

WHAT WAS LIFE LIKE IN ANCIENT EGYPT?

Week 1

To begin our topic on the Ancient Egyptians, we will become archaeologists, unearthing new and exciting about the Ancient Egyptians, and using what we have found to decorate our pyramids. We will also look at the location of Egypt and identify key features create our own maps

Week 3

In History this week, we will learn about the key achievements of the Ancient Egyptians: hieroglyphics and the pyramids. We will study the different symbols used by the Egyptians and use these to write our own name using hieroglyphs. We will also learn about the pyramids: how they were built, what was inside and why they were built

Week 5

The Ancient Egyptians had important beliefs and this week we will learn about their Gods. We will learn how many of their gods included animal features and why they were important to the people. We will then create masks to represent the Gods we have learnt about.

Week 2

This week we will learn about the importance of the River Nile and how it played an important role in shaping the lives and society of Ancient Egypt. We will discover how it provided them with food, transportation, building materials and much more.
In Art, we will learn about Queen Nefertiti and use her famous sculpture to inspire our own artwork.

Week 4

In History this week, we will learn about the famous and important Pharaohs of Ancient Egypt, including Tutankhamen. We will help each other to research and discover key facts about them, before creating fact files to describe our favourites. In Art, we will be learning about amulets, and exploring the different clay techniques we will need to use to create our own amulet.

Week 6

Express - Ancient Egypt Museum

This week we will revisit and recall all of our learning to create our very own museum about Ancient Egypt. We will be creating guides to teach others about all that we have learnt in this topic. We will showcase our Pharaoh fact files, maps of Ancient Egypt, Queen Nefertiti artworks, hieroglyphics, animal masks and much more!

This week we will also complete our own Ancient Egyptian amulets, using all of the clay skills we have been developing, as well as choosing colours to reflect the importance of our amulet.

