



Year 3 Curriculum Map 2026-27

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Through the Ages	Volcanoes	The Romans	Antarctica	Ancient Egypt	Settlements
Trips/ELEs						
English	Narrative Mini-Rabbit Not Lost Poetry: Free Verse Michael Rosen & Kit Wright	Fables The Koala Who Could The Squirrels that Squabbled The Lion Inside Non-Chronological Report Incredible Jobs You've (Probably) Never Heard Of	Narrative (Setting and Dialogue) Alice's Adventures in Wonderland Persuasive Speeches Stella and the Seagull	Personal Narrative (memoir) Jabari Jumps Ralph Tells a Story The Proudest Blue Poetry: Calligrams Love that Dog	Persuasive Letters Speak Up! Look Up! Clean Up! Instructions Wolf in the Snow	Narrative The Iron Man Poetry: Take One Poet Poems Aloud Smile Out Loud
Mathematics	Number & Place Value Addition & Subtraction Geometry & Statistics		Geometry & Measurement Multiplication, Division & Statistics Fractions		Multiplication & Division Measurement All four operations, including fractions Measurement & Geometry	
Science	Light	Animals Including Humans	Forces and Magnets		Plants	Rocks
Computing	Email	Route Planners	Branching Databases	Spreadsheets	Coding	Presenting Ideas Touch Typing
	Online Safety – Delivered throughout the year using 2BeSafe – Being Safe in a Digital World					

History	British History 1: Would you prefer to have lived in the Stone Age, Bronze Age or Iron Age?		British History 2: Why did the Romans invade and settle in Britain?		What was important to ancient Egyptians?	
Geography		Why do people live near volcanoes?		Who lives in Antarctica?		Are all Settlements the same?
Art	Drawing & Sketchbooks Gestural Drawing with Charcoal	Print, Colour, Collage Working with Shape and Colour	Working in Three Dimensions Telling Stories Through Drawing & Making	Paint, Surface, Texture Cloth, Thread, Paint	Working in Three Dimensions Making Animated Drawings	Collaboration & Community Using Natural Materials to Make Images
DT	Structures Shell structures (including computer-aided design)		Food Healthy and Varied Diet (including cooking and nutrition)		Textiles 2-D shape and 3-D product	
RE	Stories of Key Religious Leaders	Ways of Describing God Christmas	Events in the Life of Jesus	Events in the Life of Jesus	Rules and How They Influence Actions	Special Places, Sacred Spaces
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
PE	Basketball Swimming	Netball Swimming	Symmetry & Asymmetry Tag Rugby	Wild Animals Football	Cricket Athletics	OAA: Communication & Tactics Rounders
Music	Clapping Games	I've Been to Harlem	The Maya (a stone-cold classic)	Global Pentatonics	Jazz	Just Three Notes
French	Phonics Lesson 1 & I am Learning French	Animals	Instruments		I Am Able	Fruits