

Science (Classification and habitats):

- Learning about how animals and living things can be classified.
- Sorting animals and living things into different habitats.
- Creating our own classification keys.
- Visiting Brockwell Greenhouses.

PSHE:

- The unit we will be covering is Being Me in My World.
- These sessions will help us to allow others to feel welcome and consider other people's feelings, as well as our own.

Computing:

- To describe how networks physically connect to other networks
- To outline how websites can be shared via the World Wide Web (WWW).

P.E:

This half term:

- Outdoor sessions will focus on football skills.
- We will be taking part in weekly swimming sessions.

Mathematics

This half term we will focus on place value including:

- Representing numbers to 1,000 and 10,000
- Rounding to the nearest 10, 100 and 1,000
- Partition numbers to 1,000 and 10,000.

Music:

In music this half term, the children will explore ancient Egyptian style music.

Humanities:

- The children will research and use artefacts to find out about the Ancient Egyptians
- They will explore the different gods and goddesses that Egyptians worshipped.
- In geography, the children will develop their map skills and locate the River Nile on a map.
- The children will discover the mummification process and create comic strips to sequence this.

Religious Education:

- The children will be looking at the life of Moses and his role.
- They will focus on stories from the Old Testament.
- The children will also learn about the ten plagues and why the Israelites were protected from the last plague.
- They will also understand the rules.

Art & DT:

- Use a sketchbook to collect their ideas and use this to make their final piece.
- They will make a hieroglyphic with a secret message by using their own symbols.

English:

- They will use quality texts to inspire our writing such as 'There's a Pharaoh in our bath' by Jeremy Strong
- Children will use this to develop their story writing skills.
- They will have a focus on using adjectives and expanded noun phrases to add description.
- Children will share/perform their stories with children from other classes.

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To make this topic even more relevant, and ensure the knowledge sticks, the children will be:

Visiting the British Museum's Egyptian exhibition
Visiting Brockwell Green houses

