

## Year 3&4

# Who were the greatest builders?

### Geography

- Use maps and atlases to locate Egypt and its key physical features and impacts of them

### Science

Whilst investigating Light the children will

- Understand the science of light and dark
- Learning how light is reflected from surfaces
- Learn how mirrors reflect light
- Understand how shadows are formed and find patterns in the size of shadows
- Understand the dangers the sun and how to protect themselves

### PE

- Netball
- Handball

### Computing

Programming – sequencing sounds

- Using Scratch, the children will sequence using motion, sound and blocks

### French

- Numbers to 31
- Months of the year
- Clothing and body parts

### Art

Drawing and making an Egyptian cartouche out of clay.

### English - Writing

Understanding the features of different literary genres. Working on a three week cycle the children will have opportunities to imitate a text taught, then innovate as a class and then independently create their own piece of writing.

**Literary Genres this half term include:**

- **Mystery texts** using the video Roads End as a stimulus
- **Instruction texts** using How to wash a woolly mammoth

### Music

Listening to the reggae song – Three Little Birds– Bob Marley

- Understand the terms: rhythm, pulse and pitch
- Learn to improvise, compose and perform the song.

### WOW start:

Egyptian tomb discovery  
Virtual visit to the British museum to look at the Ancient Egyptian exhibition

### End Event:

Creating Cartouches

### DT

- Make and taste and Egyptian Koshan rice

### Reading

Key texts:

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- The Egyptian Cinderella
- The magic Finger

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- The Scarab's Secret

### RE

Christianity – could Jesus really heal people?

- Learning bible stories and discussing the impact they have on Christians

### Maths

Year 3

- The formal methods of multiplication and division.

Year 4

- Identifying and drawing angles (obtuse, right, reflex and acute)
- Identifying and drawing perpendicular and parallel lines

### PSHE

Dreams and Goals

- Understand what Motivates us
- Overcoming challenges
- Setting goals and identifying ways to achieve them
- Celebrating successes with our friends

### History

- Looking at where and when the early civilisations occurred with a focus on **Ancient Egypt**
- To know about the achievements of the earliest civilizations – an overview of where and when the first civilizations appeared making comparisons
- Investigate the life and death of Tutankhamun
- Use sources to describe what life was like in Ancient Egypt