

## My Communication:

Learners develop communication through exploring artefacts, stories, and sensory materials linked to ancient civilisations. They engage in supported interactions, making choices, expressing preferences, and responding to simple questions about what they notice. Activities encourage vocabulary linked to history (e.g., pyramid, sand, crown) and help build confidence in sharing ideas.



## My Health:

Physical activities focus on developing teamwork and responsibility through adapted games such as seated volleyball, boccia and simple cooperative challenges. Learners practise communication, turn-taking and leadership in structured, predictable sports environments. Movements reflecting historical themes, such as rhythmic marching or repeated patterned actions, help support motor skill development.



## Me and My World:

Learners explore Ancient Egypt, discovering how people lived, worked, farmed, and built structures near the River Nile through hands-on, practical activities. Simple science, geography and history concepts are introduced through pyramids, materials, farming and water. Identity learning focuses on belonging, cooperation, awe, and respect through rituals, sensory artefacts, storytelling and group role-play inspired by ancient traditions.



## My Thinking:

Mathematical skills are practised through timelines, shape sorting, exploring 'ancient coins,' and comparing weights, sizes and 3D structures. Learners anticipate story events, react to artefacts, and investigate through touch, sight, and exploration. They try different ways to express ideas using building materials, drawing, and creative problem-solving linked to ancient themes.



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## My Independence:

Learners explore daily life in ancient societies through practical experiences including food preparation, sensory exploration and hands-on artefact work. Cooking activities inspired by ancient recipes build independence, fine-motor skills and understanding of healthy routines. Opportunities for personal care targets and community-linked experiences support preparation for adulthood.



## My Creativity:

Creative work includes exploring ancient-themed music, patterns, symbols, textures and storytelling through sensory and art-based activities. Learners create simple artefacts, act out roles from ancient societies, and work with repetitive patterns and movements for confidence. Drama, dance and art tasks focus on collaboration, imagination, and expressing ideas linked to ancient cultures.

