



A Bright Future

For Myself, My School and My Community



ENGLISH

Reading

Children will read stories from other cultures and classic poetry. Each child will read in a group with a teacher. Children will also spend time listening to stories and visiting the school library once a week.

SPaG

We will be focussing on our spelling, punctuation and grammar this half term.

MATHEMATICS

This half term, the children will look at place value, including four-digit, decimal and negative numbers. The children will consolidate and extend their mental and written methods for addition and subtraction. The children will learn their 9 times tables and related division facts.

SCIENCE

Our science work this term will focus on 'teeth' and 'digestion'. Children will look at the function of teeth. They will also learn about the digestive system and how it works.

Computing

Children will learn about e-safety. They will consider how to stay safe online. They will also be developing their typing and presentation skills.

Geography

Children will use atlases to locate Egypt and look at the physical landscape of the country.

Theme: Ancient Egypt

We will be learning about the Ancient Egyptian civilization and the impact it has had on the modern world.

History

The children will be investigating the difference between modern and ancient Egypt.

Art & Design

In Art and Design we will be looking at Ancient Egyptian artwork and portraits, before creating our own Egyptian-style pieces.

Foreign Languages – Spanish

We will continue to build upon the Spanish we began to learn in Year 3.

Physical Education

We will develop balance and co-ordination skills and apply this to ball games.

RE

Our focus in RE will be Judaism. We will consider the relationship that Jewish people have with God.

Music

Children will be learning how to play simple chords on the guitar.

PSHE

Our PSHE this term will focus on New Beginnings and how to manage these.

Value of the month

September – **Friendship**

October – **Co-operation**

Homework: In addition to **daily** reading, spellings, times tables practice and Mathletics, the children will have another activity to complete. This will be put on the website on a Friday and is due in school on Tuesday.

Spelling test is on a **Wednesday** and times tables test is on a **Friday** each week.

Reading Books: Children have Reading Records and reading books in their book bag. Please ensure your child reads at home **EVERY** day (they do not need to finish the book) and that comments are recorded in reading records. Children will have the opportunity to change their books on a **Monday** and **Friday** but their books must be in school **every day**.

PE kits: Children must have named PE kits in school every day. Indoor PE is on **Wednesday**, outdoor PE is on **Thursday**,

Important dates:

Thursday 8th November – Trip to The Wycombe Swan to see *Horrible Histories – Awful Egyptians*.

Classroom Staff:

4A Hazel – Miss. Ajaib and Mrs Butt

4B Beech – Mrs. Boom and Mrs Rayatt

4H Larch – Mrs. Hester and Mrs Jackson