

## Year 4 Parent/ Carer Newsletter –Summer Half Term 2

The aim of our new curriculum is to link much of the work around a theme, which makes learning more exciting and purposeful.

### Science

Our Science focus will be on habitats, bees and the human body. The habitat and bees topic is perfect for this time of year and a lot of these lessons will be outside, hands-on lessons!

### Music

Children will be learning some music in their creative carousel activities.

### English Work

We will be looking the story Egyptian Cinderella during our English lessons. This is similar to the well known story of Cinderella but it was an Egyptian twist! The children will then write their own fairy-tale with an Ancient Egyptian twist.

### Religious Education

This term the focus will be on symbols and religions.

This half term our topic is:  
**Ancient Egyptians**

### Modern Foreign Languages

The children will continue with their French lessons. This half term, they will learn French words associated with cafés, food and drinks.

### Mathematics

In sets, we will concentrate on: revising and revisiting some of the topics we have learnt so far, such as time and multiplying and dividing numbers by 10 and 100.

PE  
We will be going swimming every Friday and this half term we will be doing athletics.

### ICT/Computing, Art and DT

ICT: We will be learning how to use word documents and how to create our own animations.

Art and DT: We will continue doing a range of activities in Creative Carousel, relating to Ancient Egypt (e.g. creating a mask like the Pharaoh Tutankhamun's.)

### How you can help?

Please listen to your child read on a daily basis and ask questions relating to the text. Also, ensuring your child knows their times tables up to 12 x 12 and completes their weekly spellings and any other homework.