



Waterhouses CE Primary Academy

Penguins Class Overview Spring 2 2025



Maths

Y2

Money

Multiplication and Division

Y3

Length and Perimeter

Fractions

Computing

Data and information

Begin to understand what data means and how it can be collected (tally, pictogram) and presented (databases).

RE

What is the Trinity and why is it important?

We will find out about the baptism of Jesus, where this is found in the Bible and how Christians show their beliefs about God and the Trinity.

History

Ancient Egypt

Continuing from last half term. We will discover all about the Egyptian gods, what Ancient Egyptians believed about the afterlife, how the pyramids were built and who the greatest pharaoh was in all of Egypt's history.

French

Y3 – Family and Friends

identify and introduce family and pets.

PSHE

Citizenship

We will be learning about rules and democracy and why they are important. Also, we will find out about how to care for each other and living things.

English

Class Reading and Comprehension:

Class reading book – Mr Penguins and the Lost Treasure
Also, Little Wandle Phonics guided reading sessions. Children will also have a Little Wandle reading book or a book on Accelerated Reader to read at home.

Writing:

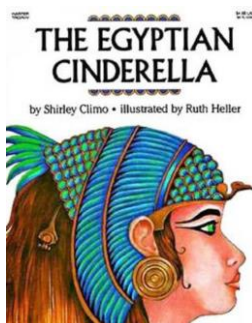
Looking at ways to entertain the reader. Children will read and compare the fairy tale of Cinderella with the Egyptian Cinderella. We will be working towards writing our own Egyptian Cinderella story.

SPAG:

Spelling Y2 and Y3 linked to phonics and common exception words

Punctuation – full stops, commas and exclamation marks.

Grammar – Word classes, using conjunctions and ways to add detail including expanded noun phrases.



The Egyptian Cinderella

This is a retelling of the Cinderella story, set during the Ancient Egyptian times. We will be working towards writing our own story.

DT

Egyptian Collars

Children will learn different sewing techniques to design and make their own Egyptian collars.

Science

Materials

Y2 – Materials

How are materials chosen?

Y3 – Rocks

How can we classify rocks?

Music

Latin Dance

Pupils will explore salsa rhythms, play percussion to a rhythm and learn to sing a call and response song.

PE/Swimming

Explorers – Learning to sequence movement to create a dance.

Homework

Reading: Please share reading at home and listen to your child read regularly, making a note in their planner when you do.

Spellings: These are usually given out on Monday. Children should practise regularly throughout the week on Spelling Shed. Spellings will be tested on the following Monday.

Times Tables Rockstars: please encourage regular practice.

Theme homework (please choose at least one):
History & DT-Making flat breads or papyrus.
Art- Gods and sunsets art.
English – Egyptian God fact file or acrostic poem writing.

'Let your light shine!'