Year 3 - Curriculum Overview

Subject	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
English (Writing	Stories with familiar settings	Shape poetry and calligrams	Authors and Letters
and	Poems to perform	Myths and legends	Instructions
Comprehension)	Reports	Adventure and mystery	
	Weekly spelling and grammar programme	Weekly spelling and grammar programme	Weekly spelling and grammar programme
English (Class text)	Charlotte's Web	Danny the Champion of the World	Woof!
Maths (Number)	Recognising place value Add and subtract (mentally) Multiplication and division facts (2, 3, 4, 8, 10) Recognise simple fractions of numbers and objects	Recognising place value Add and subtract money (mentally) Addition and Subtraction (Column) Multiplication and division facts (2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10) Compare and order fractions Recognise equivalent fractions	Recognising place value Add and subtract money (Column) Addition and Subtraction (Column) Partitioning and grid method to multiply and divide numbers Count up and down in tenths
Maths (Shape, Space and Measure)	Properties of 2D and 3D shapes Angles Mass Telling the time	Draw and recognise 2D and 3D shapes Area and perimeter	Directional lines Telling the time
Maths (Problem Solving and Data Handling)	Solve problems and reason mathematically	Solve problems and reason mathematically Interpret and present data using tables, charts and pictograms.	Solve problems and reason mathematically Volume and capacity
International	IPC - Footprints from the past		
Primary		IPC – Explorers and Adventures	IPC – What's on the Menu
Curriculum	Science Living things, Nutrition, Growth, Movement, Reproduction, Adaptation	Science Materials, Magnets, Forces, Light sources, Shadows, Sound, Earth in Space	Science Nutrition, Growth, Reproduction, Life cycle of plants, Plant adaptation

	Geography Continents and major oceans in the world, continental drift, where dinosaur fossils are found, answer geographical questions and predict what our world might look like in the future.  History Know about the Dinosaur eras, know about the famous palaeontologist, making time lines, extinction theories International/society Rules of fossil hunting and comparison of international fossil sites.  Bright Sparks Science Electricity and circuits, Magnets and magnetism, Light	Geography Location of key countries of different scaled maps, map drawing skills and investigation of local area.  History Famous explorers from the past, gathering information from various sources, telling the time at sea.  International/society How exploration has changed the world, famous female explorers, historic conflict of exploration, ownership over the moon.  Living and Non-Living, Science Processes of Life, Adaptation, Food Chains, Classifying animals	Geography Mapping local area, where our food comes from, local food production, types of farming, transportation of food.  History Popular foods from periods of history, food discoveries. Technology Creating menus and presenting foods. International/society Local foods from around the world, celebratory foods and traditions, different diets and food requirements.
Art	Intro art skills: Colour wheel and mixing basics Mark making and media experiments  IPC - Footprints from the past Dinosaur drawing Design your own dinosaur Double colour polyboard print of 'designosaur'	IPC – Explorers and Adventures Drawings of flowers Design your own flowers Flower tiles in clay	IPC – What's on the Menu
ICT	IPC - ICT & Computing Keeping Personal Information Safe Cyber Bullying Digital Literacy	IPC - ICT & Computing Computer Networks Presentation tools Internet Searching	IPC - ICT & Computing Programming Combining Our Learning

	Physical Drama Awareness of space,	Fairy Tale Students create their own performance. Focus on Strong voice and practiced moves. Building	Theatre skills Imagination, Communication, Energy and Attention.
Drama	Creating characters through movement Improvising scenes.  Voice work  Breath and articulation skills.	storyboards.	Activities are related to IPC topics from the year.
French	Les animaux Names of animals, questions about pets, likes and dislikes Dans ma classe Names of classroom objects, number 1 – 30, position words	Ma Maison Names of rooms of the house, saying where things are Ma famille Nouns for family members	Le corps Parts of the body Les vêtements Items of clothing Colour Numbers 30 - 100
Music	Aural Assessment 'Listen-In' modules  Making Sound - Musical elements, Pitch and rhythm games, Echoes and patterns, Tempo, Dynamics Graphic scores Theory - Note values and rests. Notes of the treble clef Class Singing & ABRSM aural tests	Preliminary rounds for House Music Competition Class Singing & ABRSM aural tests	Simple time signatures and metres (2/4, 3/4 and 4/4)  Weather Musical effects Creating a weather composition Graphic score notation  Class Singing & ABRSM aural tests
PSHEE	<ul> <li>Me and My Relationships</li> <li>Settling into a new school, making friends and meeting people</li> <li>Why I'm special</li> <li>What I'm good at</li> <li>Bullying week – resolving conflict, offering solutions</li> <li>Me and Making a Positive</li> <li>Contribution</li> <li>Our local environment</li> <li>Environmental choices and advice</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Me Growing and Changing</li> <li>Recognise change in physical selves over the past year</li> <li>Changes in emotional selves including responsibilities</li> <li>How to manage changes in emotions</li> <li>Bouncing back from challenges we face – strategies and ideas</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Me and keeping safe</li> <li>Keeping safe within school</li> <li>Internet safety</li> <li>Me and Medicines and drugs</li> <li>What causes illness</li> <li>What medicines are and how to be safe around them</li> </ul>

PE/Games	Invasion Games/Gymnastics	Badminton/ Volleyball	Short tennis / Athletics/ kwik cricket
	Football/ netball /swimming	Swimming/ hockey	Cricket/ rounders/ swimming
	Introduction to symbols and places of	Discussion and exploration of ideas/	An introduction to Hinduism: brief
	worship for the 6 main world religions	philosophy e.g. concepts of freedom,	history, key beliefs, symbols, worship,
RS	studied at SPCS. Own special places.	relationships, what makes a 'good' person.	gods/goddesses.
	Inside a Church/ what makes it special?	The Easter Story – discussion and reading out	
	Thinking about God.	loud; storyboards.	