

YEAR 3 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW 2023 - 2024

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Subject Focus	History		Science		Geography	
Theme	Homes Through the Ages Key figure: William Barrow Event/legacy: Bush Barrow Bronze Age burial discovery <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview of the Stone Age to The Iron Age Historical fieldwork Human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade lines and the distribution of natural resources (food). 		What lies beneath us? Key figure: Mary Anning Event/legacy: Fossil records and dinosaur discovery <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 55 BCE to 1300 AD Roman Empire and its impact on Britain Volcanoes (Pompeii – Mount Vesuvius) and earthquakes Fieldwork: earthquake response (comparison study of California and Haiti, North America) 		Europe – Spain Key figure: Antoni Gaudi Event/legacy: Architecture <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Comparison study, Catalan and Cambridgeshire Human geography fieldwork comparison: The Sagrada Familia and Ely Cathedral Name and locate counties and cities of the UK. 	
English	Voyage and Return	Informal letter	Overcoming the Monster	Non-chronological report	Quest	Persuasive brochure
	Poetry – Classic poems	Recount – diary		Biography	Poetry – riddles	Formal letter
Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number: Place Value Number: Addition and Subtraction 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number: Addition and Subtraction Number: Multiplication and Division 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number: Multiplication and Division Measurement: Length and Perimeter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number: Fractions A Measurement: Mass and Capacity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number: Fractions B Measurement: Money Measurement: Time 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Measurement: Time Geometry: Shape Statistics
Science	Light	Forces and Magnets	Rocks		Animals Including Humans	Plants

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Art	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drawing – Direct Observation • Painting – Abstract Expressionism (action painters) • Painting – Abstract Expressionism (colour field painters) • Sculpture – Land Art 					
DT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mechanisms – Cams (toys) • Mechanisms – Cams (shop window display) • Structures – Shell • Food and nutrition – Bread 					
Music	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listening and appreciating – Disco • Performance – Folk • Composition – Reggae • Composition – Indian 					
Cultural Capital	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community – Money Matters • Production – Pantomime • Digital Media – Interactive Learning Quiz • Global Issues – Habitat Destruction 					
RE	Sikhism Does joining the Khalsa make a better Sikh?	Christianity Has Christmas lost its true meaning?	Christianity Could Jesus heal people? Were these miracles or is there some other explanation?	Christianity What is good about Good Friday?	Sanatana Dharma (Hinduism) Does visiting the River Ganges make a person a better Sanatani?	Sanatana Dharma (Hinduism) What do some deities tell Sanatanis about God?
PE	Dance (Stages 3 & 4)		Games – Tennis (Stages 3, 4, & 5)		Games – Basketball (skill specific) (Stages 1, 2, 3, & 4)	
	Games – Football (Stages 4 & 5)		Games – Rugby (Stage 4)		Athletics – running and throwing (Stage 5)	