



Cycle B Curriculum Overview 2025/2026

Year 3/4



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
TOPIC / THEME	Tomb Raiders (Egyptians)	Tomb Raiders (Egyptians)	Circle Of Life	Circle of Life	Ancient Greece	Ancient Greece
FOCUS SUBJECTS	History	History	Science	Science	History	History
FOCUS TEXTS	The Firework Makers Daughter A Mummy ate my Homework Marcy and the Riddle of the Sphinx	A Mummy ate my Homework Marcy and the Riddle of the Sphinx	Children and it Take One Book Week – Whole School	The Last Garden The White Giraffe	'Who Let the Gods Out' Maz Evans	'Who Let the Gods Out' Maz Evans
English	Non-Fiction – Instructions – Mummification Narrative – Story structure & Setting	Poetry – Calligrams Non-fiction – Newspapers Non-Fiction – Persuasive leaflets – Presented to class – Egypt Fiction - Recount – Diary Entry	Poetry styles (Cinquains & Calligrams) Character description – 5 Children and It Non-chronological report (Fact file - animals)	Setting Description (The Last Garden) Extending the narrative (The Lion King)	Biography (Ancient Greek Gods) Non – Fiction persuasion (Wanted Poster) Recount (Class Trip)	Take One Poet (Performance – Lewis Carroll) – Nonsense Poems Film script (Ancient Greek News) Narrative – Dialogue / Action suspense (Myths)
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division Area (Year 4)		Multiplication and Division Length and Perimeter Fractions Mass and Capacity (Year 3) Decimals (Year 4)		Fractions Decimals (Year 4) Money Time Shape Statistics Position and Direction (Year 4)	
Science	Electricity (links to DT)		Living things and their habitats	Plants	Animals including humans	
History	Ancient Egypt				Ancient Greece	
Geography	Allons a Paris! (Let's Go to Paris!) <i>European Region</i>		From the North Pole to the South Pole! (Climate zones, Biomes & Vegetation belts)		What's the Score Here? (Counties and cities of the UK) (Fieldwork - local sports grounds)	

RE	How do people express commitment to a religion?	Understanding Christianity: What do Christians learn from the Creation Story?	What is philosophy? How do people make moral decisions?	Understanding Christianity: Salvation What did Jesus do to save human beings?	What do Muslims believe about God?	What difference does being a Muslim make to daily life?
Art	Story Telling Through Drawing – Drawing and Sketchbooks.	Exploring Pattern – Print, collage, colour:	The Art of Display:	Making Animated Drawings:	Sculpture, Structure, Inventiveness and Determination:	Festival Feast:
Design & Technology, including Food Technology	Electrical systems simple circuits and switches. Making a sarcophagus / tomb		Frame structures - Bird Hides		Cooking and Nutrition – Greek Salad	
PSHCE & RSE	My Happy Mind – Meet My Brain 3 My Happy Mind – Celebrate 3 My Happy Mind – Places		My Happy Mind – Appreciate 3 Healthy Lifestyles My Happy Mind – Relate 3 Friendships Families and close positive relationships		My Happy Mind – Engage 3 Communities Shared Responsibilities Ourselves – growing and changing – grief & transition RSE: How will we grow and change? Year 4 Year 3 will focus on friendships.	
Physical Education	Gymnastics Swimming – Oak Football – Holly Dance – Witches and Wizards	Gymnastics Tag Rugby Swimming – Oak	Swimming – Silver Birch Dance / Gym – Canon and Unison Handball	Net and Wall Games Tennis Swimming – Silver Birch	Athletics Swimming – Holly Hockey	Swimming - Holly Striking and Fielding Rounders
Music	Creating compositions for an animation	Rock and Roll	Ballads	Haiku music and performance – (Hanami Festival)	Changes in Pitch, tempo and dynamics – Rivers	Samba and carnival sounds and instruments
Computing	Computer Systems and Networks – The Internet	Stop-frame animation	Programming A: Repetition in shapes	Branching Databases	Data and Information: Data Logging	Programming B: Repetition in games
Online Safety	E-Safety – online behaviour	E-Safety – posting online	E-Safety – appreciating others feelings	E-Safety - Online bullying	E-Safety – personal information sharing	E-Safety – seeking permission

French	Phonics lesson 1&2 (C) I'm Learning French (E)	Presenting Myself (I)	I Can (E)	At the café (I)	Animals (E)	Habitats (I)