

# Wilson Primary School Homework Grid

Year: 3

Term: Autumn

Weekly Homework:	Daily reading		Spellings/Times tables (2x, 3x, 4x, 5x, 8x, 10x)	
Topic: Ancient Egypt	Learning Opportunities			
<b>Literacy &amp; Communication</b> (Speaking and listening, language and literacy)	Create a diary entry pretending to be an archaeologist. Include your feelings. <i>What have you found ...?</i> 	Imagine you have a chance to go back in time and interview a Pharaoh! Write a set of questions that you would like to ask.	Use ICT to create a newspaper report about Howard Carter's discovery of Tutankhamen's tomb.	Create any poem linked to Ancient Egypt. You could do an acrostic poem using the words 'Ancient Egypt.' 
<b>Maths &amp; Problem Solving</b> (Maths, thinking skills, Logic, Problem solving)	Can you write your own Ancient Egyptian themed word problems (addition and subtraction) and solve them using column method?	Research how the Ancient Egyptians wrote numbers.  <i>Can you write some number sentences?</i>	Either design an Ancient Egyptian themed picture using 2D shapes only or create your own temple suitable for a Pharaoh using only 3D shapes. <i>Can you name them and discuss their properties?</i>	Design a map of a Pharaoh's tomb. Write a set of compass directions to get to the centre to find the treasure. <b>Top tip:</b> Don't forget the hidden traps!
<b>Science and the Outside environment</b> (Science, PE, Healthy lifestyles, Eco issues and investigation)	<i>Can you design a menu fit for a pharaoh?</i> It must include a starter, main and dessert. Create a balanced meal using the different food groups.	Design and make a boat which can float, just as the Egyptians did to sail down the River Nile. 	Find out about farming during the time of the Ancient Egyptians. Write notes and be able to present your findings.	Write a leaflet or poster with facts about the River Nile. Include details of its importance to the Ancient Egyptians.
<b>Humanities and Citizenship</b> (RE, History, Geography, Moral & Social and Economic Awareness)	Visit a museum with some Ancient Egyptian exhibits and write a recount about your visit.	Write a secret message using hieroglyphs ...	Create a map of Ancient Egypt. Include the River Nile and add as many different features as you can. Investigate the types of plants, animals and buildings found in Egypt at the time. 	Visit: <a href="http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk">http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk</a>  Go to the Ancient Egypt page and write down at least 5 facts you have found out. If you find a topic which particularly interest you, you could make a poster or a leaflet about it!
<b>Creative Arts</b> (Art, Design & technology, Music, Drama & Dance)	Either make a model of a funeral mask of Tutankhamen or design and make a headdress for an Egyptian God or Goddess. 	Create your own piece of Egyptian 'wall art.' For added effect, do this on tea-stained paper. 	Using YouTube (so we can find the music for you in school), find a piece of Ancient Egyptian music and create a dance to it which lasts at least 1 minute which you could perform to the class.  <i>Perhaps you could get together with someone else from Y3 to do this one as a pair?</i>	Visit: <a href="http://www.foodofegypt.com">www.foodofegypt.com</a>  Choose a recipe to make!  Bring in a copy of the recipe if your most beautiful handwriting and if possible, some photos of what you have made!

Remember to choose at least one activity from each row (Literacy & Communication, Maths, Science and the Outside Environment, Humanities and Citizenship and the Creative Arts).

Please come and speak to your teacher if you need any help or have any questions about the homework grid!

Homework needs to be completed **by all** and ready to present to your class and on: **Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December**