

As writers we will be exploring the features of fiction writing, based on animal stories. We will be writing our own fiction books based on work by famous authors. We will be practising our spelling and grammar skills using games, homework and other activities.

As Mathematicians we will look at a range of written methods for addition, subtraction, division and multiplication.

As Scientists we will explain that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity. We will recognise that some mechanisms allow a smaller force to have greater effect. We will identify the effects of water resistance.

PSHCE and RE
RE Christian beliefs
The Holy Trinity
PSHCE Friendship.

Literacy
We will write our own 'How the ...' story based on something related to the ocean. Children also write about real animals. Vocabulary building, grammar and spelling.

Mathematics
Written methods, mental maths, problem solving, times tables.

Science
Forces and gravity.

Computing
Computer programming, web searches and E-safety.

Ancient Egypt


The Arts
Sketching, painting, form.

Humanities
The geography and the History of Ancient Egypt.

As Artists we will work to improve our mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials. We will be making models of Egyptian death masks that we have designed.

Languages:
We are having an introduction to Mandarin from Mrs. Song from The Norwich School.

P.E
Tag Rugby and invasion games.
In PE we are learning the skills to play Tag rugby and in Real PE invasion games and tactics are our focus.

As Geographers we will study the geography of Egypt. As Historians we will learn about Ancient Egypt. We will explore what life was like, their beliefs and impact on our lives now.



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Homework

Homework is explained in your half termly homework challenges leaflet. This also includes a topic based piece of homework which will run for the half term.

This homework is in addition to reading which should be happening every night. It would be valuable for your child, to read aloud to you, 2-3 times a week, for about 5-10 minutes at a time. Please remember to sign their reading record book. When you listen to your child read, you could ask them questions. Please see the example questions in the half termly homework challenges leaflet.

Thank you for your support and please see me if there are any queries.

PE and Music

This term in PE the children are learning the skills for invasion games, starting with tag rugby and on Wednesday's we are learning tactics in ball games.

They need their PE kits on a Monday and Wednesday.

In Music, the children are being taught how to a range of musical skills linked to our Ancient Egyptian topic.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the start of another exciting year in Oak class.

This year we are starting the autumn term with a new topic based around The Ancient Egyptians. We will base our literacy writing on animal stories and look at the importance of cats to the Ancient Egyptians. We will enjoy making a class display and produce some drawings and paintings based on Ancient Egypt.

In Science we will be looking at forces and gravity. We will look at how these forces have an effect on the Egyptian pyramids. I look forward to seeing the children's independent work from their half termly homework.

Miss Wharton