

## Maths

When looking at our Shape unit, we will:

- Practise turns and introduce using angles to describe turns.
- Draw polygon shapes and label their properties.
- Recognise 3D shapes and make them.

When looking at our Statistics unit, we will:

- Interpret and draw pictograms.
- Interpret and draw bar charts.
- Collect and represent data, including using two-way tables.

## Art/DT

This term we will be making using mechanical systems. This topic will involve research, identifying how these systems work, designing our own system, and testing it.

We have chosen to focus on the Egyptian shaduf as the mechanical system we will study.

## French

We will be learning how to share how old we are in French and how to share when our birthdays are.  
Bon Anniversaire!

## RE

Why do people make promises? This topic offers an important opportunity for all children to reflect on the meaning of a promise, who makes them, and what promises look like across different religions.

## Computing

children will deepen their skills and knowledge of coding this term and continue to skill up their use of Scratch programming. This term, the focus is on creating a maze and a character that can move within it. This unit is all about experimenting with events and actions: What will happen when their character hits the edge of the maze? What happens when they reach the end of the maze? How will their character move in a way that makes the game work?

## Geography/History

This term in History we are delving into the Ancient Egyptians! This fascinating topic looks at how life in Ancient Egypt looked, what Gods they worshipped, what language they wrote in, and the accomplishments they made as a civilisation.

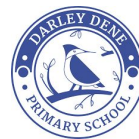
We will be bringing learning to life with an Ancient Egyptian day later in this term!

## Music

The focus this term is on improvisation. Children will have a chance to listen to music and decide what comes next using instruments!

## Year 3 - Summer 2

### The Ancient Egyptians **Power of Reading** **Texts:**



## English

As we follow the story, we will create historical reports, write narratives, letters, and rhyming riddles!

children will be focusing on applying the skills they have learnt in Year 3 so far, such as expanded noun phrases, speech, paragraphs, and subordinate conjunctions. As children approach the end of Year 3, the focus is on increasing stamina for writing and creating longer pieces of writing.

Children will learn how to build a sense of atmosphere and suspense using descriptive language intentionally to hook their readers in.

## Science

This term, Year 3 will be exploring the science topic *Plants- parts of a plant and their functions*. This topic will give children hands-on experience dissecting parts of different plants, learning different types of seed dispersal, and looking at how plants grow.

This topic will give us the opportunity to explore the amazing world of plants around them.

## PE

This term, students will develop their skills in cricket and outdoor learning. The summer term is an excellent opportunity to get fit and ready for Sports Day!

## PSHE

This term focuses on 'Changing Me'. This topic looks at how babies grow when they are young, what babies need, how our bodies begin to change as we get older, and how we can look ahead to our bodies changing as we get older.

## Key Dates

Every Friday - PE  
17th June - **Sports Day**  
3rd July - **Darley Dene EXPO**  
17th July - **End of term**