



Year 3 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	<u>Superheroes</u>	<u>Houses</u>	<u>Ancient Egypt</u>	<u>Our Locality</u>	<u>Plants</u>	<u>Caves</u>
Literacy	Narrative writing, story sequencing, poetry, character description, play scripts.	Stories, dialogue, character work	Non-chronological reports, historical texts	Fantastic Mr Fox	Explanation texts	Stig of the Dump
Maths	See Year 3 Maths Curriculum.					
Science	Light and Shadow	Nutrition, skeletons and muscles	-	Forces and magnets	Plant life cycle and growth	Rocks and Soils
History	-	-	Ancient Egypt	-	-	Stone Age to Iron Age
Geography	-	Observing houses in the locality	-	Locality Study, map work, compass work, field work	-	Early settlements and land use
Art	Painting and brush skills	Drawing 3D shapes Studying Clarice Cliffe	Drawing Egyptian Gods in proportion, making clay Canopic jars	-	Pastels, still life, Georgia O'Keefe	Cave paintings, using natural materials
DT and Cooking	Making a shadow puppet	Design and make a nutritionally balanced meal	-	Making a moving fox model	-	-
Music	Compose music for a Superhero	Compose music to suit a character	-	-	Vivaldi's Four Seasons	-
French	Greetings and colours	Food	Numbers	Pancake Day and Easter	Days of the Week	Months of the Year
Computing	Introduction to the system, VLE and logging in	Introduction to programming – 2 Logo	Searching Databases – PurpleMash	Combining Text and Graphics – Publisher	Introduction to email and being safe online	Research – Topic on Stoneage – Powerpoint
RE	Believing in Wakefield	Does a Beautiful World mean there is a wonderful God?	Why do some people think Jesus inspirational? Christianity		What different beliefs about God do people have? Christian + Muslim	

PE	Gymnastics: stretching, arching and curling Outdoor: ball skills - passing and receiving	Dance: The Eagle and the Fish Games: Creative game making	Gymnastics: symmetry and asymmetry Outdoor: Net and wall games	Indoor: Badminton skills Outdoor: Playground games	Athletics skills Striking and fielding skills	Athletic skills Rounders games (striking and fielding)
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