



Lapwing Class

We have continued to enjoy learning about the great achievements of the Ancient Egyptians, including the building of the pyramids. We had to work in teams to problem solve how we could move heavy stone blocks safely/efficiently. We related this to the momentous challenge of building the pyramids, the largest of which required a whopping 2.3 million blocks (each weighing approximately 2.5 tonnes!). We learnt all about the pulley system and the wooden sleds that the Ancient Egyptians used. We could not believe what they managed to achieve with very little technology such a long time ago! We had to complete various pyramid related building challenges. We also 'mummified' each other going through the steps and processes to understand about the importance of the afterlife and how they treated the Pharaohs and most important people in society.



We had lots of excitement when Wes Hoolahan came into school to help us with our football topic in our PE lessons - I think the children were more impressed by his skills than they were by Miss Marriott's demonstrations! They were very respectful and extremely inspired by the opportunity!



We have loved using some new equipment at break and lunch times. Our current challenge as a class is to see how many people, we can get skipping at the same time successfully. It requires lots of teamwork and communication is involved - it has been great fun!



We have learnt a new skill in art this half term - printing! We very much enjoyed getting creative and doing this, linked to hieroglyphs.

