



Year 3 Curriculum Overview 2019-20



Autumn 1st Half Term

	2.9.19	9.9.19	16.9.19	23.9.19	30.9.19	7.10.19	14.10.19
Key Events	Art Week	Roald Dahl Week					
Focus weeks	Art focus- Self Portraits (Andy Warhol)	George's Marvellous Medicine	The Tin Forest				
Room of Wonders	Medieval Castle Artefacts						
English	Grammar and Spelling focus/ Roald Dahl		Folk Tales (The Tin Forest) / Diaries / Poetry				
Maths	Number: Place Value			Number: Addition and Subtraction			
RE	3.6 Harvest			Jewish festival of Sukkot		3.1 Called by God UC 2A.2 What is it like to follow God?	
PSHE	Taking Part						
	The 3 Rs, Rules, Rights, Responsibility		Participating and belonging to groups		Communicating / Debating	Recycling, conservation, environmental issues	
Science	Skeletons						
	Pre- assessment using key questions	Put the skeleton in the right order. Label some more well known bones.	Discuss the function of a skeleton. Describe what would happen if we had no skeleton – label and draw.	Identify the animal from their skeleton. Describe differences between some of the skeletons.	Making muscles and describing how they work.	Investigation Do older children have larger heads?	Post unit assessment
Geography	Our Local Area						



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	Pre-assessment using key questions	Use small scale maps to find counties of the northwest	Use large scale map to find local features of our surrounding area	Go on a walk in the local area – make notes on the different types of features and land use you find.	Label the parts of the compass. Play the compass game.	Learn some of the OS symbols. Use the key to find the different feature on a map.	Post unit assessment
History	Lancaster Castle (Local Study)						
		KWL grid and Castles through time (on timeline)	Visit to Lancaster Castle (TBC)/ Medieval castles and their functions	Visit to Lancaster Castle (TBC) Medieval castles and their functions	Visit follow-up – Crime and Punishment at the castle	How did Lancaster become like this? Old maps of Lancaster (timeline)	Why is Lancaster a historically important place?
Art & Design	Pop Art Portraits in the style of Andy Warhol (You be you)						
Design & Technology							
Music	Let Your Spirit Fly - RnB. Singing in two parts.						
Computing	Images, Video and Animation Skills						
MFL		Greet each other	Introduce ourselves	Introduce ourselves	Count up to 10	Introduce our immediate family	Introduce our immediate family
PE	Modified ball games						
	Send and Receive	Send and receive in a game.	Use simple tactics	Invasion games	Tactics in an invasion game	Play 3 touch ball	Play 3 touch ball
	Gymnastics						
	Balance on small body parts	Travelling and balancing	Rolling	Jumping, shape and landing	Create a sequence	Core task – “Balancing Act”	Actions using apparatus