

Year 3 Yearly Overview 2026-2027

	Term 1 3 days & 7 weeks	Term 2 7 weeks	Term 3 6 weeks	Term 4 5 weeks	Term 5 7 weeks	Term 6 6+3 weeks
Topic/Driver	The United Kingdom What are the geographical regions of the UK?	The Stone Age How did Britain change from the Stone Age to the Iron Age?	Settlements What is a settlement?	Ancient Civilisations What is an ancient civilisation?	Rivers How are rivers formed?	Ancient Egyptians Who ruled the ancient Egyptians and what were their beliefs?
Immersion (including trips, visitors, parental involvement and community links)	Personal Development Week Enterprise Week Remembrance Day Harvest Festival Parent/carer evenings Book Look Local area walk	Film visit Stone Age Multi-sensory Experience Day. Christmas Performance at Church Carol Concert to parents Children in need.	Parent/carer evenings Book Look Geography Field Work ~Looking at our settlement. World Book Day	Easter Service Rose Nose Day	Walk to School Week	Sports Week – external coaches Sports Day Ancient Egyptians Day
Key Texts	PSHE Link: 'Dear Teacher' by Amy Husband informal letter writing. The Write Stuff: (Narrative) The true story of the 3 little pigs Letter writing	Christmas postcard The Write Stuff: Non-Fiction Earthquake Non Chronological	The Write Stuff: (Narrative) Stone Age boy Recount Diary entry	The Write Stuff: (Narrative) ~Star in a Jar. The Write Stuff: (Poetry) The Sound Collector	The Write Stuff: (Non Fiction) Anthology of Intriguing Animals and Skeletons and Muscles Non chronological	The Write Stuff: (Narrative) Inside the Pyramid (based on short film)

Celebration of Diversity	Values Assembly Black History Month Anti-Slavery Day Judaism - Yom Kippur & Rosh Hashanah Hinduism - Diwali	Values Assembly Young Minds Children in Need Anti-bullying Week International Day of Disabilities Judaism - Hanukkah Was the Stone Age Sexist? Discussion	Values Assembly World Religion Day MLK Day/Birthday Chinese New Year Sport/Comic Relief Judaism ~ Holocaust LGBTQ+ History Month	Values Assembly World Book Day Palm Sunday Hinduism ~ Holi Islam ~ Ramadan	Values Assembly Islam ~ Ramadan Judaism - Passover celebration Islam ~ Eid	Values Assembly Pride Month Judaism ~ Shavuot Eid Al-Adha ~ The feast of sacrifice.
Healthy Mind & Healthy Body	Weekly PE Daily Meditation Growth Mindset SLANT Values Assembly. Class Celebration Assembly Mindfulness & Therapeutic Approach Class Assemblies Class Stories Transition into year 3.	Weekly PE Daily Meditation Growth Mindset SLANT Values Assembly. Class Celebration Assembly Mindfulness & Therapeutic Approach Class Assemblies Class Stories	Weekly PE Daily Meditation Growth Mindset SLANT Values Assembly. Class Celebration Assembly Mindfulness & Therapeutic Approach Class Assemblies Class Stories	Weekly PE Daily Meditation Growth Mindset SLANT Values Assembly. Class Celebration Assembly Mindfulness & Therapeutic Approach Class Assemblies Class Stories	Weekly PE Daily Meditation Growth Mindset SLANT Values Assembly. Class Celebration Assembly Mindfulness & Therapeutic Approach Class Assemblies Class Stories	Weekly PE Daily Meditation Growth Mindset SLANT Values Assembly. Class Celebration Assembly Mindfulness & Therapeutic Approach Class Assemblies Class Stories Sports week Transition ~ Class swap etc
Science	Rocks	Forces and Magnets	Animals including humans		Plants	Light
History		How did Britain change from the Stone Age to the Iron Age?		What is an ancient civilisation?		What were the achievements of the Ancient Egyptians?
Geography	What are the geographical regions of the UK?		What is a settlement?		How are rivers formed?	

PE	Team Building Basketball	Gymnastics Football	Badminton Dance	Hockey Tag Rugby	Handball Cricket	Rounder's Athletics
RE	Can observing behaviour reveal what people believe and value? How did Jesus teach his follower to show friendship?	What do Muslims believe about God and why?	What do the biblical names for Jesus tell us about who Christians believe him to be?	Why is Easter important for Christians?	What role does the Mosque play in Muslim life?	How and why is the Qur'an a source of guidance for the life of a Muslim?
Music	South Africa Instrumental Scheme (Music Model Curriculum)		Pentatonic melodies and composition (Chinese New Year)		Caribbean Instrumental scheme (Music model curriculum)	
Computing	E Safety first lesson of each term					
	Logging on, saving work, TTR Typing	Document Editing and Creation	Storyboards	3D Design	Scratch - Coding	Music Creator
Art		Painting & Mixed Media Prehistoric Art		Drawing ~ Developing Drawing Skills		Structure & 3D: Abstract shape
DT	Cooking and nutrition: eating seasonally – soup?		Structures: product packaging - 3D boxes		Textiles/Sewing ~Egyptian Collars or cushion	
PSHE	Transition from Yr2 to Yr3 1D Keeping/staying healthy – Medicine 1D Computer safety - Making friends online 1D A world without judgement - Tolerance		Relationships – Touch Feelings and Emotions – Grief 1D Being responsible - Stealing		1D Our world – looking after our world 1D Keeping / staying safe – leaning out of windows Fire safety – Texting whilst driving	
MFL	French	French	French Animals	French	French	French

	Greetings, numbers and colours	Colours, Classroom Commands. Calendar, Celebrations		Carnival, Using Numbers, Easter Time	Fruit & Vegetables, Hungry Giant	Going on a Picnic, Aliens in France, Language Puzzle
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