <p>RE - Hinduism and Buddhism</p> <p>MFL - numbers, animals, gender Memorising and retelling of a story in a French</p> <p>PSHE - relationships amongst themselves, families and communities.</p>	<p><u>English</u></p> <p>When reading, encourage your child to look at character descriptions and dialogue punctuation. Read non-fiction books and discuss features.</p> <p><u>Maths</u></p> <p>Revise multiplication tables: in order, random order, rapid recall, create word problems using multiplication, e.g. <i>A tray has 6 eggs, there are 5 trays, how many eggs? I need two teaspoons of sugar for a cup of tea. If I had ten cups of tea this week, how many teaspoons of sugar have I had?</i></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p><u>Homework/Spellings</u></p> <p>All homework and spellings are set throughout the school on a Friday and is due in the following Friday.</p> </div>

Advance - Trip Notification Details.

We will have a workshop on Ancient Egyptians on 11<sup>th</sup> March 2015

We will also be performing a play related to Ancient Egyptians in the last week **before** half term break.

PE Days

PE this half-term will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays . Please ensure that children have their full kits available in school.

As always, if anyone has any questions or queries regarding the above please do not hesitate to contact me.

Likewise if any parents feel they have an expertise knowledge or particular interest in any aspect of what we are covering we would love to hear from you.

Signed: Mrs Manji

