



What's going on in Falcons Class this term?

A message from your

TEACHER

Dear Pupils, Parents and Guardians,
Welcome back to the second half of the autumn term. I hope you had a relaxing half term break and were able to enjoy the warmer weather for this time of year. The children worked hard in term 1 and I know that the demands of the year 6 curriculum took a bit of getting used to. I hope that you are ready to start the new term with enthusiasm and positivity.



If you have any questions, worries or issues you need to share, please do not hesitate to catch me at the end of the day at the door or contact the school office. Alternatively, you can send me an email at jbrown@ashckschool.org

Home Learning

Well done to all the children who submitted fantastic pieces of homework last term - they were proudly put on display in the corridor with many house points awarded. The format of the homework will stay the same - children need to complete tasks and show evidence of this in their homework book. Homework books and reading records need to be brought into school every day.

We would also appreciate support in: reading with your child at home daily, times tables on TTRS, as well as encouraging the use of Spelling Shed at home to help learn the weekly spelling rules.



How Old is Ancient Egypt?



Our overarching theme this term is all based around the Ancient Egyptians. Much of the learning that takes place in other subjects will be cross curricular and link to the topic wherever possible.



English and Maths



For our English lessons will be researching and finding information about Ancient Egypt; where it is, how we know about it and how King Tutankhamun's tomb was discovered. Different texts we will be studying and writing will include a newspaper report, a journal, and an adventure story.

In Maths this term there is a heavy focus on fractions. This is one of the trickier areas of maths and so we will be spending quite a few weeks on it. We will also be doing geometry; coordinates and shape transformations.

Each week we will also be focusing on times table and mental maths practice too.

PE

Our PE days will continue to be on a **Tuesday and Thursday**.

All children will need to ensure that they have full PE kit in school at all times, as changing into PE kit will take place just before the lesson now. As the weather will become cooler, please ensure that your child has something warm to wear for outdoor sessions such as plain trousers/leggings.

Please note, if your child wears earrings, they are responsible for taking them out just before the session and looking after them or have taken out at home before school.

Full, smart school uniform needs to be worn every day including black shoes and plain socks.



Other Subjects



Science: The circulatory system

Art: Egyptian Art

Humanities: Ancient Egypt

PE: Fitness/Dodgeball

French: Les vêtements

RE: Christianity - Gospel

ICT: Online Safety

PSHE: How can we keep healthy as we grow?



Thank you for your continued support ☺
- Miss Brown -