

## English

**Focus:** We will be looking at a range of areas including:

- Image Poetry.
- Similes.
- Information Texts.
- Imaginative stories.
- Using the past tense.
- Exploring story books and authors during reading sessions.
- Grammatical elements of writing.
- Spellings.

## Topic

### **Ancient Egypt**

**History:** Gathering information from different sources to learn about famous people from the time.

**Art:** Hieroglyphics artwork of gods, goddesses (using charcoal, paint, watercolours)

**Geography:** Location of Ancient Egypt and key landmarks.

## Maths

**Focus:** We will continue to look at a range of areas including:

- The 4 number operations: Division, addition, subtraction & multiplication
- Focus on multiplication tables
- Fractions, percent & decimals
- Shape
- Handling data

## RE

### **Themes:**

- **Called:** Baptism/Confirmation – Belonging. The witness of a Christian call
- **Gift:** Advent/Christmas – Loving. God's gift of love and friendship
- **Other faith week:** Judaism



## Year 4

**Autumn 2017 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Half Term**

## Computing

### **Focus:**

- **E safety:** Exposing children to a variety of lessons aimed at understanding how to stay safe on the internet.
- **Blogs:** Blogs will be used to provide exciting opportunities for children to communicate their learning online.
- **Emails:** Emails will be used to communicate ideas between teachers and pupils by sending and receiving messages regularly.

## Science

**Focus: Animals including humans: Teeth, digestion and food chains.**

- The human digestive system and how food is transported around the body
- Comparing diets of herbivores, carnivores and omnivores
- Investigating teeth and what causes decay
- Looking at food chains/webs.

## PSHE

**Theme: Friendship** – Explored through circle time

- Being kind to each other and being a good friend
- What friendship means to us
- How our actions affect others.

## PE

**Focus: Swimming & gymnastics**

- Developing skills and confidence in a variety of physical activities.
- Please remember that P.E kits should be brought in to school on Monday and taken home on Friday for preparation for the following week.**
- **Swimming day:** Every other Friday