



YEAR 4 TERM 3

Curriculum Overview- Who were the Ancient Egyptians and what evidence about them still exists today? As budding historians, we will travel back in time and develop our knowledge and understanding of how their lives were different to ours and their legacy today. In History we will be learning about the Ancient Egyptians and exploring evidence this ancient civilisation left behind to answer our learning question.

English

We will be exploring two key texts this term. Our fiction text will be Slip Scarab and our non-fiction text will be Horrible Histories, Awesome Egyptians. Using these text we will explore a range of genres and their features to develop our writing skills. This term we will focus on story writing, instructional writing and creating our own newspaper reports.

Maths

This term we will practice counting in 6's, 7's, 9's, 25's, 100's and 1000's; both forwards and backwards from different starting points. Within our Number lessons we will focus on multiplication and division, rehearsing mental methods, understanding multiplication is commutative and using written methods. In our Topic lessons we will consider interpreting and presenting data in a variety of ways (Statistics).

SPELLING SPOTLIGHT -

Spellings will focus on the use of the suffix -ous and apostrophes for contractions and to show possession.

Key Dates -

**Learning Landing Monday
5th February 2.45-3.30**

Key Vocabulary -

amulet - an object used to protect the wearer against evil and danger.

ankh - a hieroglyph symbol that was used to represent the word 'life'.

atf - a headdress associated with the god Osiris.

burial chamber - a room used as a resting place for the remains of the dead.

afterlife - life after death.

annexe - a chamber in the tomb of Tutankhaman that contained objects he would need for the afterlife.