



Cleves School - YEAR 3 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

Week and Date	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
Topic Title	ANIMALS & US		ANCIENT EGYPT		GLOBAL AWARENESS	
Diary and Events	Welcome Service Information Evening Animals & Us Immersion Day Chick study Flu jabs Harvest Service	Shakespeare Immersion Outdoor Learning morning to Oatlands Park Anti-bullying week Remembrance assembly Lower School Nativity	Immersion Day Visit to the British Museum	Outdoor Learning Day Easter Service DT day British Values afternoon	St. Mary's Church visits - RE	Year 3 Residential Outdoor Learning Day British Values afternoon - Democracy
Literacy In addition to literacy lessons, children will receive 3 spelling sessions a week, handwriting, 3 whole class reading sessions and guided reading and 1:1 reading on a rotation basis.	Playground Poetry Creative Descriptive - Fantastic Mr Fox Explanation text - linked to life cycles & chicks	Shakespeare - The Tempest Playscripts, linked to Fantastic Fox Creative Descriptive linked to Polar Express	Narrative - Lost & Found Instructions	Persuasion and Information text (linked to the British Museum visit) Narrative- Alternative traditional tales Non-chronological reports linked to dragons	Legends - St. George & The Dragon Non-chronological reports - rainforest Sense poetry - rainforest theme	Informal & Formal Letters - The Jolly Postman Creative Description - The Great Kapok Tree
Numeracy	Maths tests for baseline assessments Place Value Addition & Subtraction	Measure - money Multiplication & Division Statistics	Place Value Addition & Subtraction, Measure - length & perimeter	Multiplication & Division Fractions Assessment	Measure - time Multiplication & Division Fractions Properties of shape	End of year assessment Measure - volume, capacity & mass statistics

Science	<u>Animals, Including Humans</u> - skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement <u>All Living Things</u> - Life cycles of birds, insects and amphibians (Y5), food chains (Y4) <u>Animals, Including Humans</u> - skeletons and muscles for support and movement SRE - Human life cycles and the differences between male and female	<u>Forces & Magnets</u> - pull/push force and magnets repel/attract; magnetic and non-magnetic materials;rules of polarity	<u>Rocks</u> - compare and group based on properties, fossil formation, soils made from rock and organic matter	<u>Light</u> - light source, reflected from surfaces, formation and size of shadow - understanding patterns	<u>Plants</u> - parts of plant, factors for healthy growth; transportation of water within plants; plant life cycle	
Computing	Logging onto the chromebooks/ passwords Invitation to Google Classroom Typing Web Creating class folder We are communicators - emailing	We are communicators Coding - Hopscotch	Microsoft Coding - Scratch	Scratch	Programming - Lego	Comic Life - deforestation Google Sites
History	Weybridge - past & present	n/a this half term	Ancient Egypt		n/a this term	
Geography	What is a map?	Human & physical features of the local environment	Map work linked to Egypt	N/A	Countries and capitals of S. America Locating main physical features of S. America Workings of a volcano Locating volcanoes in S. America	
Art	Exploding photographs Pattern and texture	Animal Patterns	Mixing and layering paint - Egyptian gods	Canopic Jars	Study of Freida Kahlo Self Portraits	n/a
DT	N/A	Christmas stockings	N/A	Egyptian Falafel	n/a	Pneumatics - rainforest animals
PE/Games	Dance - linked to science human body -	Gymnastics - rolls	Dance - linked to Ancient Egyptians	Gymnastics - travelling (using apparatus)	Catching and sending a ball, fielding skills	Catching and sending a ball, fielding skills

	different types of movement (roll, spin, twist etc.) and planes Orienteering, Football, Fitness, Hockey, Rugby & Netball	Orienteering, Football, Fitness, Hockey, Rugby & Netball	Orienteering, Football, Fitness, Hockey, Rugby & Netball	Orienteering, Football, Fitness, Hockey, Rugby & Netball	taught through - Tennis Rounders Cricket Athletics	taught through - Tennis Rounders Cricket Athletics
RE	Who is Jesus?	Why is prayer important to Christians? Why are presents given at Christmas?	How did all begin?	Story of Moses What happened during Jesus' last week on Earth?	How do Christians celebrate milestones?	Why do Christians make promises in marriage?
PSHE/ Citizenship	Rights & Responsibilities Class Charter Risk Assessment lesson	Anti-bullying British Values	New Year Resolutions SEAL - Good to be Me	SEAL - Good to be me	MHWB - understanding our emotions and recognising that they have value - understanding that mental health can vary	Transition work and visits
Music These units will be taught on a rotation basis.	Learning 'The Basics of Music' (Recorders & Boomwhackers)	Lower School Nativity Preparation - learn songs, carols and poem	Exploring two six-week units (Glockenspiels & Singing)	Exploring two six-week units (Glockenspiels & Singing)	Whole Class Violin Tuition	Whole Class Violin Tuition
French	Greetings Sentence work - masculine and feminine Numbers to 10 Classroom equipment and instructions Colours Alphabet Christmas traditions	Parts of the body Descriptions Sentence work - agreements of adjectives Days of the week Pets Numbers to 20 Easter traditions	Family members Household items Sentence work - prepositions Snacks Opinions Numbers to 31 Months of the year			
Homework	Weekly arithmetic Topic spellings Presentation about themselves 2, 5, 10 and 3 x table practice Me and My Family	Weekly arithmetic MyMaths Prospero's spell Comprehension Crackers Poem and lyrics for Nativity	Weekly arithmetic Comprehension Design a god Hieroglyphics Reading list activity - book review	Weekly arithmetic Various maths Various literacy, topic and science activities Book activity linked to reading list	Weekly arithmetic Various maths Various literacy, topic and science activities What is in soil? - science investigation	Weekly arithmetic Preparing for Sayers Croft - learning to make your bed

	profile Various literacy, topic and science activities					
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