

LACEY GREEN PRIMARY ACADEMY

Year 3 Autumn 2 2025

Learning Overview

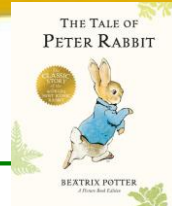


As Mathematicians, we will...

learn about addition and subtraction and the 3, 4 and 8 times tables. We will

- Solve problems, including missing number problems, using number facts, place value, and more complex addition and subtraction
- Add and subtract numbers mentally
- Add and subtract numbers with up to three digits, using formal written methods of column addition and subtraction
- Estimate the answer to a calculation and use inverse operations to check answers
- Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables

	H	T	O
	3	6	7
+	1	6	4
	5	3	1
	1	1	



As Writers, we will...

Use our *The Tale of Peter Rabbit* by Beatrix Potter. The children will immerse themselves in the text and study the characters, settings and vocabulary. We will write a narrative where Peter Rabbit returns to Mr. McGregor's garden and a report on an animal.

The children will learn to...

- Use coordinating and subordinating conjunctions.
- Understand and use direct speech.

We will recap:

- Adverbs and adjectives.
- Use of capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks.
- Apostrophes to mark where letters are missing in spelling and to mark singular possession in nouns



Our class read is 'Charlotte's Web' by E.B. White. We will be discussing this classic story about friendship and learning new vocabulary linked to old American-English.

As Scientists, we will ...

explore 'Rocks and Fossils' and learn:

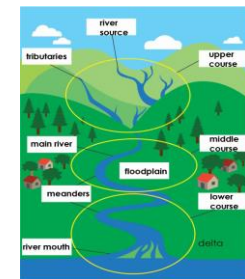
- How to group rocks by their properties and characteristics
- How fossils are formed
- What makes up soil and how the type of soil affects how living things grow



Spelling Shed

As Spellers, we will study...

- Adding the suffix -less, -ment and -es
- The spelling pattern -tion



As Geographers, we will...

learn what the land is like in the United Kingdom and how we use it?

We will...

- Study mountains, hills, seas, oceans and rivers
- Look at where people have settled, the counties in the UK and how the land is used.

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In Personal Development we will...

Learn about 'Loss and separation'



We will also learn about-

- Dealing with emotions
- Coping with being lost or losing something
- Empathy



As Artists, we will look at... The Colour Theory

- Primary, secondary and tertiary colours
- Brush techniques
- Learn about the 12 hues (colour wheel)
- Learn about the artist - Sol Le Witt



In Computing, we will become Network Engineers.

We will:

- Explore the components that make up networks
- Learn about the internet and how it enables messages to be delivered

As French speakers, we will learn about...

- Months
- Birthdays and ages
- Respond to questions
- Colour revision (from year 2)
- How Christmas is celebrated in France

January janvier	May mai	September septembre
February février	June juin	October octobre
March mars	July juillet	November novembre
April avril	August août	December décembre



As Musicians, we will....

Performing together on our ocarinas and singing in our Christmas concert.

We will learn:

- how to play along with the class or in a group and/or perform to parents.
- Sing with a good sense of pitch and pulse.
- Listen to and identify the key features of different styles of music performed by experts e.g. folk/classical.
- Simple composition and notation.
- Sing in 2 parts.
- Performing to an audience - sing with some awareness of other performers.



In P.E, we will.....

- Learn about the key skills of Handball and Tennis.



We will...

- Send using a javelin style pass
- Catch a handball on a run
- Pass and receive the ball on move
- Adopt a 'ready position'
- Play hand tennis with opponent
- Hit forehand consistently

In RE, we will be exploring Christianity.

We will consider the key question:
Has Christmas lost its true meaning?



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