

Welcome to 3C

Here is what we have learnt so far...

Theme - Tomb Raiders

We have kick started the term with a very exciting theme launch. We spent the day learning fun facts about Harold Carter and what he discovered. We even excavated our own Egyptian artefacts and produced some beautiful, Egyptian inspired art work. This term, we are very lucky to have Mr Egypt visit us as well as learning lots of thrilling information about mummification, Tutankhamun and much more!



English

We have dived straight in with our new text study, *Claude In The City*, written by our very own Coventarian, Alex T Smith. The children are hooked and cannot wait to produced their own adventure story for the main character, Claude. We will continue the term with information texts based around Ancient Egypt, play scripts, diary writing and focus on poetry. All will include a range of drama opportunities as well as in depth grammar study and much more.



Maths

We have begun the year by focussing on numbers to 1000. We will continue to build on our knowledge of place value, addition and subtraction as the term unfolds while being introduced to lots of new learning and sharing all our favourite methods for solving problems. The children will continue to be encouraged to experiment with concrete, pictorial and abstract methods to help find which is best suited to them.

Method 2

Step 1
Add the ones.
 $8 \text{ ones} + 6 \text{ ones} = 14 \text{ ones}$

Step 2
Regroup the ones.
 $14 \text{ ones} = 1 \text{ ten} + 4 \text{ ones}$

Step 3
Add the tens.
 $1 \text{ ten} + 3 \text{ tens} = 4 \text{ tens}$
Add the hundreds.

$8 + 236 = 244$
There are 244 children altogether.

Homework

Children will be given a list of 8 spellings each week which will reflect the spelling rule learnt at school. They will also be allocated pages to complete in their homework packs which will either focus on maths or English. POWER projects have been handed out and should be returned before Thursday 5th December.

PE

Our PE days are Wednesday (indoor) and Friday (outdoor). Please ensure all children are sent with correct kit. Due to the mad rush of Fridays, children may be sent home in their kit. If there are any problems with this, please come and speak to me.

