

**Year group:** 6

**Class :** Royal Terns—Mrs Jones

Heacham Junior  
School



**Term:** Autumn Term 2018

**Literacy:**

**Writing:** Biography about Howard Carter and Tutankhamun, explanations about the mummification process, newspaper articles and story writing focused on Ancient Egyptians.

**Grammar** and spelling taught in specific lessons and also linked to texts.

**Reading:** Guided reading and reading skills lessons using topic related texts.

## The Big Dig: The Ancient Egyptians



**Numeracy:**

Place value: ordering numbers, number facts, decimals and negative numbers.

Consolidation of the 4 operations, including written methods for multiplication and division.

Fractions, percentages,  
2-D shapes and 3-D solids; angles.

**Science:**

Forces - Friction, air resistance, water resistance, levers and pulleys

The Water Cycle.

Adaptation of animals and plants in a desert climate and habitat.

**Computing:**

E-Safety—using the internet.

An introduction to coding and programming.

Using spreadsheets.

**MFL:**

Recapping French knowledge, learning about France, telling the time in French.

**PSHE**

Keeping yourself safe.

British Values.

**History:**

The Ancient Egyptians - timelines, using sources to learn about life in this era, how this era shaped the modern world.

**Geography:**

World maps - Where is Egypt? Rivers ( Nile). Climatic zones. Time zones.

**Art and design:**

Drawing - cats, temples in Egypt, Egyptian necklaces, Papyrus pictures and cartouches.

**Design & Technology:**

Designing and making canopic jars, ICT resources to create pyramids

**RE:**

What are the rules?

How do different religions celebrate life and death?

**Music:**

Explore Egyptian pentatonic scale through listening and performing, compose music to honour a God and singing.

**PE:**

Swimming. Games—mixture of ball games, athletics, gym.