

Year 3 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Invaders and Settlers		Extreme Earth		Mysterious Maya	
English	PVPG Application unit: The Human Skeleton	Settings and dialogue (visual text- Literacy Shed) Non-chronological reports – mythical creatures	Narrative Writing Recounts (Letters)	Play Scripts Instructions	Black-out Poetry Persuasive Writing	Narrative writing from the perspective of an object newspaper report
Power of Reading		Arthur and the Golden Rope – Joe Todd-Stanton	The Greatest Show on Earth by Mini Grey		The journey of a cacao bean.	Sophie Scott goes South
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction	Multiplication and Division Measures (Length, Mass, Capacity)	Multiplication and Division Fractions Picture and Bar Graphs (art week)	Angles Telling the Time	Money Shape Perimeter	Comparing Units of Time Volume Problem Solving
Science	Animals including Humans (Skeleton, muscles, joints)	Animals including Humans (Food groups and Nutrition)	Rocks and Soils	Light and Shadows	Forces and Magnets	Plants
Computing	Touch Typing Connecting Computers	Espresso Coding	Probots	Branching Databases	Coding Unit 3b	Publisher Skills
History	Anglo-Saxons and Vikings				The Maya	
Geography		Are all settlements the same?	Why do people live near volcanoes?			Who lives in Antarctica?
Art	Growing Artists		Prehistoric Art		Craft Tie-dye Sewing with a running stitch	
D&T		Structures Viking Long House	Mechanisms Pneumatics – Shadow box		Textiles Applique Cushions	
RE		What makes us human?		Morals How do we know right from wrong?		How is water symbolic? How is fire symbolic?

PSHE	Being My Best		Rights and Responsibilities		Keeping Safe	
Indoor PE	Circuit Training	Gymnastics	Dance	Gymnastics	Invasion Games	Orienteering
Outdoor PE	Invasion Games	Basketball	Games Techniques	Football	Athletics	Tennis
Music	Ukelele	Christingle	Charanga – Let Your Spirit Fly	Ukelele	Glockenspiels	Ukelele
Visits and Visitors		Sutton Hoo		Theatre workshop		Local area walk - plants focus
End of Topic Piece	Our Invaders and Settlers Museum		Presentation on our earth Puppet Theatres		Mayan Art	