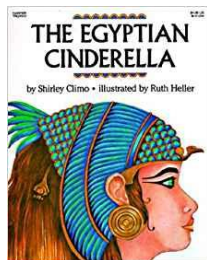
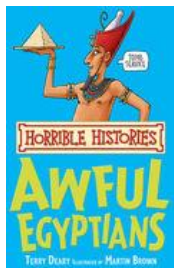




## Leopards Class – Miss Crow

### National Curriculum

As **Readers** we will be reading 'The Egyptian Cinderella' and Horrible Histories 'The Awful Egyptians'. We will read non-fiction texts linked to learning in other subjects and will ask and answer questions based on our reading to develop our reading comprehension.



As **Artists** we will be influenced by bright and bold Ancient Egyptian Art. We will create landscapes of Egypt, design and make our own cartouches and make tomb paintings similar to those found inside pyramids.

As **Historians** we will be finding out about life in Ancient Egypt. We will start by looking at daily life, jobs and roles, and compare this to our lives today. We will develop a good understanding of their rituals and beliefs by looking at artefacts, and researching using non-fiction texts.

As **Geographers** we will be using maps and atlases to locate and explore the features of Egypt, including the River Nile.

As **Mathematicians** we will be learning new methods for mental subtraction, inverse operations and solving missing number problems.

We will also be learning and practising times tables to 12, with a particular focus on 3, 4 and 8.



As **Musicians** we will develop an understanding of a wide range of music and create our own compositions using instruments in groups.

In **Computing** we will learn about e-safety (staying safe online), develop our understanding of technology and digital literacy using a range of programmes, including Starz.

As **Writers** we will focusing on poetry, explanations and writing our Egyptian stories, all linked to our Egypt theme. Based on learning in other subjects, we will plan and write texts of our own choice in Pendragon Writers' Club.



As **Scientists** we will be finding out about skeletons, linking this to mummification that took place in Ancient Egypt.

In **RE** we will be learning about Islam and the story of Christmas.

In **PSHCE** we will be exploring conflict resolution, getting on and falling out. As part of Anti-Bullying week (12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> November) we will be focusing on respect.

In **PE** we will be developing out dance and movement skills, as well as participating in multiskills tasks.



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### Enquiry and Risk Taking

As people with enquiring minds we will:

- Use questions as the starting point for our learning e.g. what is mummification? What is kept inside a pyramid?
- Explore, experiment and find things out for ourselves.

### Emotional Awareness

As emotionally aware people we will:

- Identify and name different emotions and how we may feel in different situations.
- Think about others emotions and feelings as we learn about conflict resolution.
- Discuss different ways we can stay safe, including when using the Internet.

### Ambition

As people with ambition we will:

- Know that we can succeed and know what we need to do to achieve goals (next steps).
- Take responsibility for our own learning and work hard.
- Try new things, express our doubts and fears and learn from our mistakes.
- Find out how others have challenged themselves to achieve their ambitions.

### Community and Diversity

As members of a diverse community we will:

- Find out how people stay safe in different situations.
- Find out about the ways in which different religions celebrate Christmas.

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### Supporting Learning at Home

#### ☺ Maths

Work will be provided to practice what has been learned in class as an activity on

**Mathletics:** [www.mathletics.co.uk](http://www.mathletics.co.uk)

Key Instant Recall Facts (KIRFs) will be sent home to learn each half term.

#### ☺ Spelling.

Children will be provided with a spelling activity to complete at home. This will be sent on Friday and should be returned on the following Thursday.

#### ☺ Reading

Ideally read **daily** with your child. Please make a comment and sign the reading record. Children can also read a range of books on **Bug club:** [www.activelearnprimary.co.uk](http://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk)

### Library Books

Our Library session, when library books can be changed, is on Friday. Please remember it is also open at lunch times.

### Support in class

We are always happy to have helpers in class, if you are interested, please contact your child's class teacher by email or after school. Or if you cannot commit on a regular basis, remember you can offer 'one-off' support too!

### Contact

Please feel free to come and talk to me about any concerns you may have. You can catch me for quick question before and after school, or make an appointment by contacting the office or e-mailing directly.

Miss Crow

[gcrowe@pendragon.sch.uk](mailto:gcrowe@pendragon.sch.uk)

### PE Lessons

**Please ensure that PE kits are in all week, as the days may change to accommodate the weather. Indoor PE is on Monday and outdoor PE is on Friday.** All uniform and kit must be named or it is difficult to reunite it with your child if it gets muddled up!

If your child has long hair, please ensure they have a hair band, as long hair must be tied back for PE. It is expected that all children can remove watches/earrings for PE. If your child is unable to remove their own stud earrings these should be removed at home on PE days or micropore tape provided so they can cover them.

Thank you for your support with this.