

# Spring 2



## Year 3 & 4


Dear Parents and carers,

Welcome back. We hope you had a lovely, restful half term. Here is an idea of what we will be learning in Year 3 and 4 in our new topics over the next 5 weeks. Our Lens this half term is: **'Spirituality'**. Our Big Question this half term is: **'Where is belonging?'**, where we will look at **'What was important to Ancient Egyptians?'** in history and **'Light'** in science.

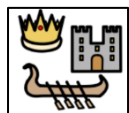
### What will we be learning?

We have lots of great learning opportunities coming up this half-term:

#### Maths:

-   $2+3=5$
- Decimals/ fractions
  - Measure – money
  - Time

**English:** We will be reading two wonderful books called *The Story of Tutankhamun* by Patricia Cleveland-Peck, and *Secrets of a Sunk King* by Emma Carroll to help develop our writing skills as well as explore Ancient Egypt.



**History:** We will be exploring what was important to the Ancient Egyptians. Within our lessons, we will explore how we know so much about Ancient Egyptians, who their gods and goddesses were, what they believed about life and death and how why the River Nile was important to them.

**RE:** We will explore the question: Do you need to be part of a faith community to be part of an organised world view? As well, we will explore the Gospel as part of our Understanding Christianity Unit.



**Art:** This half term we will be looking at Drawing. We will develop drawing skills to create our own Egyptian Death Mask. For our Artist study we will be looking at Salvador Dali.

**Science:** This half term, we will be looking at Light. We will explore how shadows are formed, strength of shadow and investigate how shadows can be affected.



**PE:** Children will be doing Athletics with Mr Whittle on a Monday – for all classes. With class teachers, children will be looking at Tennis. Remember children are to come to school in PE kit on PE days.

**Computing:** We will explore privacy and security in our online safety sessions. As well, we will be looking at animation and presenting information.





**Music:** Year 3 and 4 will be singing each Monday morning. They will also begin to look at composing music using keyboards or recorders.

## Parent Drop-ins

Subject	Date	Activity
Science	Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> May 2026	Shadows
History	Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	Unveiling mummified tomatoes

### **Dates to remember:**

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2026 - Sports Day