



Year 3 Curriculum Overview

CYCLE A

SUBJECT AREA	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	WATER	WATER	THE GREEKS	THE GREEKS	PREHISTORIC PAST	PREHISTORIC PAST
Reading	Book Study: Oliver and The Seawigs. Topic: A Necklace of Raindrops	Complete Comprehension. Topic: Kensuke's Kingdom & The Explorer. Book Study: The Christmasarus	Complete Comprehension. Book Study: War Game, Bombs and Blackberries, What are we fighting for? Poems from WW1 and Great Women who changed the world. Topic: Holiday Brochures & Who Let The Gods Out	Complete Comprehension. Topic: Who Let The Gods Out, Trojan War, Theseus and the Minotaur, Pandora's Box, King Midas and other Greek myths.	Complete Comprehension. Topic: Dinosaur Fiction Books	Topic: The Ice Monster. Book Study: Survival
Writing	Recount, Non-Fiction, Fiction, Planning, Drafting, Proof Reading, Editing and Publishing	Fiction, Planning, Drafting, Proof Reading, Editing and Publishing	Letter writing, Non-Fiction, Holiday Brochure persuasive writing.	Diary, Fiction, Myth/Legend, Planning, Drafting, Proof Reading, Editing and Publishing	Setting Description, Fiction, Planning, Drafting, Proof Reading, Editing and Publishing	Fiction, Non-Fiction, Planning, Drafting, Proof Reading, Editing and Publishing
Phonics / Grammar	Dictionary work, Verbs, Adverbs, Conjunctions & Fronted Adverbials.	Pronouns, Clauses, Inverted Commas, Recap Noun Adjective Verb & Adverbs.	Dictionary Work, Syllables, Rhyme, Similes, Metaphors & Paragraphs.	Contractions, A and An, Fronted Adverbials, Plurals & Possessive Plurals.	Expanded Noun Phrases & Present Perfect Form of a Verb.	Prepositions, Determiners & SATs Recap.

Maths	Place value Addition Subtraction	Money Multiplication Division	Division Word problems 2D and 3D shape	Perimeter Roman numerals Time	Time Data Handling 1 and 2 step word problems	Fractions Angles
Science	Animals Including Humans. Working scientifically.	Light. Working scientifically.	Rocks. Working scientifically.	Rocks. Working scientifically.	Forces. Working scientifically.	Plants. Working scientifically.
Humanities History / Geography	Book Study: WW1. The Romans: Who Were The Romans, The Roman Army, Enemies, Towns & comparison skills.	The Romans: Romans in Sussex, Religion, Gladiators, Anglo Saxons & primary and secondary sources.	Wonders of the World: The World, Urulu, Ancient Sumer, Valley of The Kings & map, atlas, globe and computer mapping.	Wonders of the World: Pyramids of Giza, Chichen Itza, Christ The Redeemer, The Great Wall of China, The Vatican City & comparing physical and human geography.	The Vikings: Who Were The Vikings, Raids, Invasions, Weapons, Trading, Religion, Traditional Life & connections and contrasts in Britain.	The Vikings: Norse myths, 1066, Rulers & timeline of Britain.
Art	Topic: Mosaic Numeral, Roman Soldier, Blue Wood & Roman Shield collage.	Topic: Gladiator Clay, Roman Architecture Book Study: Origami book mark	Book Study: Micheal Foreman artist study. Water colour painting. Topic: Cave Paintings, Aboriginal Art & Cuneiform on Clay Tablet	Topic: Papyrus Hieroglyphics.	Topic: Viking portrait drawing & Viking clay portrait.	Topic: Bayeux Tapestry design.
Design and Technology	Wood Work catapult			Cooking & Nutrition: Vegetable spring rolls.	Buoyant Modelling: Buoyant Viking Long Ship.	Textile Bayeux Tapestry.
Computing	Internet Safety. Search engines.	Coding - use sequence, selection and repetition.	Internet Safety. Communication - emails.	Coding - use sequence, selection and repetition.	Internet Safety. Microsoft Word.	Microsoft Word.

Music	Learning the Ukelele	Learning the Ukelele				Singing. Instruments to support songs. Pentatonic scale.
Physical Education	OAA, Rugby, Hockey, Football, Basketball, Tennis & Gymnastics.	Rugby, Hockey, Football, Basketball, Gymnastics & Indoor Athletics.	Indoor Athletics, Dance, Netball, Basketball, Circuits & Gymnastics.	Hockey, Netball, Rugby, Football & Gymnastics.	Swimming, Cricket, Basketball, Athletics & Rounders.	OAA, Swimming, Athletics, Rounders & Tennis.
Languages	French: Greetings, Personal information, Numbers 1-30, Days of the week & months of the year.			French: Sports. Read and write familiar words.		
PSHCE (RSE)		Supporting Mental Health. Relationships: family and friends. Managing Hurtful Behaviour and Bullying. Spending and Saving Money.	Visitor - Canine Partners. Being Safe in the Community. Stranger Danger. Healthy Wellbeing. Online Safety. Disability. Stereotypes and Prejudice.			First Aid.
Religious Education				Christianity including: Church, parables, light and symbolism with Christianity.	Christianity including: 10 disciples, Father, different roles and Communion.	



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CYCLE B

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	THE ROMANS	THE ROMANS	WONDERS OF THE WORLD	WONDERS OF THE WORLD	THE VIKINGS	THE VIKINGS
Reading	Book Study: Oliver and The Seawigs. Topic: Romulus and Remus.	Complete Comprehension. Topic: Boudicca, You Wouldn't Want to be a Roman Gladiator and Chariots and Champions. Book Study: The Christmasarus	Complete Comprehension. Book Study: War Game, Bombs and Blackberries, What are we fighting for? Poems from WW1 and Great Women who changed the world. Topic: Variety of poetry.	Complete Comprehension. Topic: Secrets of a Sun King.	Complete Comprehension. Topic: How to Train your Dragon.	Topic: Norse myths. Book Study: Survival
Writing	Recount, Non-Fiction, Fiction Planning, Drafting, Proof Reading, Editing and Publishing	Audio Guide/Leaflet, Fiction, Rhyming Fiction, Planning, Drafting, Proof Reading, Editing and Publishing	Letter, Non-Fiction Page, Bush Ballad, Khorāsānī Style Poetry, Planning, Drafting, Proof Reading, Editing and Publishing	Diary, Instructions, Persuasive Writing, Planning, Drafting, Proof Reading, Editing and Publishing	Non-fiction, Invasion Letter, Norse Myth, Planning, Drafting, Proof Reading, Editing and Publishing	Creative Recount in own genre, Non-fiction, Planning, Drafting, Proof Reading, Editing and Publishing

Phonics / Grammar	Dictionary Work, Verbs, Adverbs, Fronted Adverbials & Inverted Commas	Conjunctions, Recap Noun Adjective Verb & Adverb.	Dictionary Work, Paragraphs, Expanded Noun Phrases & A and An	Pronouns, Plurals, Possessive Plurals & Present Perfect Form of a Verb	Paragraphs, Expanded Noun Phrases.	Prepositions, Determiners & SATs Recap
Maths	Place value Addition Subtraction	Money Multiplication Division	Division Word problems 2D and 3D shape	Perimeter Roman numerals Time	Time. Data Handling 1 and 2 step word problems.	Fractions Angles
Science	Animals Including Humans. Working scientifically.	Light. Working scientifically.	Rocks. Working scientifically.	Rocks. Working scientifically.	Forces. Working scientifically.	Plants. Working scientifically.
Humanities History / Geography	Water: Bodies of Water, Rivers, Oceans and Seas & The Water Cycle & Map, Globe and Atlas work.	Water: O.S. Mapping, Extreme Physical Geography, Rainforests & Comparing The Amazon to Sussex.	The Greeks: Where is Greece, The Ancient Greek Lifestyle, Achievements and Influences on the Western World.	The Greeks: Ancient Olympics, Gods and Goddesses, Myths and Legends.	Prehistoric Past: From The Start. Triassic Period. Jurassic Period. Changes in physical geography.	Prehistoric Past: Cretaceous Period. Cenozoic Period. The Stone Age. The Ice Age. The Bronze Age. The Iron Age. Creating a timeline of change.
Art	David Hockney. Collage. Observational drawing. Brusho.	Henri Rousseau & Claude Monet. Oil Pastel. Chalk Pastel.	Perspective Scene. Painting. Pen and Ink.	Clay Pots.	Dan Morris. Drawing. Water Colour.	Andy Goldsworthy. Pattern Recreation.
Design and Technology		Textiles: Water tapestry. Pneumatic Systems: Pneumatic Water Monster.		Wood Work: Minotaur Maze		Craft Modelling: Dinosaur Diorama.
Computing	Internet Safety. Search engines.	Coding - use sequence, selection and repetition.	Internet Safety. Communication - emails.	Coding - use sequence, selection and repetition.	Internet Safety. Microsoft Word.	Microsoft Word.
Music	Learning the Ukelele	Learning the Ukelele				Singing. Instruments to

						support songs. Pentatonic scale.
Physical Education	OAA, Rugby, Hockey, Football, Basketball, Tennis & Gymnastics.	Rugby, Hockey, Football, Basketball, Gymnastics & Indoor Athletics.	Indoor Athletics, Dance, Netball, Basketball, Circuits & Gymnastics.	Hockey, Netball, Rugby, Football & Gymnastics.	Swimming, Cricket, Basketball, Athletics & Rounders.	OAA, Swimming, Athletics, Rounders & Tennis.
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