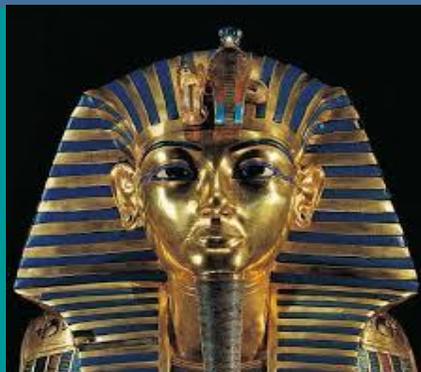


Going The Extra Nile



Year 5/6
Autumn Term



Maths

As mathematicians we shall be continuing to develop our mental and written methods to add, subtract, multiply and divide. We shall be developing our understanding of place value, statistics, perimeter, area and volume. We will continue to make use of acquired skills and knowledge to solve a variety of mathematical problems and puzzles.

English

As a whole class we will be reading 'Skellig'. We will learn about classic fiction, outsider stories, instruction and explanation texts and poetry.

Science

As scientists we will be learning about light and electricity. We will be developing our investigative skills by carrying out a range of studies that require us to set up a fair test, make observations, record results and create scientific conclusions.

Computing

In computing this term we will be learning about online safety, how to use spreadsheets and animating stories using Scratch.

Music

In music this term we will be learning about pulse and metre.

Religious Education

Theme: Beliefs and Practices
Key Question: What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?

Theme: Christmas
Concept: Incarnation
Key Question: Do Christmas traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why he was born?

French

In French our topics are 'Getting to Know You' and 'All About Ourselves'.

Art and Design

As artists and designers we shall be making observational drawings of artefacts, making a double crown, making a 3D model of a rock-cut tomb and creating an Ancient Egyptian board game.

Enrichment

Science Oxford trip

Physical Education

We will be playing football and hockey.

History and Geography

We will investigate the men and women who studied the kingdoms of Egypt and explore their discoveries, look at some of the Pharaohs and the development of the pyramids, as well as the mythology that permeated Ancient Egypt and examine the role the Nile had in allowing this civilisation to flourish and examine daily life, comparing it to our own.

PSHE

Our themes for PSHE are:

- TEAM (Together Everyone Achieves More)- collaboration, compromise, kindness, responsibility and team work.
- Diverse Britain- laws, government and making positive contributions to society.