Year 6

Autumn Term 1

Treasures of the Desert

English

Focus Text: Holes

- Make inferences about characters
- Empathise with a character to develop thoughts and feelings
- Analyse vocabulary choices
- Read a variety of diary entries and identify the features
- Plan and write a diary in the role of a chosen character
- Explore an Ancient Egyptian artefact and explain how it works
- Explain the process of mummification and define the key words associated with it

Geography/History

Children should learn:

- To locate Egypt on a map and locate Upper and Lower Egypt.
- Locate historic landmarks and understand the situation of Upper and Lower Egpyt.
- Discover the importance of the River Nile and its uses
- Understand the social hierarchy of the Ancient Egpytian people
- Label the attire of a pharaoh
- Describe the seasons of the Ancient Egyptian calendar

PSHE

Children should learn:

- Define the terms: rights, rules and responsibilities
- Explore the rights of the child and what responsibilities come with them
- Know why children have rights
- Why we have rules
- Rules at home and rules at school
- Responsibilities at home and at school

Maths

Children should learn:

- Place value of numbers up to ten million
- To compare and order numbers to ten million
- Round any integer
- Use formal methods for the four operations
- Explore factors, multiples, prime, square and cubed numbers
- Calculate using BIDMAS

Science

Children should learn:

- To work scientifically
- To plan and conduct an experiment
- To observe changes over time
- To conclude an experiment - describe why results have occurred
- To develop an understanding of preservation

RE

Children should learn:

- Explore the beliefs of the Ancient Egyptians
- Discuss the strengths of the Gods and Goddesses
- Explain why animals were worshipped by the ancient Egyptians and what qualities they symbolised.
- To explore and ancient artefact

Computing

Children should learn:

- Navigate Google Classroom
- Identify uses of search engines
- Use search engines to research information for our topic (including Black History Month)
- Present research using Google Slides

PE

Children should learn:

- To pass a rugby ball with correct technique and accuracy
- To apply strategies for attacking and defensive play
- To follow the rules of the game and play as part of a team
- To perform with correct gymnastic form and combine balances and movements to perform a sequenced routine
- To evaluate my performance using self and peer feedback

French

Children should learn:

- To explore the use of grammar contexts accurately in written and spoken French

Art

Children should learn:

- To read and write using hieroglyphics
- To use an ancient skill to make papyrus
- To sculpt a clay shabti suitable for the afterlife.
- Gto design and make a pharaoh's nemes crown