## English

## Egyptology – Dugald Steer

- To think about using "a or an" before words
- Use word families to emphasise a point e.g. the waves lapping peacefully, peace lay upon the land
- Using prepositions to show where or when something happened
- Use correctly punctuated speech
- Use effective noun phrases to give detail
- Use words to show that time is moving forwards ea. days later, before long
- Spell words from the Year 3/ 4 National Curriculum word list

### Iron Man – Ted Hughes

- Use apostrophes for possession accurately
- Add adjectives and prepositions into noun phrases to add detail e,g, disappearing cattle from the outskirts of the kingdom
- Use pronouns to avoid repetition e.g.
  Eleanor, she, her
- Use different nouns to avoid repeating the same nouns e.g. Eleanor, adventurer, explorer.
- Use fronted adverbials to show time, place and manner e.g. In the distant land, In a distant time.

## Suggested Home Activities

- Practise identifying word classes with your child (nouns, verbs, adjectives, adverbs)
- Practise punctuating direct speech
- Practise and develop use of exciting vocabulary.



# Year 4

# Autumn Key Objectives

#### Science

# Animals Including Humans – Digestion and teeth

- To describe simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans.
- To identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions.
- To construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey.

## Electricity - Simple circuits

- To identify common appliances that run on electricity
- To construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming it's basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers.
- To identify whether or not a lamp will light in a simple series circuit, based on whether or not the lamp is part of a complete loop with a battery.

# Suggested Home Activities

• Identify different foods that help support our digestive cycle.

## Maths

#### Place Value, Number

- To count forwards and backwards within 1000.
- To identify place value within 4 digit numbers.
- To use standard and non-standard partitioning.
- To identify 1000 more and 1000 less
- To compare 4 digit numbers
- To order 4 digit numbers
- To count in 500's 50's and 25's
- To order numbers on a number line.

#### Addition and Subtraction

- To scale known facts
- To add and subtract using place value
- To add and subtract using partitioning
- To add multiples of 1, 100, 100 and 1000
- To find the difference
- To use addition and subtraction to calculate the inverse
- To bridge using partitioning
- To add using near doubles

## Suggested Home Activities

- TT Rockstars
- Hit the button
- Top Marks

Use playing cards to practise multiplication, addition and subtractions facts (draw two cards at once and either multiply, divide, add or subtract them)

# Geography

#### Why do people live near volcanoes?

 To identify why people live near volcanoes and compare positives and negatives

#### Art

#### Seurat and Pointillism

 To accurately re create Seurat and Pointillism artwork.

## Music

#### Ukulele

• To develop rhythm and skill whilst playing the ukulele.

## **PSHE**

## Families and Relationships

 To identify how relationships are formed and developed

## Health and Wellbeing

- To identify ways to keep our body healthy
- To understand how we can best support our wellbeing and why it is so important

## RE

# How do Jews demonstrate their faith through their communities?

 To understand how Jews demonstrate their faith

# Why do Christians think about incarnation at Christmas?

 To understand why Christians think about incarnation at Christmas

## Computer

#### Emailing

 To understand the purpose and structure of emails.

#### Scratch

• To develop skill and understanding whilst using scratch.

# History

## Ancient Egyptian civilisation

- To understand how Ancient Egyptians lived
- To describe what an Egyptian civilisation would have looked like
- To identify features and landmarks within Egyptian civilisations

#### MFL

#### Phonics - 1 and 2

To understand basic Phonics sounds

### Les forms, les legumes

 To recognise, recall and spell different phrases in french

#### DT

#### Textiles – Egyptian collars

- To create an Egyptian collar
- To plan, modify, make and evaluate their design

#### PE

#### Hockey

 To develop hand eye coordination and practice multiple variations of Hockey manouvers

## Gymnastics

To perform a sequence gymnastic movements

#### Football

 To develop different skills such as passing, dribbling, shooting and positional awareness

#### Dance

• To develop core strength and balance