



Slingsby Community Primary School – Summer term 1.  
Class 2 curriculum newsletter.



**Computing**

- Making music
- Data and information

**Music**

- Rhythm
- Pulse
- Beat
- Chanting songs and rhymes

**Science – Forces and Magnets**

- Compare how things move and what force is used.
- Observe how magnets attract and repel.
- Describe magnets as having two poles.
- Carry out a fair test and make predictions.

**PE**

- Locomotion - Dodging
- Locomotion - Jumping

**Events**

- Visit to York Mosque
- Science Bus – Year 3
- KS1 – Sats – Year 2

**Art/DT**

- Opie style portraits
- Digital World – Electronic charm.

**RE /PSHE**

- RE – Why do people pray?
- PSHE – Economic wellbeing

**History / Geography**  
Ancient Egypt

- The role of the River Nile.
- The chronology of Ancient Egypt and the three kingdoms.
- Tutankhamun / Howard Carter
- Pyramids.
- Irrigation.
- Mummification.
- Hieroglyphs
- Egyptian Gods

# Ancient Egypt

**Languages**

- Vive le sport
- Que lest ton sport prefere?
- Days of the week

**Maths**

- Mass, capacity and temperature
- Fractions
- Time

**English**

- Diary Writing
- Recounts
- Traditional Tales – Baba Yaga and Hansel and Gretel.



**Important information**

- Class 2 will be taught by Mrs. Jordan, with teaching assistant support from Mrs Swallow and Mrs Grundmann
- Reading books will be changed on a regular basis, we do however, encourage as part of our Little Wandle Phonics that your child's book is read at least twice, this helps to build fluency as well as prosody (expression). Please can you aim to listen to your child read three times a week and write in their reading records as appropriate. **Reading books and spellings are placed in your child's tray within the classroom, they will be reminded, however it is their responsibility to remember to bring them home.**
- Spellings and timetables will be given weekly and the children will have their tests on a Monday morning. Please can you encourage your child / children to practice.
- Children will require their P.E bags in school all week –PE sessions for Class 2 will take place every Monday and Thursday. Children need a pair of trainers, socks, warm trousers and a jumper, as where possible PE will be outside.
- Merits will be awarded to the children for going above and beyond their expectations and achieving the next step in their learning. Class Do-jo's will be given during the school day for positive praise and can be awarded for kindness, helping others, trying hard and making great choices with their learning and behaviour.