College Road Primary School

Year 3 Curriculum Overview

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Topic title	A Prehistoric Puzzle	Pyramids and Papyrus	Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them	How did the Romans change Britain?	Let's Grow	Down By The River
Values	Friendship and Equality	Consideration and Humility	Courtesy and Honesty	Happiness	Acceptance and Hope	Responsibility and Unity
PSHE and RSE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
RE	What do Christians learn from the Creation Story?	What is it like for someone to follow God?	How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim?	How do festivals and worship show what matters to Jewish people?	What kind of world did Jesus want?	How and why do people try to make the world a better place?
History	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to Iron Age	Achievements of the Ancient Egyptians		Roman Britain		Early Civilisations
Geography			Habitats around the world Climate zones and biomes		What is our local area like? Maps and land use	Why are rivers important? Rivers and the water cycle
English – reading texts	Stone Age Boy – Satoshi Kitamura The Pebble in My Pocket – Meredith Hooper and Chris Coady	Egyptian Cinderella – Shirley Climo Rumaysa: A Fairy Tale – Radiya Hafiza The Street Beneath My Feet – Charlotte Guillian and Yuval Zommer I am Neil Armstrong – Brad Meltzer	Tell Me A Dragon – Jackie Morris The Dragon Machine – Helen Ward Wolves in the Walls – Neil Gaiman	Queen of Darkness – Tony Bradman Escape from Pompeii – Christina Balit	The Tin Forest – Helen Ward Window and other books by Jeannie Baker Our Tower – Joseph Coelho	The Rhythm of the Rain – Grahame Baker-Smith A River – Marc Martin
English – writing	Character and setting descriptions Narrative – Stone Age Boy	Recount – Neil Armstrong/ Howard Carter Explanation – The Street Beneath My Feet	Poetry – Tell Me A Dragon Narrative – Wolves in the Walls	Diary recount – Diary of a young slave/Escape from Pompeii Persuasion – food advert	Instructions – My Strong Mind Setting Description – Window/The Tin Forest	Narrative – The Rhythm of the Rain Non-chronological report – River habitats

	Non-chronological report – Stone Age – Iron Age Britain					
Maths	Place value Addition and subtraction	Addition and subtraction Multiplication and division	Multiplication and division Length and perimeter	Fractions Mass and Capacity	Fractions Money Time	Time Shape Statistics
Computing	E-safety Document editing and creation	Programming in Scratch	Digital Storyboard	Infographic E-safety	Digital Art E-safety	Branching Databases Music Creation
Science	Rocks, Fossils and Soil	Light	Animals, including humans	Forces and Magnets	Plants	Working Scientifically
DT			Design and make a pop-up book page with moving parts (linkages and levers)	Design and make pizza	Design and build a miniature greenhouse	
Art	Sculpture inspired by Will Kurtz	Painting landscapes inspired by Monet and Hockney				Printing inspired by Vincent Handford
Music	I've Been to Harlem	Christmas Concert Singing	Latin Dance	Singing for Play	Fly with the Stars	
MFL	Greetings	Numbers	Months Days of the week	Colours Animals	Family Body Parts	Clothes Feelings
PE	Football Volleyball	Dance Fitness	Gymnastics Dodgeball	Basketball Throwing, shotput, high jump	Athletics Sports Day Games	Tag Rugby Golf