

YEAR 3 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW 2025-26

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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Myths & Monsters	Myths & Monsters	Around the World	Roman Invasion	Roman Invasion	Littleover & Beyond
English – Fiction	The Gruffalo Voices in the Park	Greek Myths	Adventure Stories	Fairy Tales	Road Dahl	Road Dahl
English – Non-fiction		Non-Chronological Reports	Authors & Letters	Basic Skills	Newspaper Reports Persuasion	Instructions
Poetry		Seasons Poetry				
Speaking & Listening	Interviews L2L Debating	Debate Arguments Play scripts Questioning L2L	Discussion Explanation L2L	Presentation L2L	Debating L2L	Reciting/Speaking to an Audience L2L
Maths	Following Curriculum 2014	Following Curriculum 2014	Following Curriculum 2014	Following Curriculum 2014	Following Curriculum 2014	Following Curriculum 2014
Science (including STEM)	Animals and Humans	Rocks and Soils	Forces and Magnets	Helping Plants Grow	Lights and Shadows	Working Scientifically
Computing	Digital Literacy	Word Processing	Digital Presenting	Coding	Dance Mat Typing	Google Earth
History	The Ancient Greeks	The Ancient Greeks		The Romans	The Romans	Local History – Derby
Geography	The geography of Ancient Greece		Around the World		The geography of Rome and its empire	Littleover Geography of the UK
Design & Technology			Photo Frames		Making Pizzas	Make a model of Roman Derby
Art & Design	Greek Pottery – Clay		Drawing the Wonders of the World	Sketching and drawing		Lowry
Music	Pulse and Rhythm	Y3 Production	Handbells	Timbre	Stop – Rapping Unit	Be the Best you Can be song

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French	Unit 1 Me	Unit 2 Games and Songs	Unit 3 Special Occasions	Unit 4 Portraits	Unit 5 The Four Friends	Unit 6 Growing Things
PE	Outdoor & Adventurous Activities Fundamentals	Fitness & Agility Hockey	Dance Netball	Gymnastics Tennis	Handball Cricket	Rounders Athletics
RE	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?	How do family life and festivals show what matters to Jewish people?	Why is the Bible important for Christians today?	What do different people believe about God?	Why do people pray?
PSHE	Being Responsible	Bullying Matters	Healthy Me	Relationships	Being Me	Changing Me and Money matters
Passport Activities	Visit a park Row a boat Play Pook sticks Play conkers Learn to swim Play crazy golf	Learn another language Learn to play a musical instrument	Go on an egg hunt Learn to play a musical instrument	Make a pizza Hold a baby chick	Be sponsored Visit a farm Feed goats	Have a water fight
Visits	Markeaton Park Visit				Matlock Farm Park	Littleover Local Area
Experiences/Visitors		Greek Day Bright Smiles Teeth	Animal Encounters	Roman Workshops Chicks		