

CURRICULUM FOCUS

Year 3 – Summer B

Topic: Walk like an Egyptian

Aspects to be taught:

Our topic this half term is 'Walk like an Egyptian'. We will be investigating Ancient Egypt and what life was like back then.

Some learning experiences will include:

- Topic 'Walk like an Egyptian' we will be investigating mummies, Tutankhamun and even how to write like an Egyptian!
- English we will be investigating fiction stories from other cultures and non-fiction writing.
- Maths we will be learning about geometry shapes & properties and positon & direction.
- Science we will be learning about Animals Including humans!

We would like you to:

- Continue to help your child investigate their weekly spelling pattern which is sent home each Monday. Each week your child will be given a spelling pattern to investigate throughout the following week. Children should collect spellings that follow their given pattern/rule throughout the week and record these in their Link Books. The following Monday in school, children will be asked to write some sentences which contain words which follow their spelling pattern/rule. If you have any questions about the weekly patterns/rules set, please do come and speak to us. A really good website to find words that fit the weekly spelling patterns is <u>www.spellzone.com</u>
- Continue to support your child in learning their times tables each week. Each Friday, the children will be tested on a times table.
- Read with your child **every day** to help them to develop their reading skills by discussing their books with them. Please indicate that you have read with your child in their Link Book so that they can be rewarded.
- Support your child in their completion of the weekly home-learning activities. These are so important for helping to consolidate their learning from the week.
- Children take responsibility for changing their own reading book and take quizzes when they need to. **Please** encourage your child to remember to change their books when they need to.
- **PE is on a Monday and Thursday this term**, but please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school for the whole week. Make sure that all items in your child's PE kit are clearly named.
- Please ensure that your child has a named water bottle in school each day.

Additional Information:

- Friday June 8 Gentlemen in school Morning
- Tuesday June 12 to Friday June 15th KS2 Residential
- Monday June 18 Class photos
- Friday June 22 Sports Day
- Friday June 29 Reports home
- Monday July 2 Open Evening 3.30pm to 5.30pm
- Friday July 20 Last day of term