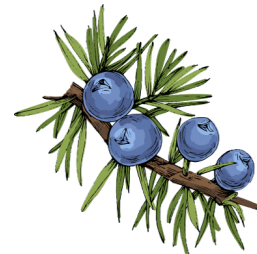


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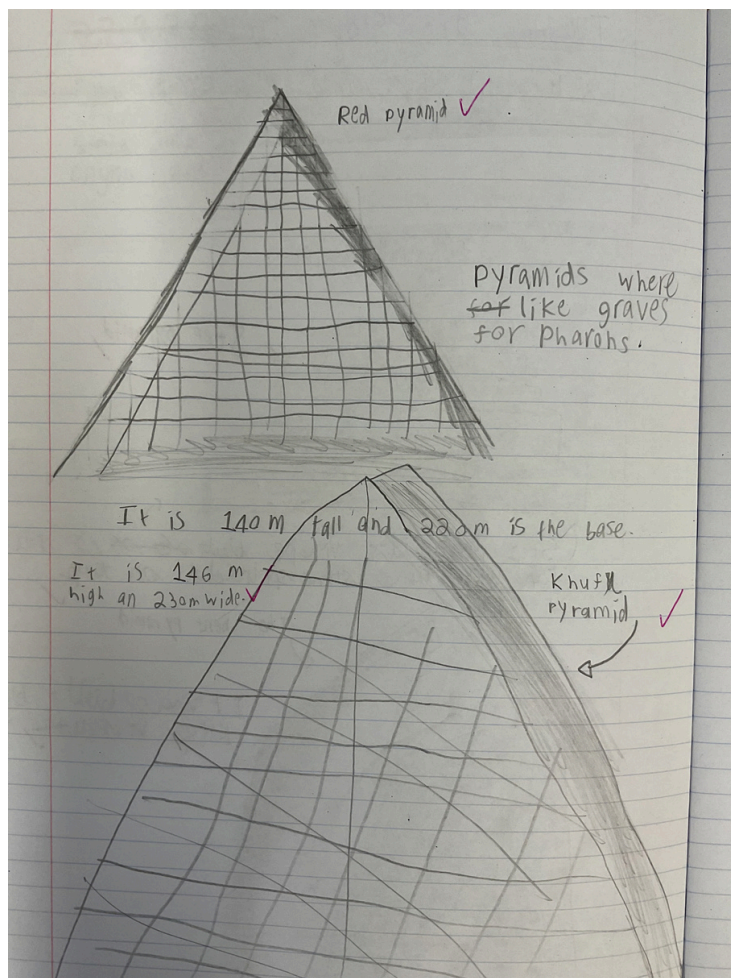


Dear Parents

Juniper Class have been continuing their exciting journey through Ancient Egypt in their history lessons. They have explored many fascinating aspects of Egyptian life, including the impressive pyramids and how they were built, the role of powerful pharaohs, and the different dynasties that ruled over Egypt. The children have also learned about the foods that Ancient Egyptians ate and discovered the many jobs' people carried out, from farmers and craftsmen to scribes and priests. They have enjoyed comparing life in Ancient Egypt to life today and have been developing a deeper understanding of this remarkable civilisation through discussions, research, and engaging classroom activities.

In Science, Juniper Class have been learning about food groups and nutrients as part of the Year 3/4 curriculum. The children created their own healthy plates to show how a balanced diet helps us stay healthy. They then explored whether all animals need the same diet and carried out some excellent research into the different foods that animals eat to stay healthy and survive. The children enjoyed sharing their findings and developing their understanding of how diets vary between different species.

Monday 28th September 2026	
Do all creatures need the same diet?	
	
Name	Diet
Komodo dragon	Komodo dragons eat meat. It is wild honey, horses and big wild mammals they are carnivores.
Elephants	Elephants eat grass, leaves, twigs and bark and roots.
Silver back gorilla	They eat bamboo, fresh bark and fruit and roots and plants.
Fennec	Fennec eat insects, plants, small lizards.
Wombat	Insects, grass and small plants.
Squirrels	A few eat nuts, seeds, fruits, berries.
Blue-tongued lizard	Small crabs and insects, crabs and lizards.
Emu	Small insects, plants.



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