



COWBIT ST MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

Year 3/4 Curriculum Overview

Year 3-4 Long Term Plan Cycle A	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
<i>(suggested)</i> Text Links and Stimulus	Description Recount Narrative (George's Marvellous Medicine)	Instructions (How to Wash a Woolley Mammoth) Narrative (Christmas – The Bear and the Hare) Poetry (Classical and Contemporary)	Recount Letter to Inform Non-chronological Report (The Minipins)	Description Narrative (Wolves in the Walls) Poetry (A Poem Spoken Silently – Pie Corbett)	Report Narrative (Max and the Millions) Poetry (The Enormous Crocodile)	Narrative Adverts (Tadeo Jones) Persuasive Letter (Rang Tan Visual Literacy)
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction	Multiplication and division A Y3 – Multiplication and Division Y4 – Measurement Area Place Value	Multiplication and division B Length and Perimeter Fractions A	Fractions A Y3 – Measurement Mass and Capacity Y4 – Measurement Converting Measures Fractions B	Measurement Time Y3 – Time and Addition & Subtraction Y4 – Decimals Money	Shape Y3 – Consolidation Y4 – Geometry – Position and Direction Statistics
History		The Stone Age <i>How did life change from the Stone Age to the Iron Age?</i>	Local History What is the history of the Spalding Flower Festival?			The Ancient Egyptians <i>What is the legacy of the Egyptians?</i>
Geography	Our Local Area <i>How has our area changed over time?</i>			Life in the City <i>Why do so many people live in Megacities?</i>	Our World <i>Why are jungles so wet and deserts so dry?</i>	
Science	States of Matter <i>What is the difference between a solid, a liquid and a gas?</i>		Sound <i>How does sound travel?</i>	Rocks and Soils <i>Are all rocks the same?</i>	Animals including humans <i>How do our muscles and skeleton work?</i>	Animals including humans <i>What happens to the food we eat?</i>
DT		Cooking: Soup		Mechanisms: Moving Diagrams		Construction: Shaduf
Art	Drawing: Power Prints		Painting and Mixed media: Prehistoric Painting		Craft and Design: Fabric of Nature	
Music	South Africa Instrumental - <i>Glockenspiel / Djembe</i>	Developing Singing Technique <i>Vikings</i>	Caribbean Instrumental - <i>Steel Pans</i>	Body and Turned Percussion <i>Rainforests</i>	Jazz	Changes in Pitch, Tempo and Dynamics <i>Rivers</i>
PSHE	Being me in my world	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Computing	Connecting Computers	The Internet	Stop Frame Animation	Audio Editing	Sequencing Sound	Repetition in Shapes
RE	UC: God/ Incarnation	God- Hinduism	God-Islam	UC: Salvation	What is a Good life?	What is a Good life?
PE Slot 1	Netball: U3	Hockey: U3/4	Dance: U3	Gymnastics: U3	Athletics: U3	OAA: U3/4
PE Slot 2	Tennis: U3/4	Fitness: U3	Swimming	Swimming	Ball skills: U3	Rounders: U3/4
MfL	I am learning Spanish	Instruments	Vegetables	Ice-Creams	In the classroom	Traditions and Celebrations



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<i>(suggested)</i> Text Links and Stimulus	Description Diary / Journal Narrative (The Morning I Met a Whale)	Recount Narrative (Escape from Pompeii) Poetry (When the Colours Spoke – Grace Nichols)	Recount Letter to Inform (Boy) Instructions (Stranded: A Mostly True Story from Iceland)	Description Narrative (The Boy Who Grew Dragons) Poetry (From a Railway Carriage)	Narrative Letter to Persuade Non-Chronological Report (Journey)	Diary (Adventures are the Pits) Narrative Advert (Kiki Kallira Breaks a Kingdom)
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction	Multiplication and division A Y3 – Multiplication and Division Y4 – Measurement Area Place Value	Multiplication and division B Length and Perimeter Fractions A	Fractions A Y3 – Measurement Mass and Capacity Y4 – Measurement Converting Measures Fractions B	Measurement Time Y3 – Time and Addition & Subtraction Y4 – Decimals Money	Shape Y3 – Consolidation Y4 – Geometry – Position and Direction Statistics
History		The Romans <i>How did the Romans change Britain?</i>		Anglo-Saxons <i>What was life like in Anglo-Saxon Britain?</i>		Vikings <i>Why did the Vikings invade Britain?</i>
Geography	Active Planet <i>Why do natural disasters occur and what impact do they have?</i>		Green Team <i>How can we live more sustainably?</i>		Sunshine State <i>How does the geography of Florida compare to where I live?</i>	
Science	Electricity <i>What is a circuit and how does it work?</i>	Animals including humans <i>Why is nutrition and exercise important?</i>	Forces and magnets <i>How do magnets work?</i>	Living things and their habitats <i>How can we keep our habitats habitable?</i>	Plants <i>What affects a plant's growth?</i>	Light <i>How are shadows made?</i>
DT	Electricity: Nightlights			Textiles: Bag for life		Cooking: Fruit Muffins
Art		Paint and Mixed Media: Light and Dark	Drawing: Growing Artists		Sculpture: Mega Materials	
Music	Changing a Composition and Response to an Animation <i>Mountains</i>	Adapting and Transposing Motifs <i>Romans</i>	Rock and Roll	Ballads	Samba, Carnival Sounds and Instruments <i>South America</i>	South America Instrumental - <i>Untuned Percussion</i>
PSHE	Being me in my world	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Computing	Branching Databases	Data Logging	Desktop Publishing	Photo Editing	Events and Actions	Repetition in Games
RE	Why do we celebrate?	Community-Hinduism	Community- Islam	UC: Creation	Pilgrimage	Pilgrimage
PE 1	Tag Rugby: U4	Golf: U3/4	Gymnastics: U4	Dance: U4	Athletics: U4	Football: U3/4
PE 2	Basketball: U3/4	Fitness: U4	Swimming	Swimming	Ball skills: U4	Cricket: U3/4
MfL	Phonics 1-2 Animals	Seasons	Fruits	I know how...	Presenting myself	Goldilocks