



# Class 3 - Summer 1

## Key Information



Welcome to our Learning Overview for Class 3.

In our class we have Mrs Barker as the class teacher and Mrs Maden as our Teaching Assistant.



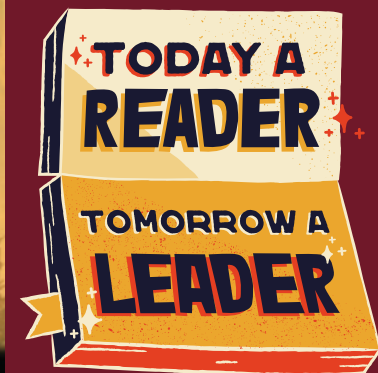
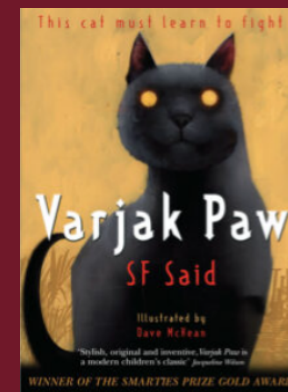
Our PE days are Monday and Thursday (swimming).

Important dates for this half term:

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May - Natue Day to celebrate David Attenborough's 100th birthday

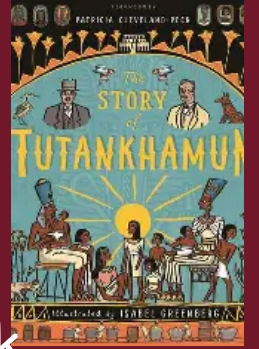
Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May - Year 4 LTT experience (water sports)

During the end-of-day storytime, we are reading  
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## Writing

In writing this half-term, we will be focussing our learning around the book *The Story of Tutankhamun*. We will be writing non fiction reports about life in Ancient Egypt before moving on to find out more from the book about Howard Carter and the discovery of Tutankhamun. We will explore the legends about the curse around this historic event and we will write instructions, newspaper reports and diary entries. To finish our work the children will write biographies on Howard Carter.

## Reading

In our reading lessons we have started reading the story *Attack of the Robber Bees*. In each session we focus on learning new vocabulary, tricky words and focus words. Daily reading at home will support your child's progression with their fluency. Home readin books can be changed every Thursday.





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## Maths

In Maths we have started the half term completing our work on capacity and volume. Following this, we will complete work on money. This will focus on recognising coins and notes, adding and subtracting amounts of money and using this for solving problems where they need to calculate change.

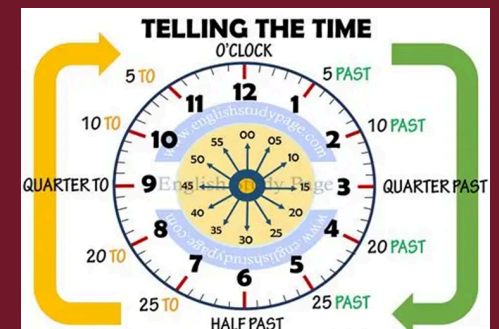
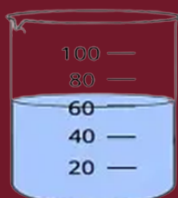
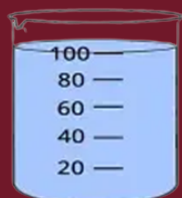
Towards the end of the half term we will complete work base around telling the time on analogue and digital clocks.

Practising telling the time at home would support your child in

their learning.

Capacity

Volume

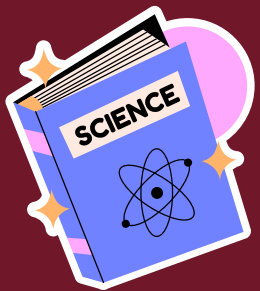




## R.E.

Is the 'Golden Rule' agreed by everyone?

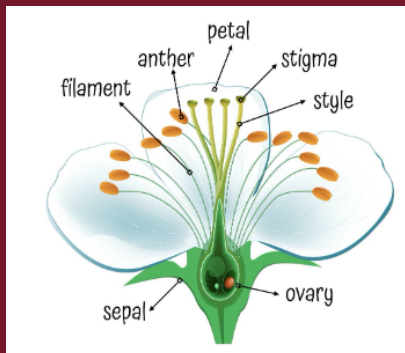
In R.E. we will the children will have an opportunity to consider the value and purpose of rules and examine Christian rules for living and the source of these rules. This will encourage pupils to reflect upon their own lifestyle and the influences upon it. We will also investigate the rules followed by other world faiths and the ways in which these rules influence behaviour and decisions.



## Science

In Science the children will be learning about the different parts of plants (roots, stem, leaves, flowers) and their specific functions. We will learn that plants need water, light, air, nutrients, and space to grow and that water moves through a plant from roots to leaves.

Following this, we will learn how flowers are involved in reproduction through pollination and fertilisation and that seeds are formed after fertilisation and can be dispersed in different ways.



# History

In History, we will be learning about Ancient Egypt and that it was a powerful civilisation with an organised way of life. We will learn about the life of Pharaohs and how this differed from the life of peasants. We will also learn about the River Nile and how this was essential for farming, travel, and survival. Following this we will learn about the many gods Ancient Egyptians believed in and the after life including the tombs that were built.

Key vocabulary – Pharaoh, hierarchy, civilisation, society, peasant, noble, priest, pyramid, mummification, belief, power





## P.E.

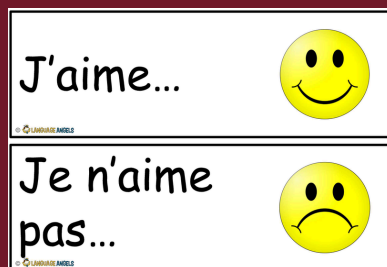
In our Monday PE lessons we will be practising our tennis skills. This will focus on controlling the ball and accuracy when using a tennis racket.

On Thursdays the children will be swimming.

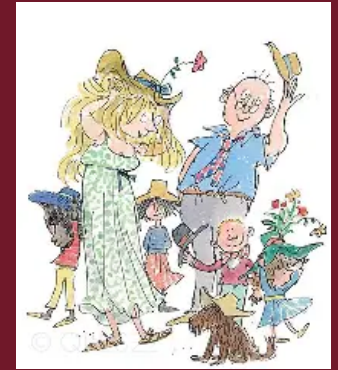


## French

This half term the children will be learning language related to fruits. The children will learn the names of 10 fruits in french and will learn how to give simple opinions such as 'I like' and 'I do not like'.



## Art



This half term the children will explore telling stories through drawing and making. They will explore the work of Inbal Leitner and Quentin Blake before designing and making their own character.

	French	English
	les pommes	the apples
	les fraises	the strawberries
	les pêches	the peaches
	les bananes	the bananas
	les cerises	the cherries
	les oranges	the oranges
	les prunes	the plums
	les poires	the pears
	les kiwis	the kiwis
	les abricots	the apricots



## P.S.H.E.



During P.S.H.E., the children will be focusing their learning on economic wellbeing. This unit will focus on how to determine value for money and what influences people's decisions on making purchases. The children will also learn about the importance of tracking money and the features of bank accounts.

## Music



This half term the children will be learning about samba music and carnival sounds from South America. The children will think about the features of this kind of music and explore the instruments and beats used to create it.