

Year 3 Curriculum Overview – 2025 - 2026

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
<b>English</b>	<i>Stone Age Boy</i> - retell and diary entry <i>How To Wash A Woolly Mammoth</i> - instructions <i>Cave Baby</i> - retell <i>The Iron Man</i> - character description <i>The Legend of Stonehenge</i> – retell <i>The Tear Thief</i> – Retell,	<i>Egyptian Cinderella</i> - setting description and retell Mummification – instructions Ancient Egypt - Non-chronological report Winter Poems – free verse <i>The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark</i> - Retell	<i>The River</i> - setting description <i>Stone Girl, Bone Girl</i> - Retell & diary, Mary Anning – Biography, Rivers – Non-Chronological report DT -cooking	<i>Beowulf</i> - setting, retell & diary entry Vikings – non-chronological report	<i>Omar, The Bees and Me</i> – retell and diary <i>Arthur and the Golden Rope</i> – setting description, character description and retell How a plant grows - explanation text	<i>The Lost Happy Ending</i> - character description <i>Monsoon</i> - retell, <i>Running Shoes</i> – postcard DT project (pop up) Gobber the Belch – character description	
<b>Reading</b>	<i>The Iron Man</i> by Ted Hughes <i>The Wild Robot</i> by Peter Brown		<i>The Firework Maker’s Daughter</i> by Philip Pullman <i>Malala’s Magic Pencil</i> by Malala Yousafzai		<i>How to Train Your Dragon</i> by Cressida Cowell <i>Nano</i> by Dr Jess Wade		
<b>Maths</b>	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division		Multiplication and Division Length and Perimeter Fractions A Mass and Capacity		Fractions B Money Time Shape Statistics		
<b>Science</b>	Skeletons Movement Nutrition and Diet	Food Waste Rocks	Fossils Soils	Light	Plants	Forces Magnets Biodiversity	
<b>History</b>	Stone Age to Iron Age	Ancient Egypt	Anglo-Saxons, Scots and Vikings		Law & Power	The War of the Roses	
<b>Geography</b>	Spatial Sense	Settlements	Rivers	UK Geography: The South West	Western Europe	Asia - India and China	
<b>Computing</b>	Intro – logging in and games	Route Planners	Branching Databases	Spreadsheets	Coding	Presenting	Touch Typing
<b>Art &amp; Design</b>	Line	Still Life and Form	Art of Ancient Egypt	Anglo-Saxon art	Architecture	Modern Architecture	
<b>DT</b>	Sew: Fabric Keychains		Cook: Bread, butter and pasta		Build: Pop up books		
<b>RE</b>	Religious Scripture	The Nativity Story	Islam	Good Friday	Hinduism	Signs and Symbols	
<b>Music</b>	I’ve Been to Harlem	Nao Chariya De Sound Symmetry	Latin Dance	‘March’ from Nutcracker From a Railway Carriage	Just Three Notes Samba with Sergio	Fly with the Stars	
<b>French</b>	Greetings, classroom instructions, feelings	Colours, ‘ <i>Toutes les couleurs</i> ’ story, Christmas nouns	‘ <i>Roule Galette</i> ’ story, numbers 1-6	Question formation by asking someone’s name, introduction to a dictionary	Verbs and adverbs relating to movement, ‘ <i>Je veux manger</i> ’ story	Pencil case items, introducing gender of nouns	
<b>PSHE</b>	Team	Diverse Britain	Be Yourself	Money Matters	It’s My Body	Aiming High	
<b>PE</b>	Fundamental Movement Skills Travelling and Jumping	Fundamental Movement Skills Balance, Shape, Rotation	Health and Fitness Strategy and Tactics	Invasion Games Orienteering	Run, Jump, Throw Dance Fundamentals	Striking and Fielding – Cricket Dance Style	