

St Peter's CE (VA) Primary School

Year 3 Curriculum Coverage

Literacy and Numeracy						
Reading	Writing	Speaking & Listening	Grammar			
Use knowledge to read 'exception'	Use prefixes & suffixes in spelling	Give structured descriptions	Use range of conjunctions			
words	Use dictionary to confirm spellings	Participate activity in conversation	Use perfect tense			
🛮 Read range of fiction & non-fiction	Write simple dictated sentences	🛮 Consider & evaluate different	🛮 Use range of nouns & pronouns			
Use dictionaries to check meaning	Use handwriting joins appropriately	viewpoints	Use time connectives			
🛮 Prepare poems & plays to perform	Plan to write based on familiar forms		Introduce speech punctuation			
☐ Check own understanding of reading	Rehearse sentences orally for		Know language of clauses			
Draw inferences & make predictions	writing					
Retrieve & record information from	Use varied rich vocabulary					
non-fiction books	□ Create simple settings & plot					
Discuss reading with others	Assess effectiveness of own and					
J	others' writing					
Number/Calculation	Geometry & Measures	Fractions, decimals &	Data			
🛮 Learn 3, 4 & 8× tables	■ Measure & calculate with metric	percentages	Interpret bar charts & pictograms			
🛮 Secure place value to 100	measures	Use & count in tenths				
■ Mentally add & subtract units, tens	Measure simple perimeter	Recognise, find & write fractions				
or hundreds to numbers of up to 3	Add/subtract using money in	Recognise some equivalent fractions				
digits	context	Add/subtract fractions up to <1				
■ Written column addition &	🛮 Use Roman numerals up to XII; tell	Order fractions with common				
subtraction	time	denominator				
Solve number problems, including	Calculate using simple time problems					
multiplication & simple division and	🛮 Draw 2-d / Make 3-d shapes					
missing number problems	Identify and use right angles					
Use commutativity to help	Identify horizontal, vertical,					
calculations	perpendicular and parallel lines					

Science Objectives

Science Animals (YA)

- identify that animals, including humans, need the right types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat
- identify that some animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement.
- construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey.
- recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways
- explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in their local and wider environment
- recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things.
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Science Forces (YA)

- notice that some forces need contact between two objects, but magnetic forces can act at a distance
- observe how magnets attract or repel each other and attract some materials and not others
- compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of whether they are attracted to a magnet, and identify some magnetic materials
- describe magnets as having two poles
- predict whether two magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing.
- identify the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction, that act between moving surfaces

Science Materials (YA)

- compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases
- observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled, and measure or research the temperature at which this happens in degrees Celsius (°C)
- identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle and associate the rate of evaporation with temperature.

Science Sound (YA)

- identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating
- recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear
- recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases.

Science Electricity (YB)

- identify common appliances that run on electricity
- construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers
- identify whether or not a lamp will light in a simple series circuit, based on whether or not the lamp is part of a complete loop with a battery
- recognise that a switch opens and closes a circuit and associate this with whether or not a lamp lights in a simple series circuit
- recognise some common conductors and insulators, and associate metals with being good conductors.

Science Humans (YB)

- describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in
- identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions
- identify that humans have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement.
- identify that, need the right types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat

Science Plants (YB)

- identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers
- investigate the way in which water is transported within plants
- recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things.

Science Space (YB)

- describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system
- describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth
- describe the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximately spherical bodies
- use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky.

Foundation Subject Objectives

History			
2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Egyptians	Potteries	Invaders	Romans
Stone Age	Tudors	Baghdad900AD	Greeks

- I understand when the period of history I am studying was.
- I can place people and events on a time line.
- I understand the concepts of continuity and change over time.
- I can ask historical questions.
- I can find out the answers to historical questions.
- I understand the different ways the past is represented.
- I can use sources from the past to show I know about key events.
- I can identify similarities and differences between periods in history.
- I can describe significant people or events in history and why they were important.
- I can suggest causes and consequences of some of the main events and changes in history
- I can use words and phrases to show time:
- I can use a wide range of historical words in my work.

Geography

2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Earth	Fire & Ice	Ebb & Flow	Air

- I can locate places on a map.
- I understand about different places
- I can compare different places around the World.
- I can ask geographical questions.
- I can answer geographical questions.
- I can use a wide range of geographical words in my work.
- I can share my geographical knowledge effectively.
- I can use a wide range of geographical and fieldwork skills field sketching, measuring, direction, using/drawing maps, scale and distance, photography, recording, questionnaires.

Art & Design (LKS2)

- Use sketchbooks to collect, record and evaluate ideas
- Improve mastery of techniques such as drawing, painting and sculpture with varied materials
- Learn about great artists, architects & designers

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- Helping Others to Keep Safe
- Growing Up
- Who are These People?
- Taking More Control
- Work and Money
- The Environment

Religious Education

Continue to follow locally- agreed syllabus for RE

Computing (LKS2)

- Design & write programs to achieve specific goals, including solving problems
- Use logical reasoning
- Understand computer networks
- Use internet safely and appropriately
- Collect and present data appropriately

Modern Languages (LKS2)

- Listen & engage
- Ask & answer questions
- Speak in sentences using familiar vocabulary
- Develop appropriate pronunciation
- Show understanding of words & phrases
- Appreciate stories, songs, poems & rhymes
- Broaden vocabulary

Music (LKS2)

- Use voice & instruments with increasing accuracy, control and expression
- Improvise & compose music
- Listen with attention to detail
- Appreciate wide range of live & recorded music
- Begin to develop understanding of history

Design & Technology (LKS2)

- Use research& criteria to develop products which are fit for purpose
- Use annotated sketches and prototypes to explain ideas
- Evaluate existing products and improve own work
- Use mechanical systems in own work
- Understand seasonality; prepare & cook mainly savoury dishes

Physical Education (LKS2)

- Use running, jumping, catching and throwing in isolation and in combination
- Play competitive games, modified as appropriate
- Develop flexibility & control in gym, dance & athletics
- Compare performances to achieve personal bests
- Swimming proficiency at 25m (KS1 KS2)