

The Queen's C of E Primary School

Medium Term Planning

English

Genre—classic literature

Animal story books based on Beatrix Potter.
Write and share with Reception

Poems to Perform and exploring language –
sharing and writing poetry

Grammar

Sentence structure and improvement

Sentence openers

Speaking and Listening

Performance poetry
Role play in History.

Cross-Curricular Links: science, citizenship

Mathematics

Counting & properties of numbers

Addition & subtraction :
mental and written column method

Multiplication & division

Fractions

Data handling

2D and 3D shapes

Religious Education

Easter

Easter in the Christian calendar

The Easter Story

The features of Holy Week and why we
celebrate Easter

How Easter affected the disciples

Christian Symbols, colours, and customs

Science

Helping Plants Grow

To recognise and identify the features of a typical
plant and their functions.

To know the key factors which influence plant
growth.

To understand that water is transported through
the stem to other parts of the plant.

To know the key factors which influence plant
growth

Working Scientifically

To investigate the effects of light availability on
plant growth.

Cross-Curricular Links: English

Languages LCP Unit 4

Portraits

Looking at parts of the body and
descriptions of people.

Learning Certainties: Inclusive and determined

Theme: Gardens

Year Group: 3 **Term:** Spring 2

Visits/Visitors: British Museum

World Book Day

Computing

We are Presenters

Editing video clips and adding commentary

Awareness of E safety

*Cross-Curricular Links:
Science & English & History*

Humanities

Ancient Egypt

Explore archaeological discoveries and how we
use them

Using sources of information to make simple
observations, inferences and deductions

Developing our understanding of characteristic
features of a society and exploring their way of life

Finding out about the different ways the past is
represented.

*Cross-Curricular Links: DT—Egyptian Gods and
masks*

Citizenship

SEAL—Getting on and falling out
Learning to work together
Resolve play ground issues effectively

Circle Time
Teaching social and emotional skills.

Music

Investigating the effects of musical sounds using
instruments and singing

Appreciation—famous composers

Orchestra—playing recorders and percussion

Physical Education

Invasion Games

Learning the skills of Hockey:
dribbling, passing and
small sided games

Stability

Dance

Exploring movement
Creating & developing sequences
using hoops, ribbons and music

*Cross-Curricular Links:
Citizenship—working together*

Design and Technology

3d modelling

Explore sources of design from
Ancient Egyptian animals and Gods

Design & make Egyptian masks –
paint, decorate & evaluate

Using Papier mache to mould a mask
of a God or Pharaoh from Ancient
Egypt

Cross-Curricular Links: Humanities