

### English

The children will be reading the narrative poem *The Highwayman* by Alfred Noyes. They will then use this as an inspiration for their own ghostly stories, which we hope to edit and publish into a class book.

We will continue our study of the grammatical features of the English language, this term focusing on possessive apostrophes (Tim's pencil case), possessive pronouns his, her/hers, mine, own, theirs, one's).

### Maths -

Through problem solving, reasoning and fluency of skills, the children will be working on:  
Written methods for multiplication and division.  
Rounding decimal numbers to the nearest whole number.  
Adding groups of fractions that total more than 1.  
Converting between different measurements.  
Reading the time using analogue, digital and 24 hour clocks.  
Finding fractions of amounts including money.  
Identifying lines of symmetry in a variety of shapes and beginning to calculate the area and perimeter of rectangles and squares.

### History/Geography—

Children will be studying what daily life in Ancient Egypt was like. They will explore the importance of the river Nile, typical homes of wealthy and poor Ancient Egyptian families, farming and food. We will finish our topic with an Ancient Egyptian Museum, which we hope you will join us and visit.

### Walk like an Egyptian

### ICT—

Online safety. This children will revisit what they have learnt about staying safe online and will consider what is appropriate to their age group. Did you know that you must be at least 13 to use Facebook and You Tube? The children will use the information they have learnt to make a PowerPoint presentation and a short video about online safety.

### Art and DT—

The children will use clay to create Ancient Egyptian style amulets and link these together to form jewellery.

They will also study how papyrus paper was made and create their own version of it, complete with Ancient Egyptian style artwork.

### Science— Electricity

The children will explore sources of electricity and consider how to work and play safely with electrical items. They will investigate how to build a simple circuit and record this using circuit diagrams. Later on they will investigate switches, conductors and insulators and will finally make a 'buzz wire' game to play in school.

### RE—

The children will be exploring the question: *Does Prayer change things?* Through a variety of religious stories and everyday situations.

### Music—

Developing musicianship through learning to play the ukulele.

### PE-

**Outdoor PE:**  
Athletics

### Indoor PE:

Dance—we will explore traditional Egyptian dance styles and choreograph our own routines in small groups to tell a short story.

### PSHE-

Children will be looking at how to be a good friend.

### French-

Children will be learning how to say the seasons, months of the year and explain when their birthday is.