



Curriculum Overview

Holmer C of E Academy

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Year 3	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	Gorilla by Anthony Browne UG: Boy Genius of the Stone Age	Gregory Cool by Caroline Binch Oliver and the Seawigs by Philip Reeve	The Ice Palace by Robert Swindells	The Wild Robot by Peter Brown	Roald Dahl Project Courtyard	The Comet by Joe Todd Stanton
Maths	Place value Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division		Multiplication and Division Length and Perimeter Fractions Capacity		Fractions Money Time Statistics	
Science	Animals: Movement and nutrition	Forces and Space: Forces and magnets	Materials: Rocks and Soil	Energy: Light and Shadows	Plants: Plant reproduction	Making connections: Does hand span effect grip strength?
RE	What do Christians learn from the Creation story?	How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish people?	What is it like to follow God?	How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim?	What kind of world did Jesus want?	How and why do religious and non-religious people try to make the world a better place?

Computing	Computing systems and networks	Creating Media - animation	Desktop publishing	Data and information – Branching databases	Programming A – Sequencing Sound	Programming B – Events and actions
History	Would you prefer to live in the Stone Age, the Bronze Age or Iron Age?				Why did the Romans settle in Britain?	
Geography			Are all Settlements the same?	Who lives in Antarctica?		Why do people live near Volcanoes?
Art and Design	Drawing: Growing artists	Painting and Mixed Media: Prehistoric painting	Sculpture and 3D: Abstract shape and space		Craft and Design: Ancient Egyptian scrolls	
DT	Structures Castles	Textiles Cushions	Mechanisms Pneumatic toys	Digital world Electronic charms	Cooking and nutrition Eating seasonally	Electrical systems Electric poster
Music	Recorders Stage 1	Ballads	Creating Compositions in response to an animation	Pentatonic Scales	Jazz	Traditional instruments and improvisation
PE	Dance Hockey	Dance Swimming	Gymnastics Fitness	Gymnastics Tag Rugby	Basketball OAA	Athletics Cricket
PSHE	KAPOW Wellbeing Staying Safe British Values Day	Leaning Out of Windows Medicine Anti-bullying Day	Stealing Grief	Is it safe to play with? Making Friends Online	Looking After Our World Touch	Petty Arson – Fire Safety

						Texting Whilst Driving – Fire Safety
Latin	The origins of language	Present Tense verbs	Verbs and Adverbs		Subject and object nouns	