



Year 5 – Autumn 1 2025

Ancient Egypt



English / Phonics

We will be looking at an Egyptian myth and at common features of myths from around the world. We will also be using the novel 'Secrets of the Sun King' to inspire our own writing and learn what life was like in Ancient Egyptian times. Children who need input on phonics will have this each morning.

Maths

We will be revisiting place value using concrete and pictorial methods. We will also revise how to multiply and divide by 10, 100 and 1000 as well as revisit Roman numerals. We will continue to apply our knowledge to reasoning and problem solving questions.

Science

Year 5 will learn all about the properties and changes of materials. We will revise the three states of matter and carry out experiments involving separating mixtures.

R.E.

We will be exploring values people live by and the codes that different religions follow.

Computing

We will be learning to be safe online, thinking about how we present ourselves and protect ourselves on the internet.

CLICK

In our CLICK lessons we will be learning about the Ancient Egyptians. We will examine artefacts and pictures to find out what life was really like and how they lived, ate, and worked in those times.

Key vocabulary

CLICK	Science	
Hieroglyphics	Conductor	Substance
Pharaoh	Condensing	Saturated solution
Sarcophagus	Dissolve	Soluble
Papyrus	Evaporation	Solution
Mummy	Flexible	
Mummification	Insoluble	
Canopic jars	Insulator	
Pyramid	Irreversible	
Sphinx	Magnetic	
Valley of the Kings	Material	
Afterlife	Opaque	
Akhet	Permeable	
River Nile	Reversible	



PE: 5AP – Swimming every Wednesday and P.E on Thursday

5IC – P.E Tuesday and Thursdays

Kit: plain t-shirt, plain shorts, pumps or trainers.

Swimming:

Kit: towel, swimming trunks / costume, **swimming cap** – no bikinis or tankinis.

No jewellery to be worn in these lessons



Wednesday.

GROW will link to both our CLICK and Science topics.



Being Me in My World

Homework

At the start of every half term your child will be given a booklet which will include...

Spelling lists for the whole half term to learn which they will be tested on in class.

Maths sheets

CLICK activities to complete.

They should also read to an adult at least 3 times a week at home and should keep practising the 6, 7 and 8 times tables. Children who complete homework will be rewarded in class.

