

Year 3 Curriculum Overview

[English	Maths	Science	Computing	History	Geography	PE
	Autumn	Poetry Developing description Instructions Writing to inform Developing dialogue	Number: Place value Number: Addition and subtraction Number: Multiplication and division	Chemistry: Rocks Comparison of types of rocks and how fossils are formed.	Computing systems and networks Connecting computers	European history: Prehistoric Britain How settlements, food, communities and beliefs changed across the Palaeolithic, Mesolithic, Neolithic, Bronze Age and Iron Age	United Kingdom Locating the UK, Great Britain and the British Isles, and regions and counties; identifying human and physical features across the UK and in one region	Gymnastics
				Physics: Light The relationship between light and how we see. The formation of shadows.	Programming Sequence in music			Dance
	Spring	Twisted Fairy Tale— viewpoint Fairy Tale crimes— discussion texts Fairy Tale crimes— reports Class Fact Files Traditional Fables	Number: Multiplication and division Measurement: Money Statistics Measurement: Length and perimeter	Biology: Living organisms The role of muscles and skeletons. The importance of nutrients.	Data and information Branching databases	African history: Ancient Egypt The role of the pharaoh in Ancient Egypt, and examining pyramids, mummification and conquest in the Egyptian empire	Investigating volcanoes Understanding the structure of the Earth; how fold mountains and volcanoes are formed; and the impacts they can have on human settlement using case studies of Etna and La Soufriere	Ball Skills
	Bu			Biology Plants The key features of flowering plants and what they need to survive	Creating media Animation			Athletics
	Summer	Creating Atmosphere in stories Writing to Inform Writing to Persuade Letter writing	Number: Fractions Measurement: Time Geometry: Properties of shape Measurement: Mass and capacity	Physics Forces & motion Introducing pushes and pulls; opposing forces, and balanced forces	Programming Events and actions	European History: Ancient Greece The contributions made	Looking at Europe Comparing the human and physical features of the Alps	Tag Rugby
				Physics: Friction & magnetism Contact and non-contact forces, including friction and magnetism	Creating media Desktop publishing	by the city-states of Ancient Greece, and how these are influence our lives today	and the Amalfi coast, and exploring how these features interact with tourism.	Hockey



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	Art and Design	Design Technology	Religious Education and World Views	Music	PSHE	MFL French
Autumn	Why Do We Make Art? Exploring the purpose of art through the study of cave paintings from Lascaux. Using continuous line and considering the use of perspective. Pablo Picasso	Picture Frames Picture frames that would be made and sold in a commercial context	Christianity How do people think about the Bible? Origins, content, significance, construction and interpretation of the Bible.	RnB RnB and other styles	Families and Relationships	J'apprends la Francais: I am learning French
			Christianity What is the Trinity? How have artists used symbolism to express Trinity?	Glockenspiel Stage 1 Exploring & developing playing skills	Health and Wellbeing	Les saisons: Seasons
	Fairy Tale Crimes Using clay to produce a collaborative visual	Keeping it Contained A solution for users who struggle to keep possessions safe in their bag.	Christianity & Humanism How do people make moral decisions?	Reggae Reggae and animals	Safety and the Changing Body	Les animaux: Animals
Spring	Anthony Browne Quentin Blake		Islam Where do Islamic beliefs come from? History of Prophet Muhammad, revelation of the Qur'an, significance of Mecca.	A Pop song that tells a story Music from around the world, celebrating our differences and being kind to one another	Citizenship	Petit Chaperon Rouge: Little Red Riding Hood
	Mythology Representations of myths by artists from different eras. Introduction of key terms: traditional, modern, contemporary. Paulo Uccello Edward Burne-Jones The Singh Twins	Food Technology Sandwiches and Packed Lunches Making sandwiches with a balance of proteins fats & carbohydrates.	Islam How do Muslims express their beliefs in their daily lives? Expression of beliefs about Allah, 5 Pillars of Islam as obligations.	Disco Disco, friendship, hope and unity	Economic Wellbeing	Je peux: l am able
Summer			Theology and Philosophy Is it reasonable to believe God is omnipotent, omnibenevolent, omniscient and omnipresent?	Classical The history of music, look back and consolidate your learning, learn some of the language of music	Transitions: Changes and me	Les fruits: Fruit