



# Year 2/3 Overview

## Rolling Programme Yr 1

### AUTUMN TERM

### SPRING TERM

### SUMMER TERM

**Autumn 1 - The Dark Ages – Anglo Saxons**  
**ENGLISH -SPaG:** READY TO WRITE: Word types, capitals & full stops, commas, question & exclamation marks  
**Genre:** Information texts, chronological reports, recounts.  
**Text:** Huge Bag of Worries – Virginia Ironside  
**MATHS:** Number, place value, ordering/partitioning, inequality sentences/money.  
**SCIENCE:** Plant identification, (art, dye, medicinal), forest skills (fires, cooking)  
**GEOGRAPHY:** Where Anglo Saxons came from, settlements, features of localities  
**HISTORY:** Who were the Anglo Saxons, Life in Anglo Saxon times  
**ART/DT:** Plant art, plant dye  
**COMPUTING:**  
**MUSIC:** Anglo Saxon music/songs (BBC Teach Music)  
**LIFE SKILLS:** Getting to know you, dealing with worries, relationships – positive & negative – VIP's  
**RE:** Christianity and Anglo Saxon

**Spring 1 – Rocks, Soil & the Extreme Earth**  
**ENGLISH - SPaG:** Tenses, speech, prefixes & suffixes  
**Genre:** Fiction texts, story writing  
**Text:** The Rock factory – Jacqui Bailey: Stone Girl Bone Girl – Laurence Anholt: A chip off the old block – Jody Jensen Shaffer: Inside the Earth – Joanna Cole: When the giant stirred – Celia Godkin: The pebble in my pocket – Meredith Hooper  
**MATHS:** Number, place value, shape (2D), Measure: length (perimeters) data.  
**SCIENCE:** Rock & soil formation, fossils, Volcanoes, earthquakes, tsunamis & tornadoes  
**GEOGRAPHY:** Layers of the Earth, cross section labelling  
**HISTORY:** Mary Anning  
**ART/DT:** Collage art, 3D models.  
**COMPUTING:** Internet research, Internet Safety Day, digital wellbeing  
**MUSIC:**  
**LIFE SKILLS:** Relationships – Digital Wellbeing  
**RE:**

**Summer 1 – Who has made a difference?**  
**ENGLISH - SPaG:** Plurals, apostrophes (plurals & contractions), adverbs/adverbial phrases, fronted adverbials  
**Genre:** Information texts, recounts, biographies  
**Text:**  
**MATHS:** Number, place value, fractions, shape (3D) Time (telling), multiplication/division,  
**SCIENCE:** Scientists & Inventors – Isaac Newton, Marie Currie, Louis Pasteur, germs, doctors surgery  
**GEOGRAPHY:** Map/atlas work to locate places of birth/work of people covered  
**HISTORY:** Civil rights, suffragettes, apartheid Significant people (scientists, race, women, artists, today)  
**ART/DT:** Artists: Pablo Picasso, Georgia O’Keeffe, line, colour, form.  
**COMPUTING:** Internet research Safety week  
**MUSIC:** Charanga Rhythm and tempo  
**LIFE SKILLS:** Civil rights, suffragettes, apartheid, fair trading, stereotypes  
**RE:** Religious Leaders

**Autumn 2 - The Dark Ages – Anglo Saxons**  
**ENGLISH -SPaG:** Determiners, noun phrases, conjunctions adverbials  
**Genre:** Information texts, chronological reports, recounts.  
**Text:** The princess who hid in a tree – Jackie Holderness  
**MATHS:** Time, position, direction, measure, fractions multiplication/division  
**SCIENCE:**  
**GEOGRAPHY:** How England was split  
**HISTORY:** Guy Fawkes, Remembrance Day, Anglo Saxon Britain, laws, rulers society system, King Alfred  
**ART/DT:** Cutting, fixing skills – 3D settlement models  
**COMPUTING:** Safety week (incl Internet safety)  
**MUSIC:** Anglo Saxon music/songs (BBC Teach Music)  
**LIFE SKILLS:** Safety week (incl Anti bullying) Tolerance/relationships Living in the wider world - Britain  
**RE:** Christianity – Christmas – traditions.

**Spring 2 - Space – Beyond the Earth**  
**ENGLISH -SPaG:** Suffixes, homophones,  
**Genre:** Information texts, chronological reports, recounts  
**Text:** Ngalingda, the Moon man (aboriginal story) Why the sun and moon live in the sky (folk story fro Nigeria)  
**MATHS:** Number, place value, angles, turns, direction, Measures: Time (days, weeks, months)  
**SCIENCE:** How the moon was made, craters experiment  
**GEOGRAPHY:** The solar system: order of the planets, movement/phases of the Moon  
**HISTORY:** Space travel, Apollo 11 Astronauts: Mae Jamison/Helen Sharman: Neil Armstrong  
**ART/DT:** Collage art, 3D models, cutting, use of tools & fixing (split pins)  
**COMPUTING:** Internet research: Programming (Beebots)  
**MUSIC:** Planet songs  
**LIFE SKILLS:** Safety week (incl Anti bullying) Tolerance/relationships Living in the wider world - Britain  
**RE:** Christianity – Easter

**Summer 2 – Growth & Change**  
*Living things, habitats and Plants*  
**ENGLISH - SPaG:** Fronted adverbials, similes, nouns using –er, suffixes and prefixes  
**Genre:** Creative story writing  
**Text:**  
**MATHS:** Number sequences, Fractions, mental multiplication & division, measures & data, calculations, problem solving  
**SCIENCE:** Living, dead, never alive, habitats and adaptations, food chains, Plants  
**GEOGRAPHY:** Field work skills: maps of habitats, aerial views, basic map symbols and keys  
**HISTORY:** Plant Hunters Sir Joseph Banks, David Douglas, Jeanne Baret, Tom Hart Dyke  
**ART/DT:** Close observational drawing, collage work  
**COMPUTING:** Internet research Times table Rock Stars  
**MUSIC:** Charanga – Pulse and beat  
**LIFE SKILLS:** Health & Well being – Growing up  
**RE:** Nature & God (Xnity, Judaism, Buddhism Islam)