

Year 3 Curriculum Overview



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Main Theme	It's All Rock & Roll To Me! Cave painting experience	It's All Rock & Roll To Me! Stone Age Day – Forest School	Walk Like An Egyptian! Sponsored Walk to raise money. Poet for local good causes	Walk Like An Egyptian! Artisan workshop day -clay canopic jars, unleavened bread, soap carving, peg doll mummies	Ey-Up! Wensleydale Railway trip Foxglove Covert	Ey-Up! Our own 'Great Yorkshire Show' Best in show – cakes, miniature gardens, veg etc with guest judges
Core Values	Curiosity Enjoyment	Co-operation Respect	Resilience Motivation	Positive Attitudes Empathy	Perseverance Independence	Honesty Responsibility
English	'Ishi – Simple Tips from a Solid Friend' 'How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth'. Instructions Recounts	'Stone Age Boy' Character descriptions Setting descriptions Oral storytelling Sequencing	Egyptian Cinderella Letter writing Diary entries Character descriptions Re-telling stories from different perspectives	Marcy and the Riddle of the Sphinx Meet the Ancient Egyptians Non-fiction writing Instructing Persuasive writing	The Railway Children – Picture Book version Character/setting descriptions Adverts Letters/recounts Diary entries	Flotsam Poetry Recounts Instructions
Maths	Place Value Numbers to 1000. Rehearse and learn, by heart, multiplication facts. Develop effective fluency skills to answer arithmetic questions.	Addition and Subtraction Build on addition and subtraction skills. Rehearse and learn, by heart, multiplication facts. Effective fluency skills to answer arithmetic questions.	Multiplication & Division Further multiplication and division. Graphs Rehearse & learn, by heart, multiplication facts. Effective fluency skills to answer arithmetic questions.	Time Money Rehearse and learn, by heart, multiplication facts. Develop effective fluency skills to answer arithmetic questions.	Mass, Volume and Length Rehearse and learn, by heart, multiplication facts. Develop effective fluency skills to answer arithmetic questions.	Fractions Angles, Lines, Area Data Handling Rehearse and learn, by heart, multiplication facts. Develop effective fluency skills to answer arithmetic questions.
Text	'The Ice Monster' by David Walliams.		Secrets of a Sun King by Emma Carroll		The Secret Garden by Francis Hodgson Burnett	
History	Changes in Britain From Stone Age to the Iron age. Gain an understanding of how settlements are developed	Changes in Britain From Stone Age to the Iron age	Ancient Egypt The achievement of the earliest civilizations	Ancient Egypt The achievement of the earliest civilizations	Catterick A local history study – Focus on the history of our school as it celebrates it's 50 th birthday.	Catterick Local history study - Baden Powell and his links with the area. Why is his statue at Camp Centre?
Geography	Finding settlements found in the four countries and capital cities of the UK CLIMATE CHANGE	Place Knowledge Compare and contrast local areas Identify geographical features CLIMATE CHANGE	Human and Physical features Compare and contrast geographical regions Identify human and physical characteristics	Locational knowledge Compare and contrast regions in the UK include land use patterns and changes over time	Place knowledge Study and locate areas in the locality, 8 points of the compass 4/6 grid refs. Map symbols & keys	Human and physical features Rivers and the water cycle
RE	Who is a Jew and what do they believe? Yom Kippur: 16th Sep 2020 Sukkot 21 Sept		L2.5 Why are festivals important to religious communities?	L2.7 What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?	L2.4 Why do people pray?	L2.1 What do different people believe about God?
Art	Drawing Draw self-portraits Illustrator Raymond Briggs 'UG'. Painting Cave paintings & techniques. Create own pictures	Printing Textiles/Collages Christmas cards/crafts Poppy inspired collages	Sculpture/3D form Artists Canopic Jars Egyptian inspired Art Make sculptures fit for Pharaoh's pyramid	Drawing Painting Hieroglyphics Pointillism Collaborative painting	Printing Textiles/Collages Creating souvenir items to celebrate North Yorkshire's rich culture Linked to DT	Sculpture/3D form Artists Creating souvenir items to celebrate North Yorkshire's rich culture

DT	Pneumatic Systems Design and make pneumatic systems. Prehistoric monsters with opening mouths	Leavers and Linkages Children to design and make posters with moving mechanical systems	Frames (Net) Building pyramids and sarcophagus structures	Electrical Circuits Creating alarms to protect the pyramids	Textiles (Template and Patterns) Creating souvenir items to celebrate North Yorkshire's rich culture Linked to art	Food Baking local traditional recipes such as parkin and curd tart
Science	Rocks Learning about rocks and minerals. Explore different kinds of rocks and observe & classify soils	Forces and magnets Contact and non-contact forces Law of attraction/magnets. Explore how objects move on different surfaces	Animals, including humans The importance of nutrients, a balanced diet and the functions of the human skeleton.	Finish units Working Scientifically objectives Recovery Curriculum	Plants Investigate plants when they are put in different conditions e.g. in dark, cold, deprived of air, different types of soil, different fertilisers	Light Understand how we see light sources and how the role reflection plays. Identify shadows and how they are formed
Computing	Programming Create a simple animation in Scratch introducing concept of characters talking and moving. Create an animation in Scratch using images of Stone Age using the repeat control	Digital Literacy/E-Safety Passwords security & protect personal info. Different safety features of websites. What is age appropriate and being a good 'online citizen'. Downloading things can be harmful	Data Appreciate how results are selected/ranked. Be discerning in evaluating digital content. Introduce & create a branching database.	Media skills Microsoft word – look at specific skills allowing children to have a go at using and applying them. Link to theme, collect content and create a movie trailer.	Impact of Technology Understand saving work on the school network, internet & individual devices. Know what the Internet is & its purpose. Talk about the owner of information online.	Programming (Part 2) Children will use technology to write a set of instructions (algorithms) create and debug programs
Music	Rock music What bands and singers are most associated to this style of music and what are the most iconic rock songs? Group & name orchestral instruments	Singing Listening and appraising Year group IDMS Dynamics, Tempo Pitch, Pulse Rhythm, Duration, Structure	Learn how to play a Glockenspiel - Charanga course Kodaly Rhythm Notation is used to compose music to play on the Glockenspiel for the Pharaoh.	Singing Listening and appraising Year group IDMS Dynamics, Tempo Pitch, Pulse Rhythm, Duration, Structure Learn 'Walk Like an Egyptian'	Clapping / Instrument Improvisation Composing with symbols Composing an anthem for North Yorkshire to be played at our Great Le Cateau Show.	Singing Listening and appraising Year group IDMS Dynamics, Tempo, Pitch. Pulse Rhythm, Duration, Structure Listen to traditional brass bands associated with local mining towns
PSHCE/RSE	What makes a family features of family life Democracy: fair decisions Recognising respectful behaviour the importance and self-respect courtesy and being polite	Personal boundaries safely responding to others the impact of hurtful behaviour CHIPS	The value of rules and laws rights and freedoms and responsibilities How the internet is used Assessing information online Effective and safe research Stranger danger including online	Different jobs and skills Job stereotypes Setting personal goals	Healthy choice and habits what affects feelings & expressing Personal strengths and achievements managing & reframing set backs RSE good friends, friendship circles, bodies (MEDWAY)	Risks and hazards safety in the local environment and unfamiliar places
Safeguard	Form class 'tribes' this book 'Ishi' to learn about well-being and coping strategies. P.E. getting dressed/privacy Bonfire/firework/Halloween safety, Fire Alarm drill E-safety - weekly topic	Anti-bullying week Kindness – be kind to others. Strange Danger (PSHCE) Lockdown drill Digital Literacy – Age restrictions on apps, reporting problems, making good choices.	How to use the internet safely when searching for information. Parental restrictions, Safety features on computer games. Safe search engines. Stranger Danger online.	Personal wellbeing. Self-care. Swimming – Privacy when changing PANTS	Positive friendships and relationships Feelings Dealing with setbacks Digital footprints	Transitions Coping with change Risks and hazards in the local environment and unfamiliar places. Staying safe over the summer holidays. Road safety.
PE	Athletics Games Tennis, Rugby, Teamwork skills National Forest School Day	Outdoor and adventurous Tri Golf competition Archery competition Chance to Shine - Cricket	Gymnastics Box2BeFit	Swimming Athletics – ML Sports Throw/catch/travel/pass	Dance OA Map reading and orienteering skills	Athletics Running, throwing & jumping. Evaluate performance Games Striking and Fielding Cricket, Hockey
MFL	About me Greet people, say their name and what they are called	Colours Recognise and name colours	Jungle animals Learn names of 10 jungle animals	Fruit Name fruits and write simple sentences about them	Our sporting life Days of the week and what we do on them. Write a sporting diary	Weather Learn weather phrases and use them to tell the weather