

Clarkson Class Curriculum Overview – Autumn 2026

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2
English	Fiction – suspense tale with focus on description of setting Non-Fiction – report writing	Fiction – Losing Tale with focus on character Non-Fiction – persuasive letter
Maths	Place value and algebra Addition and subtraction Multiplication and Division	Fractions and decimals Measures – length, perimeter and area Geometry – properties of shapes
Art	<u>Light in Art</u> 1 / 2. Drawing dark and light 3. Painting dark and light 4. Painting a still life with acrylic – ground and underpainting 5. Painting a still life with acrylic – adding tints and shades 6. Using and showing light in different ways	<u>Space in Art</u> 1. Introduction to space and dimensions 2. Exploring space in painting: foreground, middle ground and background 3. Identifying foreground, middle ground and background 4/5. Creating foreground, middle ground and background 6. Using colour and detail to show depth
Computing	Scratch - programming	PowerPoint - skills
DT	Making Cushions	
Geography	<u>Spatial Sense</u> 1. Globes and the Tropics	<u>Mediterranean Europe</u> 1. Key Places in Europe

	2. Scale 3. Grid References 4. Our Local Area 5. Our Local Area : Changes over Time	2. Climate of Mediterranean Europe 3. Food and Farming 4. Landscape 5. Settlements
History	<u>Ancient Greece</u> 1. Ancient Greece: City States 2. Athens and Democracy 3. Sparta 4. The Persian Wars 5. Alexander the Great	6. Greek Philosophy 7. Gods 8. Mythology 9. Art and Architecture 10. The Ancient Olympic Games 11. The Legacy of Ancient Greece
Latin	<u>The Military Machine</u> The Roman army Verbs for commands	<u>Clean and Healthy</u> The Roman baths Verbs and adverbs Roman bath room names
Music	<u>Mamma Mia</u> Listen and appraise Singing Improving and composing using instruments Performing	<u>Glockenspiel</u> Listen and appraise Improving and composing using the glockenspiel Performing Evaluating performance
PE	Forest School Tag Rugby	Hockey Gymnastics

PSHE	Working Together My Emotions	Rights, Rules and Responsibilities
RE	What do Christians learn from the Creation Story?	What is it like to follow God? What is the Trinity?
Science	<u>The Human Body</u> 1. Cells and Nutrients 2. Teeth and Senses 3. Digestion 4. Preparing to Eat 5. Vitamins and Minerals	<u>Classification of Plants and Animals</u> 1. Introduction to classification 2. Classes of vertebrates: Fish and Amphibians 3. Classes of vertebrates: Reptiles, Birds and Mammals 4. Classes of invertebrates: Insects, Arachnids and Molluscs 5. Classification of plants