

Curriculum Overview – Year group Planning Grid –Year 3 – Updated Sept 2016

Topic/ Theme	Art	D & T	Music	ICT	PE	Geography	History	RE	PHSE	English	Science
Autumn 1 Roald Dahl	<p>Drawing and painting to go with RD stories</p> <p>Cartoons – Quentin Blake</p> <p>Drawings of people – in the style of Q.B.</p> <p>Close observational drawings of story objects</p> <p>Paintings of characters using descriptions from stories</p> <p>Clay characters</p>	Pneumatic models	Let your spirit fly – Charanga (singing)	Turtles and games	Swimming Gym			Intro to Islam	<p>School rules regarding medicines</p> <p>People who can help children when they have queries or concerns</p>	<p>Famous authors – Roald Dahl –Discuss and research Fiction stories – story boards and retelling of stories</p> <p>Characterisation and consider descriptive techniques</p> <p>Structure texts, headings, bullet points and numbers</p> <p>Consider rhythm and rhyme and prepare a performance</p> <p>Prepare reasoned arguments</p> <p>Write a police report Handwriting</p>	Forces and magnets

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Autumn 2 Finish Roald D and Christmas	Clay angels Christmas cards, calendars and decorations	Christmas sewing	Christmas play singing	Turtles and games	Swimming Dance in Christmas plays	Map work – major natural and manmade features (key locations) of the UK		Angels - Christmas	Different types of families / relationships	Playscripts Fairy stories and modern versions, Write in the style, in rhyme, of RD Performance Play Handwriting - focus	Light
Spring 1 Ancient Egyptians	Clay pots Pattern-painting, drawing, printing Art related to topic eg Egyptian Gods, cats, wall paintings etc	Egyptian – making a shaduf	Glockenspie 1 stage 2 (charanga)	Keeping informed – charts, graphs, mindmaps, numeric tables, digital thermometer , sensors digital microscope	Swimming Dance KC5		Ancient Egypt	Religious stories Islam and Christian	Environmental issues in the news	Non-fiction texts and reference books Research and note taking. Newspaper reports - Tut Information posters	Rocks and soils
Spring 2			Glockenspie 1 stage 2 (charanga)		Swimming Games KC5			Easter	Bacteria and viruses affect health following simple, safe routines can reduce their spread	Mystery an Adventure Stories analyses Comprehension	

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Summer 1	Relationship pictures		Drumming	Bringing images to life – digital photography	Tennis	Living in contrasting environments	Stone age, bronze age, iron age (Celts)	Sacred buildings – Mosques and Churches	Living in a diverse world/ cultural diversity in society	Writing adventure stories --- Figurative language Setting using senses Characters using show and not tell Story openers Story planning hills Techniques to build up tension Poetry different forms Comprehension	Plants
Summer 2		Sandwiches	Drumming		Striking and fielding Athletics	Map work		(Christian) charity		Animals including Humans	