



Year 3 Curriculum Overview 2026-2027

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Trips	Common	Butser Ancient Farm	Common	Common	Common	Wisley Gardens
English	Ready to Write Determiners	Conjunctions	Adverbs Prepositions	Speech Tenses	Nouns Paragraphs	Word families Prefixes
Maths	Inspirational Maths Place Value Addition & Subtraction	Addition & Subtraction Multiplication & Division	Multiplication and Division Length & Perimeter	Fractions Mass & Capacity	Fractions 2 Money Time	Time Angles Properties of shapes Statistics
KIRFS Key Instant Recall Facts	Number bonds up to 20 Recap 2,5,10 times tables	3 times table ($\times$ and $\div$)	4 times table ($\times$ and $\div$)	8 times table ($\times$ and $\div$)	Recall facts about durations of time	Tell the time to the nearest minute
Science	Skeletons and Muscle Movements	Nutrition and Diet Sustainability Rocks	Fossils Soils	Light	Plants Biodiversity	Forces Magnets
History		Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age	Egyptians		Romans	
Geography	Volcanoes			Antarctica		What is a settlement?
Computing	Connecting Computers (Inputs, processes, outputs, connecting computers in a network)	Desktop Publishing (creating media)	Sequencing Sounds (using Scratch)	Branching Databases (data and information)	Computational Thinking (decomposition, abstraction and designing algorithms)	Events and Actions in Programs (algorithms that use a range of events to trigger sequences of actions)



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Art		Painting and Mixed Media: Prehistoric Painting		Drawing: Developing Skills		Sculpture and 3D: Abstract Shape and Space
D.T	Making Pneumatic Toys		Textiles: Making Egyptian collars		Edible Garden: Seasonal Eating	
PSHE	Relationships – Together Everyone Achieves More	Health & Wellbeing – Think Positive	Living in the Wider World – Diverse Britain	Relationships – Be Yourself	Health & Wellbeing – It's My Body	Aiming High
Trick Box	Revising Tricks taught in previous years. Learning: Stand as If		Revising Tricks taught in previous years. Learning: Signal Change		Revising Tricks taught in previous years. Learning: Ask How	
P.E	Volleyball Football/Swimming	Dance Tag rugby	Indoor Athletics Outdoor Tennis	Gymnastics Orienteering	Athletics Cricket	Swimming Swimming
R.E	Christianity: What is the Bible's Big Story? Creation Pause Day	Christianity: How can artists help us understand what Christians believe and do?	What are the important times of the year for Jewish people?	How did Jesus change lives? And how is it 'Good news?'	Sikhism: What do Sikhs value?	Thematic Unit: How do people use creative ways to express their beliefs?
French	French Greetings and Puppets	French Adjectives of size, colour and shape	French Playground games, numbers and age.	In a French classroom	French Transport	A Circle of Life
Music	Pentatonic Shapes Glockenspiel	The Nutcracker Xmas Concert	Ancient Worlds Glockenspiel	Benjamin Britten Glockenspiel	Ukelele	Ukelele