



# St Columb Minor Academy Long Term Curriculum Plan – Year 3

	Let's Get Growing – 5 weeks	Different Places, Similar Lives – 8 weeks	Scavengers and Settlers 8 Weeks	Earthquakes and Volcanoes 8 weeks	AD900 – Marvellous Mayans 8 Weeks
Sci	Plants: Function of parts of a plant Growing conditions, water transfer and lifecycle	Light, Reflection and Shadows	Fossils Animal Nutrition	Rocks and Soils Magnets and magnetic forces.	Skeletons and muscles
Hist			Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age		Mayan Civilisation
Geog		Human Geography—distribution of ENERGY, FOOD, MINERALS, WATER. Physical Geography – climatic zones, biomes and vegetation belts. Place knowledge Geography— Region within N or S America - Peru	Field work	Physical Geography—volcanoes and earthquakes  Human Geography—economic activity and trade links.	
Art	Artists/Craftmakers/Designers Observational drawings – Margaret Mee Watercolours	Drawing Year 3 (including sketchbooks) Nazca lines		Painting Year 3 Hot and cold colours Collage Artists/ Craftmakers/ Designers Rothko	Printing – Screen Mayan patterns – Clays
DT	Food—Year 3 Instructions, Healthy Choices, combining ingredients, measuring. – vegetable soup	Construction—Frame structures – rainforest shelters	Textiles—seams, patterns Archaeologist bags Food—Year 3 Instructions, Healthy Choices, combining ingredients, measuring – flat bread Solar cookers		
ICT	E-safety lesson 1 - passwords Using a laptop Creating and saving documents Understanding a keyboard Changing fonts (Carry on 2 or 3 weeks into next topic)	E-safety lesson 5 – writing good emails Computer networks – local and remote, Email and communication.	E-Safety lesson 4 Respect online Coding – Purple Mash 2Code Chimp Level	E-safety Lesson 3. Product websites – how are you persuaded to buy Simulations Music technology 2Sequence	E-safety lesson 2 – uniting as an online community. Probots – simple commands.
Mus	Charanga Music 3 Little Birds	Charanga Music 3 Ho Ho Ho Christmas: Singing, using voices expressively	Charanga Music Glockenspiel 2. Notes CDEF, Minims and Crotchets Composition	Charanga Music Benjamin Britten. There was a Monkey	Charanga Music – Let your Spirit Fly (R&B)
RE	Christianity – Family Life and Celebrations, Worship	Buddhism – Beliefs and Values/God/Worship	Celtic Christianity	Christianity – Beliefs and Values/God Scripture. Where the Bible came from.	Buddhism – Scripture, Family Life Celebrations
PE	Real PE Unit 1	Real PE Unit 2	Swimming	Real PE Unit 3	Real PE Unit 4
PHSE	Relationships (1) Feelings and Emotions /Healthy relationships	SRE 3 lessons Health and Wellbeing (1) Healthy lifestyles	Health and Wellbeing (2) Growing and Changing/Keeping Safe Relationships (2) Valuing difference	Living in the Wider World (1) Rights and responsibilities Drugs Education (3 lessons)	Living in the Wider World (2) Taking care of the environment/Money



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Int	Conditions for growth. What will grow in different climates including the Andes/ Rainforest and Desert	Climate in different parts of the world. The effect of climate change in Peru. Compare and contrast availability of electricity/Internet/ computer ownership in Peru	Ancient civilisations in S America at the same time.	Living near a Volcano in Peru – Arequipa	Effect on your body of living at altitude. Andes in Peru. Solar cookers (Link with DT)