Autumn 1



Year 3

Sparrow Class

Wider curriculum homework

These ideas are for optional homework which will complement our learning from the first half of the autumn term. Your child can choose whichever they would enjoy the most. The links are to suitable websites, but don't forget you can make use of the library. Projects are to be completed by the end of the half term holiday but can be brought in at any point before then if they are ready.

Topic

1. Research an area of ancient Egyptian life which interests you.
http://www.ancientegypt.co.uk/
https://www.dkfindout.com/uk/history/ancient-egypt/
https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zg87xnb

2. Make something, such as a Canopic jar, sarcophagus, a model of a pyramid or this milk carton mummy: https://www.darrellwakelam.com/downloads?itemId=zqww6f0wowgdoe5tilgizfvvnzouif

3. Listen to these podcasts for children about Ancient Egypt (from one of the writers of Horrible Histories) on BBC Sounds.
Egyptian Religion: https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/m000spsx
Cleopatra: https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/m000kgnr

4. Visit the Fitzwilliam Museum Ancient Egypt rooms. You could draw and label some objects in the gallery or write about what you saw.

5. If you can't visit the museum, you could complete one of the ancient Egyptian 'Look, Think, Do' activities from the Fitzwilliam Museum:
https://fitzmuseum.cam.ac.uk/learning/look-think-do/the-coffin-set-of-pakepu

Art

Make a fact file about Picasso
https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore/who-is/who-pablo-picasso
https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/make/cut-paste/make-picasso-fortune-teller



Draw a portrait of yourself or a member of your family. Can you make it in the style of Picasso? Try moving around the person you are drawing as you work and drawing them from different angles. Or, cut out different parts of faces from magazines and stick them all together to make a new face.
https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p01d6d7x

Religious Education

Visit a place of worship to take a photo or do a drawing of it and label its key features.

Computing

Make an animation in Scratch using the skills you have been learning
https://scratch.mit.edu/

Science

Please see the additional sheet. You can choose how you record and present your science work.