



Year 4 Curriculum – Summer 2



Our Primary Text



Egyptian Cinderella by Shirley Climo

Tadeo Jones – a short narrative clip

Writing (2 pieces)



Purpose:

- To entertain

Grammar Coverage

- Inverted commas * reporting clauses * apostrophes for plural possession

Additional Texts/ DEAR texts

No Outsiders text: Julian is a Mermaid – Jessica Love



Max and the Millions by Ross Montgomery

Science



The Digestive System

We will be learning about human teeth and their different layers, exploring how the digestive system works using models and investigations. We will plan and carry out a tooth decay experiment, helping us understand how to keep teeth healthy.

Food Chains

We will be learning what a food chain is and explore what might happen if a part of it changes or is removed.

Geography:



This half term we will be

looking at life in Ancient Egyptian time.

* **Pharaohs & Society:** Pharaohs were considered kings and gods, acting as political and religious leaders.

* **Beliefs & Burial:** the afterlife.

* **Achievements:** hieroglyphic writing, a 365-day calendar, paper (papyrus).

* **Key Timeline:** the Old Kingdom (Age of Pyramids), Middle Kingdom, and New Kingdom (Golden Age), lasting over 3,000 years.

Spellings



Suffix- 'ly' with words ending in 'ic'y' and 'le'

Prefixes – un, dis, in, re, sub, inter, super, anti, auto,

Year 3 and 4 statutory words.

Maths



Decimals

Money

Time

Shape

Statistics

Position and Direction



D&T



Textiles Egyptian collars

Cross stitch

We will be learning how to cross-stitch and applique to decorate and assemble Egyptian collars.

Music

Adapting and transposing motifs

We will learn a new song, while identifying and playing simple repeated patterns on tuned instruments. We will create, notate, adapt (e.g. changing pitch and rhythm), and combine our motifs to perform confidently as part of a group.

Physical Education

Wednesday –
adventurous outdoor
activities

Thursday - Swimming



MFL - French

Je
me présente (Present
ing Myself)

By the end of this unit
pupils will have the
knowledge and skills to
present themselves
both orally and in
written form in French.

PSHE

We will be completing our citizenship
unit before moving onto economic
well-being.

RE



Unit L2.9 – What can we learn
from religions about deciding
what is right and wrong?

Computing (Purple Mash)



We will use digital tools to explore the main
elements of music, experimenting with
rhythm and tempo to create simple melodic
phrases.

Spellings

Words from the Year 3/4
common exception words.

Things you can do at home

Practice times tables each day!



Read for pleasure

Aim to read at least 5 times a week.

Discuss what you have read and make
predictions about what might happen
next.

Stop and check the meaning of words.



Dojo

Check Dojo for messages and
an insight into what we are
up to.