

# Diamond Class Newsletter

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Welcome back! We hope you had a wonderful festival break.

We are looking forward to some new learning & this term our topic is all about 'The Egyptians'.

**P.E is on Monday and Thursday**

Please could you ensure your child has their P.E kit in school all week.

**Please remove earrings on these days** - this is an important health and safety issue.



Curriculum information

Our topic in term 3 is 'The Egyptians'



English: For our Non fiction text we will be learning about Farming in Ancient Egypt. For our Fiction text we will be learning about the Egyptian Myth Isis and Osiris.

Maths: In Maths we will be learning about Multiplication, Division and Money.

Science: In Science we will be learning about Healthy Eating. We will be comparing our diet to the Ancient Egyptians' diet. We also have a very fun Science experiment we will be looking at all term!

PE: Gymnastics will be on a Tuesday and Hockey will be on a Wednesday.

Computing: We will researching the different Egyptian Gods and creating a presentation about a God of their choice.

Art/DT: This term the children will be making clay cartouches and Gods and pyramids.

RE: In RE we will be learning about Judaism.

## How can you help at home?

**Homework will be coming home at the start of each term. There will be a menu of homework to pick from and 3 times a term you will be asked to complete a task from the menu.**

**The homework dates are:**

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January, Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January and Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February.**

## How can you help at home?

Times Table and Division Facts

Your child needs to be practising their times tables and division facts

We will be focusing on the x3, x4 and x8.

### Water bottles

Please could you ensure that your child brings a named drink bottle to school each day, to have in the classroom. **This should contain water only, no juice or squash please.**



### Clothing

Please make sure all items of your child's clothing has their name on it. It makes it much easier to reunite children with lost clothes and saves you the stress! Please use a permanent laundry marker or sewn in name labels as biro washes out easily. This includes their PE kit, coats etc.

### Reading books

Each week your child is listened to reading their reading books as well as reading in different situations. Reading is a tricky skill to master and **your child will benefit from reading with you at home as much as possible to build confidence and fluency.**



Please ensure that your child's reading book is brought into school every day. Thank you!