

YEAR 3

Term 3

Spring 2026

Key Vocabulary

English: Imperative, Persuade, Creature, Pollinate, Rescue, Environment
Maths: Multiply, Divide, Remainder, Length, Measure, Perimeter
Geography: Globe, Longitude, Latitude, Equator, Hemisphere, Coordinates
Science: Question, Predict, Fair test, Investigate, Measure, Conclude,

English

In English, we will be reading *Mia Makes a Meadow* to inspire our writing of instructions and a persuasive poster. The book tells the reader about the impact of having an animal-friendly garden. We will use this information to write instructions for making a bird-feeder and also creating a poster to persuade people to plant bee-friendly flowers. We will focus on the skills of using subheadings, sentence structure and editing.

Mathematics

In Maths, we will be learning about:

- Multiplication and Division
- Length and Perimeter

We will be building on our times tables skills to multiply and divide two-digit by one-digit numbers. Then using these skills to reason and problem solve.

We will also learn to measure accurately in m, cm and mm before adding and subtracting lengths. We will then use these skills to measure and calculate perimeters.

Science

In Science, we will be completing our investigation for the science fair. We have a theme of Time, so will have fun exploring a time-related question.

Computing

We will be learning how to use desktop publishing to produce interesting documents and explore how it can be adapted for different purposes.

Religious Education

In our RE lessons, we will investigate the question "Could Jesus heal people?" We will read stories from the bible which tell of Jesus' miracles and explore what this means to Christians.

PE

In our PE lessons, we will be developing our football and dance skills. We will learn more about positioning for attack and defence and the importance of team work.

Spanish

In Spanish, we will learn the vocabulary to share our likes and dislikes as well as different animals in singular and plural. We will be able to tell others which animals we like and dislike.

Geography

We will be exploring the globe in Geography. We will learn about 2D and 3D maps and how lines of Latitude and Longitude can be used to find a location on Earth.

Art

In Art we will be discovering the different ways that artists have portrayed plants in their artwork. We will draw and print our own plant-themed artwork.

PSHE

In PSHE, we will be learning about valuing our similarities and differences

We will also be learning more about ourselves in our "Appreciate" unit of My Happy Mind.

Music

Our Music themes this term are China, when we will be learning about pentatonic scales, and Time, in which we will learn about musical metre and how to layer rhythms.

Learning to Learn

Our 'learning to learn' focus is Listening and Empathy. This will be learnt through stories, role-play and also discussion in My Happy Mind Sessions.

