



Curriculum Map

Year 3 Spring 2 2025-2026



English

In English this half term we will be using the story, 'The Creakers' by Tom Fletcher. We will use this poem to explore poetry, letter writing and description. We will start by focussing on oracy—speaking and listening as we perform our poems to one another. The final piece will be a descriptive write about how the town would change with no grown-ups around.

Maths

In Maths this half term we will start off by looking at Fractions. We will then move onto mass and capacity. In addition to this, we will continuously re-cap Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division throughout Mastering Number.

R.E

In RE, we are learning about The Easter Story. We will explore the joy and sadness of Holy Week. We will listen to and retell the story, thinking about the feelings of the people involved and how these emotions are reflected in church services today. We will also explore the idea of salvation and what it means for Christians, considering how hope, love, and faith are shown through these events. Through our learning, we will investigate, reflect, and empathise, helping us understand how the Easter story shows both sadness and joy.

Science

We are learning about forces and magnets. We will be exploring how pushes and pulls move objects and how magnets attract or repel certain materials. We will investigate magnetic and non-magnetic objects and learn how to predict what will happen when forces and magnets act. We will also carry out experiments to see how forces affect movement and discover how magnets are used in everyday life. Through our learning, we will observe, record, and test our ideas, helping us understand the world of forces and magnets around us.

Geography

In geography, we are learning about earthquakes and volcanoes. We will explore what is under the Earth's surface and how tectonic plates move, sometimes causing the ground to shake or volcanoes to erupt.

We will learn about magma, lava, and ash, and how these events can affect people and places. We will also look at where in the world earthquakes and volcanoes happen and think about how we can help people stay safe.

P.E

This half term in P.E, we will be continuing with Swimming. In addition to this, BFC will be focusing on Gymnastics. In Gymnastics we will develop our rolling, leaping, balancing and travelling.

PSHE

In this unit, we will learn about rights and responsibilities and how their actions and the media can influence others. They will practise forming respectful, fact-based opinions and understand the role of bystanders in bullying. Children will explore emotions and how to handle conflict through compromise. They will learn to recognise safe and unsafe secrets and know where to seek help. The unit also covers basic first-aid and making emergency calls, promoting safety, empathy and responsible decision-making.

D.T.

In DT, we are learning about levers and linkages by making a moving volcano. We will explore how mechanisms can make parts of a model move and use our ideas to design, build, and test our volcanoes.

We will plan our designs, choose materials, and make adjustments to improve our models. Through this, we will learn how to make things work effectively and solve problems creatively.

Computing

This half term in Computing, children will be looking at Branching Databases. Children will learn:
To understand the concept of using 'Yes' or 'No' questions to sort objects; To understand and use a branching database effectively; To plan and create a branching database and To test and debug branching databases to correct errors.