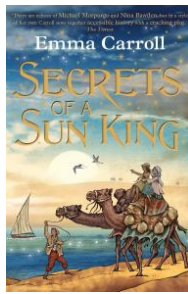


ENGLISH

In the summer term, we will be reading **Secrets of a Sun King** by Emma Carroll as our class text. This will link into history and other topics. We will also be covering persuasive letter writing, diaries and character descriptions in our writing lessons. As well as focusing on a range of reading skills, in our reading lessons. Children are also expected to read their class/ library books at home and have parent comments written daily into their journals.



HUMANITIES

The children will be working on a project about the history of three of the world's first ancient civilizations in the summer term. This half term they will be focusing on the ancient Sumer and start looking at ancient Egypt too. Children will learn about the rise, life, achievements and the eventual end of each civilization.



SCIENCE

This term children will be learning about electrical circuits and conductors. Children will learn about electrical appliances and safety. They construct simple series circuits and name their parts and functions, including switches, wires and cells. They investigate electrical conductors and insulators and identify common features of conductors.



MATHS

This term children will revise fractions and will learn how to operate with fractions greater than 1. They will also read fractional measurements from scales and will calculate fractions of numbers.

They will also keep revising times tables in preparation for a national test. The need to know all their times tables up to 12 x 12.

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ART

Year 4 will be studying Islamic art, explaining the significance of art and architecture from history and will be creating work inspired by it. They will also be using clay to create an experimental 3D form.



COMPUTING

This term children will be coding and programming Sphero balls to do a long jump. They will test and re-program to achieve the best possible results.



PE

4W and 4R will be alternating This term between cricket and athletics.

We have many talented sportspeople in the year group, so this promises to be a great half term.



MUSIC



This half term children will continue to learn how to play the Nuvo Dood. The music specialist teacher will teach the children various compositions and support their development.

RE AND PSHE

In RE, the children will learn about the 10 Commandments, Jesus' teachings about the 10 Commandments and Salah. We will also look at being temperate, self-disciplined and seeking contentment.

In PSHE, the children will learn about how our choices can have an effect on other people and the environment. We will consider how we spend our money, our personal responsibility and how we can make choices based on compassion.