

## Lower Key Stage 2 (Years 3 and 4) Curriculum Overview

YEAR 3/4 Year A	Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
PROJECT	Stone Age to Iron Age				Latin America				Local Study: Cornwall			
READING SUGGESTIONS	Cool / Krindlekrax / Operation Gadgetman				Journey to the River Sea / Amazing Diary / Rainforest poetry				Michael Morpurgo			
WRITING	Poetry - language Historical stories		Journalistic reports		Poetry - shape poetry Stories from other cultures		Explanation texts		Poetry - imagery Non-chronological reports		Plays and dialogue	
MATHS	<b>Year 3 Number:</b> Place Value, Money, Addition and Subtraction, Multiplication and Division, Fractions <b>Geometry:</b> Shape	<b>Year 3/4 Number:</b> Place Value, Addition and Subtraction, Multiplication and Division, Fractions	<b>Year 4 Number:</b> Place Value, Addition and Subtraction, Multiplication and Division, Fractions <b>Measure:</b> Length and Perimeter	<b>Year 3 Number:</b> Place Value, Fractions, Addition and Subtraction, Decimals and Money, Multiplication and Division <b>Measure:</b> Length and Weight, Time	<b>Year 3/4 Number:</b> Fractions, Money, Addition and Subtraction, Decimals and Money, Multiplication and Division Y4 Decimals <b>Measure:</b> Length, Perimeter and Area Y3 Capacity and Mass	<b>Year 4 Number:</b> Multiplication and Division, Fractions, Decimals <b>Measure:</b> Area	<b>Year 3 Number:</b> Place Value, Fractions, Addition and Subtraction, Multiplication and Division, Fractions, Decimals <b>Measure:</b> Area and Perimeter, Time, Charts and Graphs <b>Geometry:</b> Shape	<b>Year 3/4 Number:</b> Money, Multiplication and Division, <b>Measure:</b> Time <b>Statistics</b> <b>Geometry:</b> Shape Y4 Position and Direction	<b>Year 4 Number:</b> Decimals <b>Measure:</b> Money, Time <b>Statistics</b> <b>Geometry:</b> Shape, Position and Direction			
SCIENCE	States of Matter / Working Scientifically (WS)		Disappearing Habitats / WS		Plants / WS		Living Things / Habitats / WS		Light / WS		Animals including Humans / WS	
GEOGRAPHY	Local / UK - land use, how changed over time; settlements Fieldwork - visit to local site				Latin American study: climate zones, vegetation zones, rainforest (Amazon); water cycle				Local study: sketch maps; fieldwork; collecting data; grid references; compass work			
HISTORY	Britain from the Stone Age to Iron Age: Changes in Britain - focus on local heritage				Mayan Civilisation							
RE	How do festivals and worship show what matters to Muslims?		How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish people?		What do Christians learn from the Creation story?		What is it like for someone to follow God?		For Christians, what was the impact of Pentecost?		How and why do people in Cornwall mark significant events in community life?	
ART	3D				Printing				Drawing – pencil and charcoal			
DT			Mechanical Systems				Food				Structures	
COMPUTING	Online Safety – compulsory Digital Literacy / Information Technology / Byte Size and Fun				Online Safety – compulsory Digital Literacy / Information Technology / Byte Size and Fun				Online Safety – compulsory Byte Size and Fun			
PE	Swimming Traditional Competitive Sports		Swimming Traditional Competitive Sports		Dance		Alternative Sports		Gymnastics		Athletics Strike and Fielding	
MUSIC	Mamma Mia (Ch) Skill Builders		Singing French (ME) Skill Builders		Blackbird (Ch) Skill Builders		Environment (ME) Skill Builders		Glock 1 (Ch) Skill Builders		Human Body (ME) Skill Builders	
MFL	Phonics lesson 1 and 2 I’m Learning French		Animals		I can		Fruits		Presenting Myself		At the Café	
PSHE	Go Givers: Family		Go Givers: Our Class		Go Givers: Climate Change		Go Givers: Our Community		Go Givers: Who keeps us healthy? 1		Go Givers: Democracy 1	

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<b>PROJECT</b>	The Ancients			Disaster!			Ancient Greece		
<b>READING</b>	The Fireworkmaker's Daughter / Historical texts			Pebble in My Pocket / The Story of Inventions / The Tin Forest/Survivors			Greek Myths / Greek poetry		
<b>WRITING</b>	Instruction writing Recount – diary		Adventure stories Poetry – building poetic language	Fantasy / Imaginary Worlds Performance poetry		Journalistic writing Persuasive writing	Myths and legends		Diary Poetry – imagery
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<b>SCIENCE</b>	Animals including Humans / Working Scientifically (WS)		Sound / WS	Rocks / WS		Electricity / WS	Plants / WS		Forces and Magnets / WS
<b>GEOGRAPHY</b>	Human and physical geography of areas studied			Disaster: using maps, atlases and globes Volcanoes, earthquakes, deserts Extreme weather - drought (Africa Link)			The Mediterranean; settlement; trade links		
<b>HISTORY</b>	The Ancients: The rise of earliest civilisations, in depth Ancient Egypt						Ancient Greece: Greek life and achievements and their influence on the Western World		
<b>RE</b>	What is the 'Trinity' and why is it important for Christians?		What kind of world did Jesus want?	Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?		How and why do people try to make the world a better place?	What do Hindus believe God is like?		What does it mean to be Hindu in Britain today?
<b>ART</b>	3D Pottery - Shabti			Collage – water images			Painting		
<b>DT</b>			Textiles			Electrical Systems			Food
<b>COMPUTING</b>	Online Safety – compulsory Digital Literacy / Byte Size and Fun			Online Safety – compulsory Digital Literacy / Computer Science			Online Safety – compulsory Computer Science		
<b>PE</b>	Swimming Traditional Competitive Sports		Swimming Traditional Competitive Sports	Dance		Alternative Sports	Gymnastics		Athletics Strike and Fielding
<b>MUSIC</b>	Three Little Birds (Ch) Skill Builders		Ancient Worlds (Egypt) (ME) Skill Builders	Glock 2 (Ch) Skill Builders		Recycling (ME) Skill Builders	Lean on Me (Ch) Skill Builders		Ancient Worlds (Greece) (ME) Skill Builders
<b>MFL</b>	Phonics Lesson 1 and 2 Shapes		Musical Instruments	Vegetables		Ancient Britain	In Class		Habitats / Goldilocks
<b>PSHE</b>	Go Givers: Conflict		Go Givers: Discrimination	Go Givers: Water - Our most precious resource		Go Givers: Homelessness	Go Givers: Who Keeps Us Healthy? 2		Go Givers: Democracy 3