

Year 3 Curriculum Overview 2024/25

Subject	Autumn 1 8 weeks –		Autumn 2 8 weeks			Spring 1 6 weeks	Spring 2 7 weeks	Summer 1 4 weeks		Summer 2 6 weeks
English	Narrative: The Blue Umbrella by Pixar Animation Studios Genre: Romance Topic: Making Friends /Pleased to Meet You Cross-curricula Links: PSHE	Non-Fiction: Skara Brae by Dawn Finch Genre: Persuasive Holiday brochure Topic: Stone age /Step back in time Cross-curricula Links: History	Skara Brae continued	Independent Writing for Comparative Judgements: Narrative Story: Two Trees		Narrative: Star in the Jar by Sam Hay Genre: Narrative story Topic: Reach for the stars/ shine on Cross-curricular Links: PSHE	The Colour Collector continued	Non-Fiction: Earthquakes by Robin Jacobs Genre: Non-chronological Topic: Earth Shattering! Cross-curricular Links: Geography		Earthquakes continued
				Non-Fiction Christmas desserts social media post Genre: Persuasive post Topic: Christmas Cross-curricular Links: Design and technology-cooking						
Guided Reading	Narrative	Narrative	Non-Fiction	Narrative	Non - Fiction	Narrative Poetry	Non - Fiction	Narrative	Poetry	Non - Fiction
Maths	Place Value	Addition Subtraction	Multiplication		Multiplication and division	Length and perimeter	Mass and capacity	Fraction	Money	Time
			Division							
Science	Forces and magnets		Light					Plants Botanical Gardens 11th April		Animals including humans
Geography						Human and physical Geography	Volcanoes			

History	Stone Age					Ancient Greeks
R.E	L2.7 What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?	L2.1 – What do different people believe about God? Christian, Humanist and Muslim focus.	L2.5 – Why are festivals important to religious communities? Easter focus	L2.2 – Why is the Bible so important for Christians today?	L2.4 – Why do we pray? Christian, Hindu and Muslim focus.	Wiggle room
Art	Making with metal	In My Element	Implying texture with fossils	Ancient Greece – Medusa and the Minotaur, pottery		
DT	Split pin puppets	Making a circuit Gift boxes – before Christmas?				
Computing	Basic skills	Desktop publishing	Stop frame animation	Branching database	Branching database cont	Connecting computers
Music	Unit 1 – pulse (year 2)	Unit 2 - voice	Rhythm block	Pitch block	Structure and form block	20 th Century music block
PSHE	School Values	Health/ Anti bullying week	Mental Wellbeing	Relationships	Living in the Wider World	Relationships and Sex Education
PE	Fundamentals (basic motor skills) (8 weeks)	Cricket (8 weeks)	Gymnastics (5 weeks)	Swimming (4 weeks) invasion games	Swimming (4 weeks) Games – developing tactics	Swimming (6 weeks) Athletics (6 weeks)