



Year: 3

Main Topic 1



Ancient Egypt

Theme Overview

This topic is a history topic based on the achievements of the Ancient Egyptians. We will be discovering who the Ancient Egyptian Pharaohs were, learning about Ancient Egyptian beliefs, why Ancient Egypt was 'The Gift of the Nile', why the pyramids were built, what hieroglyphics mean and what ancient Egyptians did for fun.

Art & Design

Sketch Tutankhamun death mask

Mixed media pharaoh heads

HOOK INTO LEARNING

Tutankhamun's Tomb –
discovery



HISTORY

Make an Egyptian timeline

Create a poster to explain why
The Nile was so important to
Ancient Egyptians

Complete Ancient Egyptian God
Fact File

Make a 3D pyramid fact file

Play Ancient Egyptian board game

Design a royal sarcophagus

Write name in hieroglyphics

PSHE

Families and friendships

Safe relationships

MATHS

Number sense

Place Value:

Represent and partition numbers to
1,000, find 1, 10, 100 more or less,
compare and order numbers, count
in 50s

Addition and subtraction

Apply number bonds to 10, add and
subtract 1s, 10s and 100s, formal
addition and subtraction

TOPIC FINALE

Egyptian day by History off the
Page and presentation to
parents Friday 14th October

SCIENCE

Know the different food groups
Understand why we need nutrients
Compare skeletons
Names bones in the human
skeleton

COMPUTING

Online safety
Coding

MUSIC

Explore timbre, ternary form,
aerophones, idiophones and
chordophones

Sing in two part harmony with
expression

Develop song lyrics

ENGLISH

Main Text: Pugs of the Frozen North

Writing outcomes:

Pug Fact File, Recount in role, diary
entries in role, poetry, myth,
narrative and newspaper article

Class Novel – Harriet versus the
Universe by Samantha Baines

French

Introduce self in French, numbers 1 -
10 and age, say family members
and how you are feeling

PE

Ball skills – throwing and catching