



Torridon
Primary School

Reading

We shall explore a range of reading skills through high quality texts linked to the Egyptians. These skills will include: prediction, summarising, evaluating authors' word choices, inference and retrieval. We will continue to work on phonics, blending and fluency.

Writing

In writing, we will be focusing on two core texts. Firstly, we will be looking at 'Cinderella of the Nile' by Marjan Vafaeian. Secondly, we will be focusing on 'Flyntlock Bones: The Sceptre of the Pharaoh' by Derek Keilty. We will use these fantastic, rich texts to teach a range of writing skills to children.

Mathematics

This half term, we will be working on multiplication and division. Children will be focusing on learning new ways to multiply and divide as well as working on their fluency with the times tables.

Meet the Team!

Team Leader: Lena

Teaching Staff: Tom, Ana, Lena, Karen

Support Staff: Allison, Chantay, Bella, Kristina, Valerie, Elizabeth, Liz

Awesome Egyptians



Supporting Your Child's Learning at Home

Please support your child to complete their weekly Mathletics and Spag.com tasks set each Friday. We also expect children to read for between 20 and 30 minutes daily.

Resource Base Blue/Green

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Science

This term, we shall be studying forces and magnetism. We will be looking at the different forces that affect the physical world and how human's can harness them. We will be looking at magnetism, how it works and how different materials react differently to magnetic pulls. We will also be focusing on two key scientists—William Gilbert and Hans Christian Oersted.

History, PSHE and RE

In history this term, we shall learn all about the ancient Egyptians and their remarkable achievements, as well as carry out the mummification process on vegetables! Our core theme in PSHE is 'Wider World' and our RE focus will be Christianity and the Bible.

PE

Year 3 will be having PE sessions on a **Wednesday**. This half term, we will be learning to play tri-golf. Our weekly dance lessons will continue to be on a **Friday**. The children will need to come to school in their PE kits on both days.