### **Key Writing Focus**

Narrative - Cultural Non-fiction - Biography Poetry - Haiku

#### Reading / Phonics Focus

Retrieval: retrieving information from poetry, fiction and non-fiction

Inference: Fiction

Vocabulary: Looking at meaning of words in po-

etry, fiction and non-fiction

### **Science Focus**

Chemistry —rocks
Physics —light

### **DT Focus**

Shell Structures

#### **PE Focus**

Gymnastics

Dance

Personal skills

### Maths Focus

Place Value Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division

### **Art Focus**

Drawing, Textiles and 3D



## Egyptians





### **Geography Focus**

Locational Knowledge

# History Focus

#### **PSHE / RSHE Focus**

Being me in the world.

Celebrating differences.

### **RE Focus**

Hinduism—What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?

### **Computing Focus**

E-Safety

**Programming using Scratch** 

#### MFL Focus

Spanish -

Numbers, Greetings, Classroom instructions

#### Music Focus

Let Your Spirit Fly

### The Lamport Autumn Term Topic is

# Egyptians

We will be studying all about Ancient Egyptians.

### PE Days

Our PE days will be Monday and Thursday. Please ensure your kit is in school at the beginning of each new half term. It will be sent home at the end of each half term to be washed.

Please make sure your child has the correct PE kit for the lessons (plain white t-shirt, black shorts, trainers, hair tie for long hair). If the weather is not pleasant

#### Extra Home Learning Task

Please choose one of the following activities and bring in once completed.

- Create a fact file about an Egyptian God
- Imagine you are an Egyptian God. What would you look like and what would you be the God of?
  - Create a temple for an Egyptian God.

### How Can You Help at Home?

**Reading:** Every child has a reading record. Every time you read with your child, please can you sign it. It is important that your child reads to you and that you read to your child, as well as your child reading independently — all of these activities can be recorded in the reading record and I love reading your comments in these each day.

**Spelling:** In order for children to store spelling learning in their long term memory, it is important that they over-learn their spellings. So even if your child seems to have grasped their spelling for the week, please continue to spend a few minutes each day on these to ensure that they are not forgotten a few weeks later.

**Maths:** Times Tables Rockstars is an online website that allows your child to practise their times tables in a fun way. Your child has been given a password and username so that they can access the site. Please encourage your child to use the site at least ten minutes every day to secure this learning as it is absolutely crucial for their mathematical development. If your child has forgotten their password, please speak to their class teacher.

**Maths facts:** Each week we will focus on a different mathematical fact. Spend the week learning this really well (instant recall).

**Homework** will go out on a Wednesday and sent in on a Tuesday. Please support your child in finding a quiet area for them to work and please just ask if we can help with anything (before the Tuesday please).

Important Dates for Lamport Class

6<sup>th</sup> September: Egyptian Day

8<sup>th</sup> November: Harvest Festival

14<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas Carol Concert

<u> 17<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas Service</u>