

CLASS NOTICES

Reading

Children need to read for at least ten minutes every day in order to help them improve their fluency of reading. The children will be responsible for changing their reading books when they complete the book they have read. **Please can parents sign the reading record to say you have heard your child read at least once a week.**

PE

PE will take place on **Wednesday and Thursday**

Children need to come to school in their PE kit:

Black shorts or jogging trousers, plain, white t-shirt, plain black/dark jumper or hoodie and black trainers or plimsolls.

This term will be dance which will take place indoors. Children need to remove earrings for the session.

The children will also need their coat for playtime and lunchtimes when they are outside.

PSHE

This term, in our topic Dreams and Goals, we will be learning that we need to take action to achieve our goals. We will learn about different jobs and begin to identify what we might like to do when we grow up. We will learn to appreciate the similarities and differences in aspirations between ourselves and young people in a different culture

Homework

Homework will be sent out every **Friday**, please return completed by the following **Wednesday**. We will set homework which will be based on spelling (Spelling Shed) and Maths or English. Children should continue to practise their times tables to 12 x 12 using TT Rockstars as well as the division facts.

Set - Friday

Due in - Wednesday

If you have any questions about the homework, please come and talk to us, we will be happy to help.

Thank you for your continued support.

Miss Cooper & Miss Dines

Class Curriculum Information








Bringing out the Best






Year Five Ancient Egypt



Spring Term 1
2026

ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

<p>English</p> 	<p>In reading this term we will be focusing on skills needed for answering questions linked to our text 'The Phoenix Code'. We will be writing adventure stories and then debates. We will be learning to write complex sentences and shortening our sentences for impact on the reader.</p>
<p>Maths</p> 	<p>In Maths, we will be focusing on multiplication and division, using written methods and use these to solve problems. We will be multiplying fractions and rounding decimals. We will recognise equivalent fractions and decimals.</p>
<p>Science</p> 	<p>During the term we will be learning about 'Properties and Changes of Materials. We will learn about reversible and irreversible changes. We will use our knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating.</p>
<p>Computing</p> 	<p>This term, we will learn about Internet safety. We will look at how to make responsible choices online and how to get help if we are having problems. We will evaluate digital content and can explain how to make choices about what is trustworthy</p>
<p>R.E.</p> 	<p>This term, we will be continuing to focus on Judaism. We will be learning about how Jews show commitment to God.</p>

<p>Geography and History</p> 	<p>History this half term covers Ancient Egypt. We will learn about famous Pharaohs and find out what ancient Egyptians believed happened after they died. We will consider what the ancient Egyptians contributed to world history. In Geography, we will locate Egypt on a map and identify geographical features and key monuments. We will identify the importance of the River Nile and how the Egyptians farmed.</p>
<p>DT/Art</p> 	<p>In Art, we will be learning about mixed media land and cityscapes. We will explore how artists use a variety of media to capture spirit of a place/ location.</p>
<p>Music</p> 	<p>In Music, we will be focusing on Pop Ballad style music. We will listen and appraise 'Make You Feel My Love by Bob Dylan'. We will learn to sing, play, improvise and compose with this song.</p>
<p>P.E.</p> 	<p>In PE this term, we will be focusing on Dance. We will explore different movement and actions and use these to create sequence. We will develop collaborative and performance skills.</p>
<p>MFL</p> 	<p>Year 5 will be continuing our MFL journey with Spanish. We will be finding out about a variety of different sports and describe our enjoyment of them.</p>