

Literacy

- Chronological reports – Biographies
- Traditional tales – Fables
- Stories from other cultures – Africa

Topic Writing

- Chronological report (recount) of British Museum trip
- Write a newspaper article about a tomb discovery
- A non-chronological report on Ancient Egyptian life
- Persuasive text for and against Dams on the River Nile
- Instructions - mummification

RE

What is the 'Trinity' and why is it important to Christians?

- Recognise what a gospel is and the types of stories they contain
- Suggest what texts about the Trinity mean, particularly to Christians
- Describe how Christians show their beliefs about God and the Trinity in worship and the way they live
- Make links between some Bible texts and the idea of God in Christianity

How is faith expressed in Sikh communities and traditions?

- Identify and describe key Sikh beliefs and values
- Explain examples of texts and make connections between sacred texts and practice
- Describe how people show their Sikh identity
- Question what it means to live a good life and examine Sikh answers
- Make links between their own beliefs and values and those of Sikh communities

History

- To locate Ancient Egypt in time and place
- To know that history can be divided into periods and develop an understanding of chronology
- To understand importance of archaeology
- To make inferences and deductions from artefacts and pictures about life in the past
- To understand the Egyptian landscape and importance of the Nile for life
- To learn about aspects of life in Ancient Egypt
- To compare life in Ancient Egypt with life today

Computing/ICT

- Create digital presentations using text and images
- Design and write a program that achieves a specific goal
- Understand and use variables in programming and 'if/else' statements
- Assess and debug code to correct where the outcome is incorrect
- Use repetition to simplify code

Art & DT

- Produce art using hieroglyphics
- Design and create an Ancient Egyptian necklace by using example artefacts for inspiration
- Create a 3D sculpture of a mummy and sarcophagus
- Design a sarcophagus decoration and death mask
- Build a basic tomb reconstruction
- Use lego/construction equipment to make a working building/irrigation tool

Ancient Egypt
Topic Planner –
Year 3/4
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Geography

- Use maps, atlases, globes to locate countries and describe features
- Understand geographical similarities and differences
- Describe and understand key aspects of physical (rivers, flooding, deltas) and human geography (settlements, land use, economic activity and distribution of natural resources, changes in use over time)
- Use geographical terms with accuracy

Maths

- Measurement: Money
- Statistics
- Measurement: Time
- Geometry: properties of shapes
- Mass & Capacity
- Position and Direction

PE

- Swimming
- Athletics Invasion games

Science

Rocks and Soils:

- Compare and sort types of rocks on the basis of their properties and appearance
- Describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when living things are trapped within rocks
- Recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter
- Plan and set up a comparative and fair test
- Make systematic and careful observations
- Make predictions and answer questions using their knowledge, observations and findings from tests
- Take accurate measurements using a range of equipment where appropriate

Music

- Use their voices expressively and creatively by singing songs
- Listen to and appraise different types of music
- To use instruments to enhance their performances