

Year 3 Curriculum Map						
Year 3	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
RE	Domestic Church – Family Baptism/ Confirmation - Promises	Advent/ Christmas – Visitor	Local Community - Journeys	Lent/ Easter – Giving All	Pentecost – Energy Reconciliation - Choices	Universal Church – Special Places
Learning Challenge	Are you attractive enough? – science Who first lived in Britain? – Hist	How can Usain Bolt move so quickly? – Science Why do so many people go on holiday to the Mediterranean? – Geog	How did the Victorian period help to shape the Widnes we know today? –History How far can you throw your shadow? – Science	What makes the Earth angry? Sci/Geography	Has Greece always been in the news? – Hist/Geography How did that blossom become an apple? – Science	Has Greece always been in the news? How did that blossom become an apple? – Science
Wow Starter	Sci: Explore with a number of magnets and work out which side attracts and which side repels Hist - Share a presentation about the artefacts found related to the Ancient Britons and consider their purposes.	Sci - Try to run 100m in 9.8 seconds Geog – Ideally a visit to a travel agent.	Sci - Use torches to create different shapes and attempt to photograph them. Hist: Children to go on a guided walk through a part of Widnes and photograph what was there 100 years ago; between 50 and 100 years ago; and less than 50 years ago.	Show a range of clips from Tsunami; volcanoes and hurricane.	Sci: Start by making a fruit salad and discuss the fruit used	History: Visit from a Greek warrior, dressed accordingly, with expectation that children already have questions ready of him.
Reflection	Challenge parents to a range of science activities during an afternoon session.	Class Olympics	Visit from a Victorian	Class presentations of volcanoes	Junior Chef	

Literacy Genres & text types	Stig of the Dump – Clive King Adventure Stories Information texts Reports	Stories with Familiar Settings Shape Poems Authors	Oliver Twist – Charles Dickens Diary Entries Stories with dilemmas Letter writing	The Pebble in my Pocket – Meredith Hooper Adventure stories Instructions	Men and Gods – Rex Warner Myths and Legends Chron reports Poems to perform	Ancient Greece Linda Honan Myths and Legends Dialogue and plays Stories with Dilemmas
SPAG (Spelling/ punctuation/ grammar)	Prefixes: 'un', 'dis', 'mis', 'im' and suffixes: 'ous' and 'ly'.	More suffixes: 'ture', 'ation', words where 'c' is spelt 'ch'.	Words with 'sh' sound spelt 'ch,' words with the suffix 'ian.'	Prefixes: 're' and 'anti.'	Prefix: 'super' and 'sub.'	Homophones, consolidation of all known rules.
Maths	Number and Place Value Addition and subtraction. Problem solving with all of the above	Multiplication and division Money Picture & Bar Graphs	Fractions Problem solving with all of the above	Shape Angles Perimeter	Measurement – Length Measurement - Mass	Measurement – Volume Time Problem solving with all of the above.
Computing	Presentation – Presenting Work at the end of the challenge Using the Internet	Communicating – Sending emails and attachments of our research.	Algorithms and Programs	Data Retrieving and Organisation – Camera Work	Databases – Plant Database of our grounds	Using the Internet – Research Presentations
Art	Sketches of Ancient Painting - Sketching / Drawing	Paintings in the style of well-known Mediterranean artists.	Create a Collage of to make stained glass window Painting reflections	Create Greek Pots - Modelling/Painting		

DT	Model shelters	Design a periscope	Design a working volcano			
PE	Dance – Body Movements Invasion Games – Netball	Dance – Body Movements Invasion Games - Hockey	Sky Try – rugby skills Gymnastics	Outdoor/Adventurous - Orienteering Gymnastics	Athletics – Running Jumping Throwing Fielding Skills - Rounders	Athletics – Running Jumping Throwing Fielding Skills - Rounders
Science	Forces and Magnets - How magnets attract/repel some materials - Magnetic poles - Friction	Humans and Other Animals - Nutrition, linked to what we eat - Skeletons and muscles	Light - Sources, including the Sun - Protecting eyes from the Sun - Shadows - Reflection /mirrors	Rocks: - How rocks are formed - Different kinds of rocks - Fossils - Soil	Plants - Function of different parts of plants - What different plants need to flourish - Journey of water through a plant - Life cycle of a plant	Plants - Function of different parts of plants -What different plants need to flourish -Journey of water through a plant -Life cycle of a plant
History	Stone Age to the Iron Age , including: - Hunter gatherers - Bronze Age and - Iron Age.	Local History - A study of Local History taking account of a period of history that shaped the locality	Ancient Greece - A study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world	Ancient Greece - A study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world		

Geography	Stone Age to Iron Age Agriculture and farming in Stone Age Britain.	The Mediterranean -understanding geographical similarities and differences between the UK and a European country.	Volcanoes, Earthquakes and Tsunamis - The power of the Earth			
Music	Appraising sounds of the rainforest Carnival	Composing & performing-rhythmic phrases	War of the worlds The Planets Listen to NASSA recordings Symphonies of The Planets and Space Rap	Study of Egyptian music - composers	War songs	Study of American composers & show preferences
MFL	French	French	French	French		French