



**English:**  
 Following Year 3 National Curriculum to cover reading, writing and EGPS.  
 Including; diary writing, drama– news reports diary writing and fact files.  
*“Just yesterday Mo and his sister had watched a Newsround story about the new Tutankhamun exhibition.”*  
 PG: 3

**Maths:**  
 Following Year 3 National Curriculum to cover :  
 Place Value  
 Addition and subtraction  
 Multiplication and division

**Science:**  
 We will be learning about light, dark and how shadows are created.  
 We are going to carry out experiments which will help us to understand what light and dark actually is and how and why shadows are made.  
*“Carved in the shapes of monstrous animals, they cast grotesque shadows on the wall behind them.”* Pg 66

**History:**  
 Ancient Egypt. We will be finding out what life was like in Ancient Egypt. We will learn about gods, pharaohs, hieroglyphs and much more.

*“It contained dozens of colossal statues, carved doors and limestone slabs etched with neat columns of Ancient Egyptian writing.”* Pg 13

**Geography:**  
 We will be learning about rivers and the water cycle.  
*“And here he is on a boat in the river Nile, throwing sticks at birds. Hunting birds was a popular Egyptian sport.”* Pg 43

**Whole school theme:** Around the World

**Base 3 focus:** Ancient Egypt

**Class Story:** The Ancient Egypt Sleepover

**RE:**  
 We will learn how Christians use symbols to describe God and look at why most Christians call Jesus a saviour at Christmas.

**Art and Design:**  
 We are going to use a range of media; pencils, paint, textiles and thread to create a piece of art that represents the Nile. We will look at the ways in which we can create lines with shape and texture with pencil, paint and thread.

**DT:**  
 In design and technology we will be learning about structures and mechanisms and will make our own shaduf– a tool used in Ancient Egyptian times for irrigating crops.

**Base 3 - Year 3  
 Autumn Term 2023**

**PE:**  
 The children will focus on:  
 Strength and flexibility  
 Tennis  
 Throwing and catching  
 Basketball and netball.

**R(S)E/ PSHE:**  
 The children will focus on:  
 Valuing difference , keeping safe and body differences

**Enrichment:**  
 Bickley Hall Farm visit (science and geography link)  
 STEM day  
 Author Visit

**Computing:**  
 We are going to be using J2E to help us to draw shapes, and create repeated patterns in shapes using a code.

**Music:**  
 This term the children will be learning about Long and short (rhythm) and high and low (pitch) sounds can be represented by musical symbols. They will learn how, when playing together, a harmony can be created.  
 Our whole school musician focus this term is  
**Ludwig Van Beethoven**

