



Curriculum Information for Parents

Class 3 Autumn Term 1 2026

English: The Non-negotiables will be taught for Years 3 and 4 throughout our Topic Time. Writing opportunities will be linked to the topics and the children will produce a variety of different outcomes such as narrative, instructions, explanations and poetry. The children will also take part in weekly Guided Reading sessions.

Mathematics: The Non-negotiables will be taught for mathematics. The children will be looking at number and place value this half term. We will be looking at the value of different digits, rounding numbers and using what we know about numbers to solve problems. The children will then start to look at addition and subtraction where they will add and subtract 1, 10, 100 or 1,000 as well as begin to explore formal methods and solving problems.

Please ensure you practice your children's reading book, spellings and visit Time Tables Rock stars.

Week 1 to 3 - Geography - Lavish London

Within this Geography topic the children will be studying a region of the UK this half term. They will be learning about London and the physical geography around it. They will use maps, atlases and digital maps to explore the city and find out about what the land is used for, what there is to do in London and why it is our capital city.

Week 4 to 5 - Science: Biology - Disguising Digestion

Within this Science topic, the children will be studying the digestive system, this will be done in relation to our topic on food. We will also be looking in detail at teeth and why it is important to look after them and the impact of different foods has on our teeth.

Week 6 - Music - Black Music

Within this Music topic, the children will learn about music from a range of music by black artists. This children will investigate the life and rap music by Will Smith and Reggae music by Bob Marley. They will be introduced and learn a range of different songs by these artists as well as musical terms such as pitch, rhythm and tempo.

Week 7 - PSHRE - Healthy Humans

Within this PSHRE topic, the children will explore a range of topics such as what positively and negatively affects their physical, mental and emotional health (including the media), how to make informed choices that can have a positive, neutral or negative consequences and understand the concept of a balanced lifestyle to keep healthy.

Week 8 - MFL: French - Bonjour, Bienvenue!

Within this French topic, the children will be learning how to introduce themselves and take part in simple conversations. They will learn greetings, how to say their name, age and how they are feeling, as well as numbers to 10. They will also develop their pronunciation through speaking, listening, songs and rhymes.

Religious Education - Brilliant Brahman!

Within this RE topic, the children will be learning about Hindu beliefs about God. They will explore Brahman, Hindu deities and the idea that all living things have a 'spark' of God within them. They will also learn how these beliefs influence Hindu worship and celebrations.

Computing - Data Detectives

During the next 8 weeks, the children will be learning how branching databases can be used to organise and identify information. They will use yes/no questions to sort objects by their attributes, before planning, creating and testing their own branching database.

Physical Education - Nifty Netball and Groovy Gymnastics!

The children will take part in two PE sessions each week. Outside, PE will focus on developing their netball skills, including passing, shooting, marking, positioning and moving effectively around the court. Inside, the children will develop their gymnastics skills through balances, shapes and routines, working individually and with a partner to improve their strength, control and co-ordination.