

# GREBES PARENT PLAN AUTUMN 2022

Mr Leaver and Mrs Ryan

## Maths



We use White Rose Maths resources to guide children through the Year 4 and 5 curriculum. See our class page (<http://www.galhouseschool.co.uk/classes/grebes/>) for specific information and things you can do to support your child's Maths at home.



## RE



Exploring the key questions:

- Is Jesus the messiah?
- Are Science and Creationism conflicting or complementary?

## English

**Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling (GPS)** -

daily practice. See our class page for more information.

**Reading and Writing:** Daily writing and Guided Reading based on the historical novel *Secrets of a Sun King* by Emma Carroll linked to Ancient Egyptian History.

These are echoes of Michael Morpurgo and Nina Bawden, but in a style that Emma Carroll uses to tell a compelling story with a cracking plot.  
*The Times*

Emma Carroll  
**SECRETS OF A SUN KING**



## PE

Invasion games



## RSHE

Learning about feelings: how to recognise them and respond constructively. Y5: Anticipate how emotions may change approaching and moving through puberty.

## Science

### Light and Shadow

We will explore how light travels and can be reflected, how shadows are formed and change throughout the day.

## History

We will learn about Ancient Egypt and especially Ra/Re, the god of light and the shadow clock developed in Egypt.

## Geography

Strongly linked to History and English, exploring the human and physical geography of locations explored in the novel.

## Art and Design:

Regular observational drawing practice; printing; shadow puppets; learning about the incredible architecture of the Egyptian pyramids.

## Computing

Internet safety

Digital photography and image editing



## French

All around town: where do you live?

## Music



Weekly ukulele lesson taught by Mr Bell from the Norfolk Music Hub. We will play with interesting time signatures, play solo and in groups, melody..

## Homework

- Doodle English and Maths - try to complete activities at least once a week. (Children earn 2 House Points each time they do this.)
- Please continue to encourage reading at home.
- Practise fast recall of times tables. Children earn 5 House Points whenever they memorise a new times table!