#### **ENGLISH**

Children will focus on the text:

**'The Story of Tutankhamun'** – children will create a non-chronological report about Ancient Egypt. They will also create a diary entry from the perspective of Howard Carter.

<u>Daily Shared Reading</u> - sessions will help children to develop their comprehension skills with a focus on vocabulary and questioning techniques using the text '*The Gods are Watching*.

<u>Spelling / Handwriting</u> - children will have three dedicated spelling lessons per week, a spelling activity four times a week during welcome time and two discrete handwriting sessions. Please see spelling overview for further details.

## **MATHEMATICS**

- Adding and subtracting across 10
- Numbers to 1,000
- Numbers to 10,000
- Column Addition
- Column Subtraction
- Times table practice
- Mastering number fluency sessions

### **SCIENCE**

#### Autumn 1

#### Sound

Pupils will be taught to:

- identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating
- recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear
- find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it
- find patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibrations that produced it
- recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases

## Autumn 2

# Living things and their habitats

Pupils will be taught to:

- recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways
- explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in their local and wider environment
- recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things

#### PE

Autumn 1 Gymnastics and striking and fielding

Autumn 2 Gymnastics and net/wall

## <u>ART</u>

## Autumn 1

Ancient Egyptians: drawing and painting including cartouches.

## **DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY**

### Autumn 2 Nile Crocodile with Opening Jaws (Pneumatic Toy)

Children will design and make a moving crocodile toy that uses air to open and close its jaws. It will link to our Egyptian learning and be appealing to younger children as a fun, educational toy.

### COMPUTING

Autumn 1 Learners will apply their knowledge and understanding of networks, to appreciate the internet as a network of networks which need to be kept secure. They will learn that the World Wide Web is part of the internet and will be given opportunities to explore the World Wide Web for themselves in order to learn about who owns content and what they can access, add, and create. Finally, they will evaluate online content to decide how honest, accurate, or reliable it is, and understand the consequences of false information.

#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

## Autumn 1 Understanding Christianity (Creation/Fall)

Children will be exploring and answering the question: 'What do Christians learn from the creation story?'

## Autumn 2 Buddhism (Buddha's teachings)

Children will be exploring and answering the question: 'Is it possible for everyone to be happy?'

## E4S

## Autumn 1

We will be learning about decision making, taking risks, bullying, personal boundaries and dares.

#### Autumn 2

We will be continuing to learn about personal boundaries and rights to privacy.

## HISTORY

#### **Autumn 1 Ancient Egyptians**

Children will be learning about the Ancient Egyptian civilisation. They will explore what life was like for children, their beliefs about the afterlife and the Gods that they worshipped. They will also be experimenting with mummification later in the term.

### **GEOGRAPHY**

<u>Autumn 2</u> Children will use map skills to learn about Geography of the UK. They will learn to locate regions and counties of the UK and observe how they have changed over time and identify human and physical features of the UK.

# MUSIC (Mrs. Wellby)

Autumn 1 This Little Light of Mine - Children will:

Improvise with voices on the notes of the pentatonic scale

Sing in a Gospel style with expression and dynamics.

Sing Part 1 of a partner song rhythmically.

Play a bass part and rhythm ostinato along with 'This little light of mine.'

Listen and move in time to songs in a Gospel style.

## **FRENCH**

<u>Autumn 1</u> France, French greetings, names, numbers 0 – 50, colours, date and birthday (year 4 recap)

Autumn 2 Pets, at home, going to school