

## English

**Texts:** Peter Pan / Pirates Magnified

**Fiction:** We will write a journey story with a particular focus on character description. In GPS we will revisit tenses, commas and types of words to secure our pre-existing knowledge. We will also look at prefixes.

**Non-fiction:** We will write a discussion text to answer the question: Should Hook be feared?

## History

**Topic:** Ancient civilisations

We will centre our learning around four ancient civilisations: Ancient Sumer, Indus Valley, Ancient Egypt and The Shang Dynasty.

We will explore what these civilisations had in common, including location. We will also learn about the first writing systems used, early architecture and consider the greatest achievements of these ancient civilisations.

## Maths

We will be continuing our fraction unit by developing our knowledge of finding fractions of quantities, moving on to find equivalent fractions and later adding and subtracting fractions.

We will secure our knowledge of telling the time from previous years and then calculate/measure lengths of time, as well as solving problems involving time.

We will begin looking at angles and shapes towards the end of term.

## Science

**Topic:** Plants

We will be exploring plants this term. This will include learning the functions of different parts of plants, the different types of seed dispersal and investigate how water is transported through plants.

We will also set up our own investigation to determine how competition for space affects plant growth.

## Sassoon Class Year 3 Curriculum Map Term 5

*Is responsibility collective?*

## French

We will continue to recap vocabulary for days of the week and months of the year. We will also explore ways that we can talk about our family.

## RE

**Enquiry Question:**

*What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong?*

## PE

**Sport:** Rounders

We will develop our control and accuracy of throwing at targets, as well as catching balls from varying distances. We will begin to develop batting skills and play in team games.

## Art

**Skill:** Craft and design

We will explore the style of Ancient Egyptian art, including the colours, patterns and symbols. We will design our own Egyptian scroll and make our very own papyrus style paper to use for the base of the scroll.

We will make our own zines (miniature books) to showcase what we've learnt about Ancient Egyptian art.

## PSHE / Jigsaw

**Topic:** Relationships

We will explore aspects of healthy relationships, responsibilities and learn how to keep ourselves safe online.

## Computing

We will explore the programming software Scratch by experimenting different commands and creating our own sequences to music.

## Music

**Instrument:** Ukulele

We will continue to learn the ukulele with Kent Music.