

Year 3 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2		
Maths	Investigating Number Systems Pattern Sniffing Solving Calculation Problems Generalising Arithmetic Exploring Shape Reasoning with Measures		Discovering Equivalence Reasoning with Fractions Solving Number Problems Investigating Statistics		Visualising Shape Exploring Change Proportional Reasoning Measuring and Estimating			
English	See Reading Learning Journey and Programmes of Study for Writing							
Science	Plants	Rocks	Light	Forces and Magnets	Animals including humans (nutrition and movement)	Retrieve, revisit, review		
History	Changes in Britain from Stone Age to Iron Age		The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain		Aztec Civilisation			
Geography		Global Locations (Mapping and Timezones)		Mountains, Earthquakes and Volcanoes		Rivers		
Art and Design		Painting - Gouache Henri Matisse (Fauvism)		Digital Art David Hockney - (Contemporary)		Roman Art (Mosaic)		

Design and Technology	Food: Soup		Mechanisms: wheels and moving cams; moving toys		Exploring materials: shadow puppets	
Computing	Computing systems and networks – Connecting computers	Creating media – Stop-frame animation	Creating media – Desktop publishing	Data and information – Branching databases	Programming A – Sequence in music	Programming B – Event and actions
Music	Ballads	Christmas Carols (performance and singing technique)	Whole Class Instrument - Recorders	Pentatonic Melodies and Composition (Lunar New Year)	Traditional Instruments and Improvisation - India	Developing Singing Technique (Vikings)
RE	Does joining the Khalsa make a person a better Sikh?	Has Christmas lost it's true meaning?	Could Jesus heal people? Were these miracles or is there some other explanation?	What is 'good' about Good Friday?	Do Sikhs think it is important to share?	What is the best way for Sikh's to show commitment to God?
PE	Tag Rugby/Fitness	Orienteering/Gymn astics	Basketball/Dance	Kurling/Golf	Tennis/Cricket	Rounders/Athletics
PSHE	Being me in my world	Celebrating difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
French	Phonetics 1 I'm Learning French		Salutations		Colours and Numbers	