



Year 3 - Curriculum map



Planned half term	Year 3	Subject focus	Memorable experience	Innovate challenge	Love to Read link	Love to Investigate	English	Art & Design	Computing	D&T	Geography	History	Mathematics	Music	PE	PSHE	Science	RE
1	Predator!	Science	Animal experience	The ultimate predator	The Sheep Pig - Dick King-Smith	How do fossils form? What are our joints for? Why are trees tall? What do owls eat? How do worms move?	Recounts; Leaflets; Poetry; Dilemma stories; Speeches	3-D models;	Algorithms; Flow diagrams; Online research; Using logical reasoning; Graphics software; Digital presentations	Selecting and using materials (collage and textiles)	Fieldwork; Using maps to locate countries and continents	None in this half-term	Data handling Securing number facts, relationships and calculating	Christmas Carols	Dance	Go Givers	Food chains; Fossils; Plant parts and functions; Water transportation in plants; Skeletal systems; Working scientifically	Divali: How and why is it celebrated
2	Tribal Tales	History	Visit a prehistoric site	Construct a monument	Stig of the Dump	Do plants have legs? What are flowers for?	Information books; Adventure stories; Fact files; Letters; Poetry using similes and metaphors	Neolithic art; Clay beakers; Iron Age Jewellery observational drawings; printing	Cyber safety	Tool design and making; Food	Fieldwork; Human and physical geography; Using maps and aerial images	Prehistoric Britain from the Stone Age to Iron Age	Counting partitioning and calculating; securing number facts understanding shapes; handling data and measures	Three little Birds-[Charanga]	Games	Go Givers	Plants; Light; Working scientifically Data Logging	Christmas
3	Gods and Mortals	History	Meet Zeus	Pandora's Box	Greek myths for young Children	Why did Icarus fall from the sky? Forces and Motion	Character profiles; Diary writing; Instructions and commands; Myths and legends; Character descriptions	3-D sculpture; Greek art and design	Using presentation software	Moving parts; Model making	Ancient and modern day Greece; Geographical features; Using maps	Ancient Greece	Positional and directional language number facts; relationships and calculations; measures	Recorders	Athletics and games	Go Givers	Forces and magnets	Leaders and followers in family life
4	Tremors	Geography	Visit a seashore, river bed or rocky outcrop	Emergency plan for a volcano eruption	The Firework-Makers Daughter	What is sand?	Recounts; Historical narrative; Narrative using personification; Newspaper reports; Poetry	Sculpture; Photography	Presenting information	Structures	Volcanoes and earthquakes	Ancient Rome - Pompeii	Securing number facts, relationships and calculating; measures	Let your Spirit fly- Charanga-R&B	Gymnastics	Go Givers	Rocks	Living in Harmony
5	Flow	Geography	Visit a local stream or river	Investigate a pollution outbreak	Swallows and Amazons - Arthur Ransome	What is soil? How fast does water flow?	Newspaper reports; Poetry; Journals; Debate; Instructions	Painting	Online research and communication	Healthy diet.	Using maps; Fieldwork; Water cycle; Human and physical features; Rivers of the world; Counties and cities of the UK	None this half-term	Counting, partitioning and calculating Securing number facts. Understanding shapes Handling data and measures	Music Tech- Garage Band	Games	Go Givers	Soil; Aquatic plants; Working scientifically	Leaders and followers in family life
6	Urban Pioneers	Art & Design	Bus trip to town	Make public art	Emil and the Detectives - Erich Kästner The Family from One End Street - Eve Garnett	Why do cat's eyes glow at night? Why do shadows change? What are sunglasses for?	Leaflets; Free verse poetry; Autobiography; Email; Signs and slogans	Photography; Graffiti art; Observational drawing shadow puppets	Digital maps; Programming; audio recording; Using search engines effectively	how key events and individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world.	Geographical skills and fieldwork	A local history study	Data handling, calculating, measuring and understanding shapes; number facts relationships and calculating	Recorders	Athletics and games	Go Givers	Light and dark; Sources and reflectors; Shadows; Sun safety; Working scientifically	Is life like a Journey? Pilgrimage

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