

Year 3 Summer Overview

English



In English, we will be writing narratives, persuasive adverts, explanation texts and diaries.

We do weekly guided reading groups focusing on VIPERS comprehension. This focuses on: Vocabulary, Inference, Prediction, Explanation, Retrieval, and Sequence/ Summarise.

To learn grammar and punctuation, we have a daily input where each week there is an individual focus and objective.

Science

In Science, we will be studying:

Forces

What is a force?
How do forces work?
Which materials are magnetic?
Do magnets attract each other?

Plants

What do plants need?
How do plants function?
What are roots?
How do plants transport water?
Plant reproduction

Mathematics



In Maths, we will be continuing our fractions. We will also look at money, time, shape and statistics.

To build pace and fluency, we will do arithmetic tests and weekly individual times tables tests.

Please use Times Tables Rockstars at home, to continue to practice.

History and Geography

For History, we will be studying the Ancient Mayan civilisation. We will look at when and where they lived, what they ate, how they wrote. We will investigate their inventions too!

In Geography, we will be looking at the climate, location and features of Antarctica.



Spellings

Spelling Shed



100 word spellings Y/3
(see middle of reading records)

-ly exceptions
suffix -er
ch makes a /k/ sound
-gue and -que
sc makes a /s/ sound
homophones
sion
Challenge words

Art and Design & Technology

In the Summer term, we will be making Ancient Scrolls.

We will be making tie-dye applique mats.

We will be cooking seasonal tarts.



Computing

We will be coding and making leaflets/ posters.



Internet Safety

In Year 3, we will be looking at:

How to be kind, safe and responsible online when communicating with others.

Modern Languages

In French, we will be learning about animals.



PSHE

In Year 3, we will be looking at how to ensure personal safety.

This includes:
water safety, road safety,
safety near railways and fire safety.



PE

In PE, we will be doing Invasion Games, Athletics and Orienteering.

We will also be swimming.

3A: Wednesday

3F: Wednesday

3W: Thursday



RE



In RE, we will consider symbolism in water, fire and how this may motivate humans to lead good lives.

Music

We are very lucky to have a Ukulele teacher come in to teach use various Ukulele songs.

