

Curriculum Map – Year 3 St Michael's C of E Primary 2026 - 2027

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English (Writing)	Fiction: To entertain Fairy Tales Non-Fiction: To inform Non-Chronological Report (fact file) Poetry: Volcanoes	Fiction: To entertain Stone Age narrative Non-Fiction: To inform Diary entry	Fiction: To entertain Adventure stories (1 st person) Non-Fiction: To inform Formal letter Poetry: Animals	Fiction: To entertain Egyptian Cinderella narrative Non-Fiction: To inform Non-Chronological Report (information leaflet)	Fiction: To entertain Fantasy stories Non-Fiction: To persuade Informal, persuasive letter Poetry: Rainforests	Fiction: To entertain Adventure stories Non-Fiction: To inform Instructions
English (Reading)	Fairy Tales Fairy Tale Ninjas Volcanoes	Stone Age Boy The Ice Palace	The Last Bear	The Last Bear Egyptian Cinderella	Iron Man The Great Kapok Tree	Harley Hitch and the Fossil Mystery
Maths (White Rose)	Place Value Addition & Subtraction	Addition & Subtraction Multiplication & Division	Multiplication & Division Length & Perimeter	Fractions Mass & Capacity	Fractions Money Time	Shape Statistics
Science	Animals: Movement and Nutrition	Forces and Space: Forces and Magnets	Materials: Rocks and Soils	Energy: Light and Shadows	Plants: Plant Reproduction	Making Connections: Does hand span affect grip strength?
Computing	Computing systems and networks: Connecting Computers	Creating media: Stop-frame animation	Programming A: Sequencing sounds	Data and information: Branching databases	Creating media: Desktop publishing	Programming B: Events and actions in programs
History		How did the lives of ancient people change during the Stone Age?		What was important to ancient Egyptians?		Would you have preferred to live in the Stone Age, Bronze Age or Iron Age?

Geography	Why do people live near volcanoes?		Are all settlements the same?		Why are rainforests important to us?	
Art	Drawing: Developing drawing skills	Painting and mixed Media: Prehistoric painting		Craft and design: Ancient Egyptian Scrolls		
DT			Mechanical systems: Pneumatic Toys		Textiles: cross-stitch and applique Egyptian collars	Cooking & Nutrition: Eating Seasonally Structures: Constructing a Castle
Music	Developing Singing Technique (Theme: The Vikings)		Pentatonic melody and composition (Theme: Chinese New Year)		Body and tuned percussion (Theme: Rainforests)	
RE	What makes us human?	Where do our morals come from?	Is scripture central to religion?	What happens if we do wrong?	Why is water symbolic?	Why is fire used ceremonially?
PE	Gymnastics 1 Golf	Football Handball	Dance Orienteering	Volleyball Gymnastics 2	Fitness Netball	Athletics Rounders
PSHE	My Healthy Self: How can I take care of my mind and body?	Connecting with others: What helps us feel safe and included?	The online world: How should we communicate online?	Citizenship: What rights and responsibilities do we have?	Health protection: How can we prevent illness and injury and respond if they happen?	Citizenship: What careers do people choose and why?
Spanish	Phonetics	I am learning Spanish	Animals	Instruments	I know how to...	Ice-Creams