

# Summer Term Overview

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<p>English</p> <p><b>Mr Mauremootoo</b></p> <p><b>Miss Roberts</b></p>	<p>Mr Mauremootoo's lessons: This term pupils will be studying Romeo and Juliet. Pupils will be discussing key events of the play and working on how to use key words to identify feelings. They will also be working on how to use events from the play to understand the narrative. Pupils will also develop their writing skills and work on sentence structure.</p> <p>Miss Roberts' lessons: To complement the learning that 3N will be completing with Mr Mauremootoo, in Miss Roberts' lessons, we will be completing a media-based unit, focusing on advertising and travel, learning about fact vs opinion, and working on our speaking and listening skills, leading to an end of term class presentation.</p>	<p>Pupils could watch Lion King 2: Simba's Pride, and Gnomeo and Juliet. Ask your child what similarities they notice between the films they notice compared to Romeo and Juliet.</p> <p>You could encourage your child to engage with various media sources: this could include reading short articles in magazines on topics of interest to them, or watching a short programme such as Newsround. It's always really useful for speaking and listening skills to ask your child to recap what they have just read or watched, and also encourage them to regularly share their opinions.</p>	<p>Adjectives</p> <p>Simple sentence</p> <p>Compound sentence</p> <p>Complex sentence</p> <p>Advertising</p> <p>Fact</p> <p>Opinion</p> <p>Logo</p> <p>Slogan</p>
<p>Maths</p> <p><b>Miss Fisher</b></p>	<p>This term we are focusing on money and will be working on recognising coins and notes, how we use money, adding money and working out change. We will then move on to ratio.</p> <p>After half term we will be focused on geometry, looking at shape, position and direction. We will finish the year with a fractions topic.</p>	<p>Give your child opportunities to use cash to pay for things when out and about. Let them count out the money that they need by themselves.</p> <p>If you are eating pizza, cake, or anything else that needs cutting into equal parts, talk about how many people need a piece and allow you child to cut it to make equal pieces.</p>	<p>Pounds</p> <p>Pence</p> <p>Position</p> <p>Ratio</p> <p>Half/Quarter</p>

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Science <b>Mr Goodchild</b>	This term pupils will be learning about the reactions of acids and alkalis with metals, oxides and carbonates and then move on to looking at what affects how fast a reaction takes place. In terms 6 we will be looking at how our nervous systems and hormones control our body which will lead on to studying different types of reproduction, how hormones control the menstrual cycle and how they can be used, with other methods, to control fertility.	Reinforce learning by going through the following topics on the KS3 BBC Bite Size website. Chemistry – Acids and Alkalis – All topics Biology – Reproduction – Fertilisation and changes that occur during the menstrual cycle.	Hormone Rate Alkali Fertility Menstrual cycle
Art <b>Ms Azubuike</b>	Pupils will explore 'street art' and 'graffiti'. Specifically, pupils will research the work of Banksy, Sabek, Dal East, La180 and Mau Mau. Pupils will discuss their favourite pieces and be able to explain why. Pupils will produce their own artwork that tells others about how climate change or conservation is hindering/ helping wildlife. Pupils will later learn how to draw animals and experiment with a variety of materials.	Research these artists and their work. Discuss a piece of work that you like and dislike. Try to re-create your favourite piece or invent your own piece.	Street art Humour Activism Cartoon Environmental changes
DT <b>Mr Stinton</b>	This term pupils will be completing their woodwork projects and refining their ideas, to create their stationary holder. The new project will be working with woods and metals. The pupils will have the opportunity to develop their hand tool skills even further to create a Pewter keyring. Pupils will be exploring shapes and patterns, to design and make their product through developing their designing skills and become more independent.	You can help by looking at key rings and exploring how they look and feel. You can also look at various shapes in nature.	Pewter Sanding Designs Explore Melting
PE & Games <b>Mr Hunt</b>	In term 5 our topic is cricket. We will be building on our skills that we developed last year and will be putting these into more game-based practises. We will be learning how to play a range of games such as 5 bats, diamond cricket, kwik cricket leading to pairs cricket. Pupils will get the	Watch games of tennis and cricket on TV. Practise playing striking and fielding games at home, see what you could use as a bat and ball.	Off-side Leg-side Defensive Forehand

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	<p>chance to practise their bowling, batting and fielding skills during these games.</p> <p>In term 6 pupils will develop their hand-eye co-ordination by practising their tennis skills. They will learn different strokes, movement techniques and how to play small games of short tennis.</p>		Baseline
<p>History</p> <p><b>Mr Bentley</b></p>	<p>During terms 5-6 we will be learning about Henry VIII and the English reformation. We will explore the life that Henry VIII lived and how he ruled England. We will learn about some of the key characters from that period and the reasons why Henry VIII decided to break from the church of England and how, as a consequence, religion in England was transformed. We will look at the impact of those changes on the people of England and the look at the legacy of Henry VIII on English culture.</p>	<p>Enjoy the wonderful Horrible History videos on Henry VIII</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CceZIMnZnQs">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CceZIMnZnQs</a></p> <p>Also take the opportunity to explore our wonderful History in the area. Explore the buildings and talk about the past.</p>	<p>Culture</p> <p>Reformation</p> <p>Catholic</p> <p>Pope</p> <p>Church of England</p>
<p>Geography</p> <p><b>Mrs Lamburn</b></p>	<p>In term 5-6 our focus is, 'Africa is a continent not a country!' We will find out what Africa geography is all about and explore the land and the people of some of its 54 countries, as well as something of its history. Pupils will have the opportunity to gain experience of life in Zambia, through working with our partner school in Zambia and will get to learn about pupils of a similar age living in a different continent and find common topics to discuss and learn from one another.</p>	<p>You can help your child by watching documentaries and looking at maps, globes and books together on Africa, in order to appreciate the diversity of the second largest continent in the world.</p>	<p>Continent</p> <p>Country</p> <p>Diversity</p> <p>Lukasa</p> <p>Zambia</p>
<p>Food Technology</p> <p><b>Mrs Shaw</b></p>	<p>This term we will be learning about different street foods around the world. We will be learning about what makes a good street food and making a selection of different street foods including baked churros, burritos, Cornish Pasties, Nachos, samosas, Chelsea buns and fish and chips.</p>	<p>You can support your child by trying the dishes they bring home and talking to them about the recipes.</p> <p>Discussing and trying different street foods when out and about.</p>	<p>Convenience</p> <p>Provenance</p> <p>Ingredient</p> <p>Recipe</p>

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Computing <b>Mr Altman</b>	We will be developing our use of Python programming language, using variables to store information and various inbuilt functions. We will be creating an events spreadsheet that will develop our skills in using functions and formatting. We will be looking at how encryption protects our network and how the better the encryption is the more secure our network becomes.	Ask your child the different functions they can use in Microsoft excel. If you do own MS Excel in your house, explore the different functions you and your child can remember.	Python Function Worksheet Encryption
Music <b>Mrs Lea</b>	This term we will be learning about music technology using Bandlab. Pupils will learn how to create drum patterns using the drum machine, how to use built in loops and add effects, learn about three forms of music: tertiary, binary and rondo, and how to import sounds. Pupils will then compose their own piece of music based on a chosen photograph stimulus using all the skills they have learnt.	Listen to a variety of songs on Youtube or the radio. Can your child spot songs created using music technology? What sounds or effects do they recognise. Talk about the music you listened to as a child and how making music has changed.	Loops Tertiary Binary Rondo Structure
PSD <b>Mr Naylor</b>	In term 5 we will be focusing on the world we live in. We will cover the topics of respecting differences in people, how we manage online information, how we take care of the environment, preparation for adulthood and discussing how we manage finances.  In term 6 pupils will receive statutory Relationships & Sex Education (RSE) and details of what is being covered in this curriculum will be shared with parents and carers at our RSE Evening on 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2022 at 5pm. Further information will be sent out closer to the time.	Discuss with your child the need to respect others and understand that people have different opinions that might differ from our own.	Recycle Respect Understanding Opinion
RE <b>Mrs Lamburn</b>	In term 5 pupils will explore the question, 'Why is there suffering, are there any good solutions?' We will explore different causes of suffering, learn Christian teachings and	You could use any opportunities to talk about suffering in the world and discuss the different ways people respond to this. You could	Freewill Moral

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	non-religious views about suffering. In term 6, our focus is, 'How can people express the spiritual through the arts?' Pupils will explore how people express their beliefs and faith through the arts. Pupils will have an opportunity to create a piece of artwork for a Christian, or create their own spiritual message.	explore a beautiful piece of art with your child, which may offer a chance to reflect, to feel uplifted and to bring a new sense of calm and peace.	Spirit Spiritual Suffering
Drama <b>Miss Price</b>	In terms 5 and 6, pupils will be looking at the topic Theatre Around the World, and learning about different drama styles and performances from different countries and cultures. Pupils will be learning about styles and techniques such as French mime, Commedia Dell'arte, Chinese dragon puppets, Kabuki theatre, and African masked theatre. During this topic, pupils will continue to learn and develop key drama skills including characterisation, storytelling, mask work, costume design, miming, soundscapes, freeze frames, movement, puppetry, and improvisation.	Encourage pupils to find out more about the different theatre styles and techniques from around the world that we have learnt about in School.	Mime Commedia Dell'arte Puppetry Performance Freeze frames