YEAR 3 SUMMER TERM 2025

THE ROMANS

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Year 3 Summer Term Overview

Reading

- Fluency of reading focusing on our use of 'reading' punctuation and 'power' in our voices to emphasise key words and phrases.
- Clarifying unfamiliar vocabulary and phrases to develop understanding of texts.
- Enhancing our prediction skills by drawing on links from our own lives and experiences to the text.
- Answering a range of reading comprehension questions using a variety of different strategies.

Writing and Grammar

- Finding tales. The adventures of Sandy Cove we will be learning how to use dialogue between characters to move a story on as well as how to create tension using different techniques such as dramatic openers.
- Explanation texts How a giant spider traps his prey - we will be developing our understanding of the structure of an explanation text and how to link sections together as well as writing in a factual manner.

Spelling

- Spelling Pattern sure
- Spelling Pattern ou / ous
- Spelling Pattern words ending in ly changing to an 'i'
- Spelling Pattern ch
- Spelling Pattern sc
- Spelling Pattern im prefix
- Spelling Pattern un prefix
- Spelling Pattern super prefix
- Spelling Pattern-ssion suffix
- Statutory words from the year 3 spelling lists

Maths

Power Maths Textbook C

- Fractions Add and subtract fractions, calculating fractions of a set of objects, finding fractions of amounts and solving word problems about fractions.
- Money- Recording money in £ and p, converting money, add and subtract amounts of money and solving problems including ones that involve finding change.
- Time Months, years, hours, estimating and reading time and finding and comparing lengths of times.
- Angles and shapes comparing and drawing angles and recognising and describing 2D and 3D shapes
- Statistics- Presenting information using pictograms, bar charts and tables.

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History

- Developing the skills of an historian: placing events/ artefacts into chronological order
- Developing the knowledge of an historian:
- Where the Roman empire came from and why they invaded
- The Roman Army
- Queen Boudica
- Romans settling in Lincoln and the impact on roads and buildings they had.

Salvation - Why do Christians call the day that Jesus died 'Good Friday?' - Exploring the significance behind days during Holy Week.

- What does it mean to live a good life?

PSHE

Physical health and mental wellbeing

- Considering the difference between healthy and unhealthy choices
- Exploring habits
- Feelings

Growing and changing

- Exploring our identity
- Dealing with setbacks
- Keeping safe hazards and risks

Computing

Micro: bits- Exploring how to code Micro:bits to create word/number/picture outputs.

- Learning how to create animations using sequences.

Presenting- Using PowerPoint to create an engaging presentation, by learning how to:

- Insert pages
- Add media
- Add timings and animations

Y3 - Kapow - Crast and Design

- Exploring Ancient Egyptian symbols, focusing on the choice of colours, patterns and shapes.
- Learning how to make paper using the techniques of the Ancient Egyptians.
- Planning and designing our own Ancient Egypt inspired artwork
- Creating a 'Zine'.

REAL PE - Physical cog/Health and fitness cog

- Performing a variety of movements and skills with good body tension.
- Linking actions together so that they
- Understanding how often and how long I should exercise to be healthy.
- Developing cricket skills
- Developing pop-lacrosse skills

Science

Forces and Magnets

- How do surfaces affect movement?
- What is friction?
- Are all materials magnetic?

Term 2 - Light

- How does light travel?
- How are shadows formed and how do they change through the

DT - Textiles

To design, make and evaluate a pencil case / book folder for myself to keep safe my pencils / books

- We will be investigating different textile projects, focusing on different types of stitches, ways to join fabric and how to finish products with different fastenings

Lincolnshire Music Service

Year 3 will be learning how to play the toot.

Values - Wisdom and Creation.

- Exploring the meanings of quotes and stories from the Bible.
- Looking at how we can make wise decisions and learn to respect other people's points of view.
- Exploring how we can take responsibility for different creations.

Special days

WOW Day - Roman Lincoln walk/ Roman crafts 7.5.25 (weather dependent!)

Lincolnshire Show- 18.6.25

How to help at home:

- Times Tables are so important in year 3 and 4 to help children confidently tackle trickier maths problems- please support your child in confidently learning and rapidly recalling their tables!
 - Reading every day is so important - reading is the window to the world!

Music

French- Petit Champeron / Les Romains

- Petit Champeron Rouge (Little Red Riding Hood) - story telling and body parts.

Story of Romulus and Remus, life in Rome, famous inventors and Gods and Goddesses.