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Dear Parents/Carers,

This term the children have been looking at some of the basic elements of drawing including focussing on line, tone and texture. Next Tuesday (11<sup>th</sup> December), we will spend the afternoon setting up and drawing our own still lives. We would like the children to bring in items that have interesting shapes and textures to create a still life.

As we have been exploring Ancient Egyptian life, and the objects that Egyptians were buried with for use in the afterlife, we would like children to bring in items which are representative of the things they value or enjoy.

Some ideas that children came up with were:

Teddy bears, food, water, toys, Lego, sports equipment, console remote, books, a pillow, clothes, money (a few coins to represent the idea). Children also thought of any items they made them think of family, friends, loved ones or pets.

Please consider that the whole year group must bring in objects, so objects must not to be too large, messy, or of high value. Also consider whether they will make a good arrangement. If the children would like to make any preparatory sketches at home, please feel free to do so and bring them in for their sketchbooks!

Best regards,

Year 5 Team



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