

Curriculum Overview Tarka Class KS1 – Summer term 2022

HISTORY – Ancient Egypt : Children will explore and investigate what it was like to live in Ancient Egypt ,Understand the importance of the river Nile, talk about key historical figures: Howard Carter and Tutankhamun and understand how hieroglyphics have enabled us to find out about life in ancient Egypt.



GEOGRAPHY – Compare and contrast physical and human geography of the UK with a contrasting locality. We will explore Devon and the contrasting locality of India.

ENGLISH – We will continue with our fabulous Read Write inc phonics plus English sequences: with a fiction , non-fiction and poetry focus. Texts include: Orion and the dark(3wks) , How to grow a lettuce,(2 weeks) Stuck (3 weeks),Hidden world -ocean (3wks). Poetry 'I love bugs'. We will have access to high quality reading texts non- fiction, fiction and poetry.



RE/ PHSE/ SMSC: Values based teaching in RE/ PSHE lessons using SCARF resources. RE 'Who is Jewish and how do they live?' How should we care for the world and for others and why does it matter? Scarf: Being my best. Growing and changing.

COMPUTING: Digital writing -developing skills using a chrome book: becoming proficient with a keyboard, adding and deleting text and exploring the tool bar.

MUSIC: Voices Foundation: Singing tuition from the Voices Foundation with instrumental work based on pitch.

SCIENCE: SU 1 Plants -children will be experimenting with planting and growing a variety of plants and observing the changes that occur as they grow. They will identify wild plants that grow in our school grounds. They will investigate the differences between deciduous and evergreen trees and cultivate a range of fruit and vegetables



Summer 2 Animal Kingdom, - Habitats

We will investigate and explore and investigate characteristics of living things, habitats and micro habitats. We will research desert, rainforest and city habitats.



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Art/ DT: Projects including: creating a self portrait ,Pharoah art, design and create an Egyptian necklace and design and create a clay cartouche compete with hieroglyphics.
Summer 2: Mini beast sculptures- we will use our observations from our science sessions to create marvellous mini beast sculptures .



MATHEMATICS – We will continue to follow the White Rose maths scheme of learning.

Y1 will focus on: consolidation of prior knowledge and multiplication and division, place value within 50, fractions, Geometry , position and direction, Place value within 100,measurement,money and time. **Y2** will focus on consolidation of prior knowledge and length and height and position and direction. Time, mass capacity and temperature.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION: Developing our Athletics skills with Mr Pugh.

SWIMMING – We will continue our swimming lessons at Ruby Oak Park in the second half of term where we will have weekly lessons to consolidate and improve our swimming confidence and skills.

