"Together we learn. Together we achieve."

Year 3 Autumn 2026 Curriculum Guide

Year 3 Team

Indigo Class: Miss Khanom
Violet Class: Ms Anjum

PE Days

Tuesday and Wednesday

Enrichment

Visiting a Buddhist temple, French Workshop, Theatre Visit

Home Learning

Monday: Spelling & Reading
Tuesday: Mathematics & Reading
Wednesday: Times Tables & Reading
Thursday: Reading Comprehension & Reading
Friday: Grammar & Reading

English

In English, pupils will explore four texts to help develop their writing. Through 'Gorilla' pupils will write a character description and after reading 'The tunnel' they will create a setting description. Using 'One plastic bag' as stimulus, pupils will develop their non-fiction writing skills by producing an explanation text. To conclude the term, pupils will read 'Mama Miti' and use the content of the book to create a biography.





French

Children will study the following topics in French:

- I am learning French (J'apprends le français)
- Animals (Les animaux)

Mathematics

In mathematics during this term, pupils will focus on:

- Place value
- Addition and subtraction
- Multiplication and division
- Consolidation of these mathematical concepts

Science

In science, pupils will explore the unit 'Animals including humans', where they will identify common animals, make comparisons and find out about and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans. In Autumn 2, they will explore 'Rocks and soils', where they will describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials.

Computing

In computing, pupils will become familiar with the topics 'Connecting Computers' and 'Stop frame animations '. They will select, use and combine a variety of software on a range of digital devices to design and create a range of programs, systems, and content that accomplish given goals, including collecting, analysing and evaluating.

PE

Pupils will look at the units:

- Handball
- Basketball
- Outdoor Adventurous Activities (communication)

Music

Pupils will look at the Charanga units:

- Let your spirit fly
- Glockenspiel Stage 1

RE

This term the questions being explore in RE are:

- How did Jesus and Buddha make people think?
- What is the significance of light in a religion?

PSHCE

Pupils will explore the units on 'Dreams and Goals' and 'Keeping Safe'. They will:

- Identify a dream/ambition that is important to them.
- Why it's important to be physically healthy.

History

Through the unit of 'Prehistoric Britain', pupils will:

- Learn about the characteristics of this era.
- Understand changes from the Stone Age to the Iron Age
- Investigate artefacts from prehistoric times.

Geography

Through the unit of 'The Midlands', pupils will:

- Locate the Midlands in an atlas.
- Revisit the countries and capital cities of the UK.
- Investigate physical features of the Midlands.

Art

In art, pupils will be learning about 'Journeys. They will look at aboriginal art work and identify key features, before mixing colour, and using mark making to create their own pieces of art.



D&T

Through the unit on 'Shell structures', pupils will design and create their own pencil case or jewellery box.

