

Curriculum Planner

Term: Autumn 1 2025 Year: 3

'We create a nurturing environment which both inspires and challenges our whole school family, equipping our children to have high aspirations to: 'Dream big, love God and live well.'

Church school value of the term:	British value of the term:
Koinonia	Democracy

Dream big	Love God	Live well
High academic ambition	Church School Values	Healthy lifestyles
High expectations	Christian Distinctiveness	Emotional wellbeing
Career aspirations	Social, Moral, Spiritual, Cultural	Staying safe
The world is your oyster!	Caring for our environment	Healthy Relationships
 Vocabulary focus linked to: 	 Koinonia – Collective worship focus. 	 Classroom routines and behaviours.
 History: Britain through the ages (Stone 	 Class collective worship book. 	 Class charter.
Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age)	 Range of visitors from different Christian 	 Computing – online safety.
 Science: Animals including humans 	faith groups to Worship.	 PSHE/RSE – Links to healthy relationships.
RWV: The Creation story	 Class reflection area. 	 Looking at food groups and nutrition in
 Class reader and reading for pleasure. 	 Gardening and outdoor learning. 	science.
 Global learning: Picture News. 	Cultural capital.	 PE lessons and why we need to exercise.
 Music –a range of different types at the start of Collective Worship. 	Litter picking.	 Thoughts and questions box in the classroom.
		 Music from different periods of time.
		Golden Mile.

English

Reading objectives:

Vocabulary

Apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words they meet.

Read further exception words, noting the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound, and where these occur in the word.

Understand what they read, in books they can read independently checking that the text makes sense to them, discussing their understanding, and explaining the meaning of words in context.

Retrieve

Retrieve and record information from non-fiction.

Prediction

Predicting what might happen from details stated and implied.

Summarising

identifying main ideas drawn from more than 1 paragraph and summarising these.

Writing objectives:

Writing to Inform: Write and evaluate a range of instructions.

'How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth'

Mathematics

Number: Place Value

Hundreds.

Represent numbers to 1,000.

100s, 10s and 1s

Number line to 1,000.

Find 1, 10, 100 more or less than a given number.

Number: Addition & Subtraction

Add and subtract multiples of 100.

Add and subtract 3-digit numbers and ones – not crossing 10.

Add 3-digits and 1-digit numbers - crossing 10.

Subtract a 1-digit number from a 3-digit number – crossing 10.

Add and subtract 3-digit numbers and tens – not crossing 100.

Add and subtract 3-digit numbers and tens – crossing 100.

Science

Animals, including humans:

Identify that animals, including humans, need the right types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat.

Identify that humans and some other animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement.

Working scientifically:

Identifying and grouping animals with and without skeletons and observing and comparing their movement; exploring ideas about what would happen if humans did not have skeletons.

Compare and contrast the diets of different animals (including their pets) and decide ways of grouping them according to what they eat.

Research different food groups and how they keep us healthy and design meals based on what they find out.

Influential scientist: Marie Maynard Daly.

Inspirational careers: Zoologist: Jack Sharkey.

Using simple organisational devices e.g., headings, sub-headings, bullet points and numbering. Plan their writing by discussing writing similar to that which they are planning to write in order to understand and learn from its structure, vocabulary and grammar. Using story mountains, planning templates, visual planning templates or flow charts to map out what they will write about. Draft and write by composing and rehearsing sentences orally, progressively building a varied and rich vocabulary and an increasing range of sentence structures. Evaluate and edit by assessing the effectiveness of their own writing and suggest improvements. Editing grammar and vocabulary to improve consistency, including the accurate use of pronouns in sentences. Proofread for spelling and punctuation errors. **SPAG objectives:** Objectives to be taught through explicit teaching and Active English in addition to recall of previous objectives through Active English: Imperative verbs recap and commands from Year Conjunctions to create compound sentences – For, and, nor, but, or, yet, so. Use 'a' and 'an' correctly.

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Use conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions to		
express time and cause.		
Adverb openers e.g. How did the character move? How did the character move?		
S is not added if the plural already ends in s but is		
added if the plural is irregular e.g., children's.		
Possessive apostrophe with plural nouns – the		
apostrophe is placed after the plural form of the		
word e.g., girls', boy's and babies.		
Spelling objectives:		
The prefix- anti as in anticlockwise.		
The suffix –ly.		
Religion and World Views	<u>History</u>	Physical Education
What do Christians learn from the Creation story?	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age	Gymnastics
	to the Iron Age (8-10,000 BC – 4000 BC)	<u> </u>
Know and understand the Creation story.	to the non-tige (o 20/000 DC 1000 DC)	Perform a sequence with different types of rolls.
Write a set of instructions for Christians on how to	Know and understand what humans needed to	Perform jumps from low apparatus.
look after the planet.	survive in the Stone Age.	Perform with a partner.
Understand what is important about the Creation	Create a timeline showing events in the Stone Age.	Move with fluency.
story for Christians.	Find out about Skara Brae.	
Understand the idea that people can be both good	Know and understand what copper mining meant	
and bad.	to the people of the Bronze Age.	
Understand how 'The Fall' changed the	Find out about Stonehenge.	
relationship between God and humanity.	Understand how and why hillforts were developed	
Telationship been cent dod and maniamey.	in the Iron Age.	
	and the ment age.	
Design and Technology	<u>Music</u>	PSHE/RSE
Linkage and Levers (making a moving toy)		
	Charanga: Let your spirit's fly	Relationships/emotions
Investigate and evaluate real-life products.		
Create a prototype.	RnB music.	What makes someone special?
Create a design brief.	Listening and responding to a range of songs.	Understand how and why we feel guilty.
Design a moving toy using linkages and levers.	Composition.	Say when we might feel guilty.

Evaluate the finish product against the design brief.	Share and perform.	Understand that we each have a responsibility to make choices (good or bad). Understand how we might hurt other's feelings.
Computing – Purple Mash	SMSC	Language of the Moment / French
	Social: sense of belonging, responsibilities and	
Purple Mash: Online Safety (Unit 3.2)	rights of being members of a community (global	Language of the moment when answering the
	learning).	register.
Use technology safely, respectfully and	Moral: understanding the difference between right	
responsibly.	and wrong – classroom charter, behaviour chart	Scheme – Language Angels
Recognise acceptable/unacceptable behaviour.	and expectations now in LKS2.	
Identify a range of ways to report concerns about	Spiritual: developing a sense of self and	Numbers 0-10.
content and contact.	understanding of own and others unique potential	Colours.
	(PSHE/RSE).	Greetings – hello, goodbye, asking and saying how
Touch Typing (Unit 3.4)	Cultural: British values and global learning in order	are you.
	to develop pupils into global citizens and	
Introduce typing terminology.	understand what it means to live in Britain.	
Understand the correct way to sit at the keyboard.		
Learn how to use the home, top and bottom row		
keys.		
Practice typing with the left and right hand.		

Parental engagement:	Visits and visitors:
Photographs will be put on the school website and Facebook or twitter to keep parents informed about their children's learning.	TBC
Cultural Capital:	Global Learning:
Daily Class reader and books linked to cultural diversity.	Language of the month during registration.
Reflection area within the classroom.	Reading a range of books linked to different global themes.
Golden mile and healthy school meals.	Global learning links through Picture News, the curriculum and issues raised by the
Peace Garden available for reflection time.	pupils.
Valuing the diverse culture and languages that the children bring to Year	News Round online: daily news for children covering global issues.
3, including language of the month.	
Year 3 outside areas to care for (gardening) and reflect in.	

Caring for the environment and each other:

Recycling paper in the classroom.

Litter picking on the playground.

Taking care of the plants in the classroom and the outside area and keeping it clean and tidy as a workspace.

Gardening in the Year 3 garden.

Use of Artificial Intelligence:

Computing - Touch typing.

Religion and Worldviews- Google Earth to explore the world most Christians believe God created.

Outdoor Learning:

Recognising place value 100s, 10s, 1s.

Understand and name the bones in a human skeleton.

Make a Stone Age shelter to show that they were a nomadic people.

Selection of fiction and non-fiction books to promote reading for pleasure.

Stone Age cave drawings with wax crayons and charcoal.