

JANUARY

Happy New Year! in Year 3

Ancient Civilisations

This month, we have started our exciting new topic, Awesome Ancient Civilisations. We have learnt about the importance of geographical features (such as rivers) when Ancient Sumer, the Indus Valley and the Shang Dynasty were established. We have also learnt about the achievements of these civilisations and how they are included in our ways of living. We cannot wait to discover more about the Ancient Egyptians next!



This Month's Super Learners

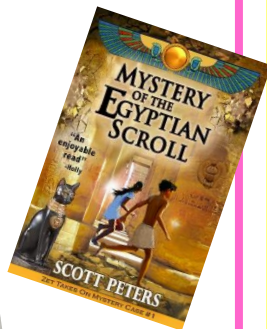
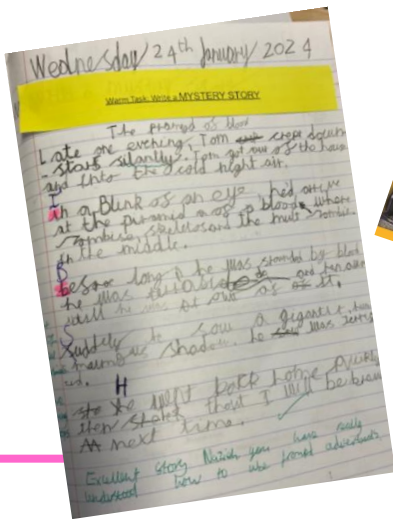
Congratulations to everyone who has received a certificate this month!

Hughes Hall: Oliver, Gracie, Jahneca, Zoe M, Lara and Mati

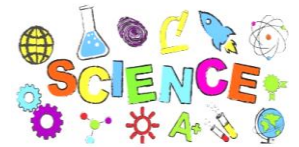
Gonville and Caius: Stephanie, Marysia, Zaidan, James S, Doruk, Azeezah

English!

This month, we have focused on writing mystery stories. We have explored how characters' emotions alter, and we have practised our use of personification to help create suspense.



This month, we have enjoyed our experiment of mummifying tomatoes - making predictions, recording our results and observing the changes over time. We are now focusing on the parts of



MATHEMATICS

In Maths, we have finalised our multiplication and division unit. We can now multiply 2-digit numbers by 1-digit numbers using the grid method. We have also learnt how to divide on a number line - we call this 'chunking'.

'Grid Multiplication'

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