



## Year 3 English Curriculum Overview

Reading Comprehension and Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar activities thread through the learning across the curriculum and are explicitly taught in English lessons.

All sequences of written work include planning, drafting and editing; all three skills are included in specific lessons in a writing sequence.

	Autumn Term 1	Autumn Term 2	Spring Term 1	Spring Term 2	Summer Term 1	Summer term 2
<b>Supporting Text or Themes</b>	<b>Peter Rabbit</b>	<b>Stone Age Boy How To Wash A Woolly Mammoth</b>	<b>KrindleKrax</b>	<b>The Conquerors Personification Poetry Shakespeare / Julius Caesar</b>	<b>The Great Kapok Tree The Chocolate Tree: A Mayan Folktale The Promise</b>	<b>The Extraordinary Gardener Tin Forest Traditional tales: Cinderella Yeh-Shen: Chinese Cinderella</b>
<b>Fiction</b>	Letter writing Narrative writing	Retelling a narrative Narrative writing Character description Diary writing	Letter writing Narrative writing Retelling a narrative	Letter writing Narrative writing Diary entries Play script	Narrative writing (dilemma stories) Setting descriptions (great tree setting)	Narrative writing Postcards Diary entries Setting descriptions
<b>Non Fiction</b>	Fact file on Mary Anning	Information text (prehistoric beast fact file) Instruction writing (washing a woolly mammoth)	Information text (Europe)	Newspaper article (The Conquerors) Information writing (the Romans)	Persuasive letter writing	Information leaflets/ Persuasive poster Instruction writing (tie dye)
<b>Poetry</b>	<b>Acrostic Poetry Onomatopoeia Poetry</b>			Personification poems	Descriptive poetry (senses) Poems from around the world.	
<b>Speaking and Listening Drama Performance</b>	Role play Performing poetry	Debate Role Play	Role play	Role play Debate (Romans)	Debate Role Play Drama Performing poetry	Debate Role play Drama