



St John's Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Term 6: Walk like an Egyptian Continued!

We are going to be continuing our topic on Ancient Egypt next term as the children have enjoyed it so much and this term has only been 5 weeks. We have a great literacy writing unit to complement it called Cindy, Ann and Bones and The Temple of Boom. This is a really interactive unit of work that includes reading and writing character descriptions, letters and scripts, a big focus on editing and improving work as well as creating a film based on the children's writing. We will continue uploading work on our blog www.walklikeanegyptian.primaryblogger.co.uk so do follow along and comment!

Walk like an Egyptian Topic Overview Year 3

Classroom Environment	Egyptian display	Educational Visits	
Wow Factor Launch	Video launching literacy unit	Key Texts	The Egyptian Cinderella
Outcomes /Open Day Focus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Exhibition of work ✓ Film ✓ Blog 	Homework	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Weekly reading task - Egyptian topic project
English	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Writing to inform: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Report on the Nile ✓ Temple of Boom literacy unit and film making 	RE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Christianity
Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Money ✓ Measures ✓ Shape ✓ Angles 	Art / DT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Egyptian jewellery ✓ Mummification process with a Barbie (!) ✓ Sarcophagus with clay ✓ Papyrus paper making
Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Animals including humans 	Music	Recorders



Computing	✓ Scratch Questions and Quizzes	PE	✓ Athletics ✓ Rounders ✓ Cricket
		Forest School	✓ Directions, angles
History	✓ Ancient and modern day Egypt	French	✓ Family and friends
Geography	✓ Life on the Nile and comparisons to the River Thames	PSHE + SMSC	✓ Friendships ✓ Changes

We will be doing PE on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. One of these sessions will be at the field with Year 4. Forest School will be on Thursday mornings.

The Year 3 sleepover at school will be on Thursday 29th June. More information on this will follow later in the term.

As this is the children's final term in Year 3, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all of your support during the year. It has been a really happy and successful year and I'm really proud of everything the children have accomplished.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Harrison