

Year 5

Curriculum Newsletter

Term 4

Learning Journey – History, Geography, Science & DT

How essential is the River Nile to life in Egypt?

In History, the children will develop their understanding of primary and secondary sources while diving deeper into life during the time of the ancient Egyptians. In Science, last term's learning around the life cycle will continue by taking a closer look at mammals, insects and amphibians. In Geography, the children will continue to look at various types of maps so that they can compare Egypt and England. DT this term, will require the pupils to gain an understanding of a pulley system and apply it to the production of a shaduf.



PSHE

Our SCARF unit this half term is **Rights and Responsibility**. The children will be learning about making their rights, while understanding the different roles and responsibilities that they, and others, have in society. Throughout this unit, the children will also gain a better understanding of information sources and how can ensure that they are gaining knowledge from reliable places.



PE

PE will take place on Thursdays.



Year 5 will be with Trinity coach for their PE lessons. They will be learning key skills and taking part in games to improve their agility, coordination, stamina and strength.

Computing

Data and information – Flat-file databases

In this unit, children will look at how a flat-file database can be used to organise data in records. Pupils will use tools within a database to order and answer questions about data. They will create graphs and charts from their data to help solve problems. They will use a real-life database to answer a question, and present their work to others.

RE

How significant is it for Christians to believe God intended Jesus to die? Christianity

This term in RE they are learning what is required to be able to answer, 'How significant is it for Christians to believe God intended Jesus to die?'

During this unit, the children will continue to build upon their knowledge of Christianity while also questioning and developing their own morality.



Music

The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air.

This term is focused around one song: The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air. As well as learning to sing, play, improvise and compose with this song, children will listen and appraise other old school hip hop tunes.

