

Curriculum Overview: Year 3 - Term 1

 ENGLISH	
Reading Texts	The Hodgeheg by Dick King-Smith
Writing Purposes	The children will be writing to entertain by writing an alternative ending to the Hodgeheg. They will also be writing to persuade in the form of a letter based on the text 'The Window' by Jennie Baker.

 MATHS	
Termly Focus 1: Place Value	- Represent numbers to 1000 - Partition numbers to 1000 - Hundreds, tens and ones - Find 1, 10 and 100 more or less
Termly Focus 2: Addition and Subtraction	- Add and subtract 1s, 10s and 100s - Add and subtract two numbers

 SCIENCE	
Focus:	Animals – Movement and Nutrition
Key Learning:	The children will be exploring the role of skeletons and muscles, learning how the body uses energy and what constitutes a balanced diet.

 Geography	
Focus:	Are all settlements the same?
Key Learning:	In this unit the children will be examining settlements and land use by comparing urban and rural environments and investigating how places change over time.

 PSHE	
Focus:	Being me in my World
Key Learning:	In PSHE, Year 3 will explore what it means to be part of a community, understanding their rights and responsibilities. They will learn about setting personal goals, making positive choices and valuing themselves and others.

 RE	
Focus:	What makes us human?
Key Learning:	The children will be exploring ideas about spirituality, the inner self and the soul by interpreting and creating artwork inspired by different beliefs and perspectives.

 DT	
Focus:	Cooking and Nutrition: Eating Seasonally
Key Learning:	The children will be investigating seasonal food in the UK and applying their understanding to create a seasonal food tart

 PE	
Focus:	Multi-skills
Key Learning:	In PE, Year 3 will develop their fundamental movement skills through a range of multi-skills activities. They will improve their agility, balance, coordination and teamwork while building confidence and resilience.

 Music	
Focus:	Creating Compositions - Mountains
Key Learning:	In Music, Year 3 will explore how music creates mood and accompany animations by performing rhythms and melodies together.