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Headteacher: Ms Clare Woodward

Rowan & Maple (Year 3) In School **Activity Day** 

Dear Parent/Carer,

## Year 3 Ancient Egypt Day – Wednesday 28th November 2018

We have started a new topic this term, Ancient Egypt, and would like to give the children an opportunity to experience what life in Ancient Egypt may have been like. We have arranged for History Off the Page to spend the day with us. On this day your child will, through role-play, experience life as it would have been lived during 14th century B.C. The Pharaoh at the time is Akhenaten and with his wife Nefertiti, they left Thebes to set up a new city to worship the Sun God, the Aten.

A costume will help your child get into character and feel part of the day. Please see over the page for simple costume ideas. As the day progresses, children will get involved in the issues of the time, with the chance to participate in a range of cross-curricular activities. Your child will be using authentic tools and materials whenever possible to learn skills as apprentices in a wide variety of workshops. By the end of the day they will have a really good idea of how it felt to be an Egyptian having experienced a really exciting and educational day that will help them understand the topic in more

We are asking for a contribution of £10.65 per pupil (For Pupil Premium Awarded Pupils £5.65) to help cover the cost of the expert visitor/s, resources and food for a banquet. Please return your completed permission slip (below) and make your contribution via SIMS Agora by Monday 19th November. If you are able to help on the day please let us know via the slip below - you could join us either for the whole day or just for the morning or afternoon, having fun and getting to see for yourself the value of the day!

Yours sincerely Miss Arnott	Miss Birbeck
Maple Class Teacher	Rowan Class Teacher
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Pupils Nam	e Class
<b>–</b> v	ve permission for my child to take part in the day's activities ve paid my £10.65 contribution Via SIMS Agora  Or
□ Му	child is entitled to a Pupil Premium Reduction and I have paid £5.65 via SIMs Agora
☐ I am	available to help on the day
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Parent/C	arer Signature







## **Boy's Egyptian Costume**

Simple plain white clothing...

- Plain white t-shirt long or short sleeved
- White shorts or a short version of the shift (tunic) as shown in the picture with a belt, cord or sash around the waist. The shift could be made out of an old sheet.
- Sandals or plimsols
- A simple headband tied at the back of the head and a thick plait of hair (made out of wool) attached with a hair clip to the headband.

Add any other warmer white clothing if the weather is cold.



## **Girl's Egyptian Costume**

Simple plain white clothing...

- Long white shift (tunic/dress) as shown in the picture with a belt, cord or sash around the waist.
- Sandals or plimsols
- A simple headband tied at the back of the head and either hair tied in small plaits or plaits added to the headband made out of wool and attached with hairclips.

Add any other warmer white clothing underneath the shift if the weather is cold.

