<u>Year 3 – Curriculum Map 2024-2025</u>

Year 3	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Theme	The Stone Age to The Iron Age		Mexico		Ancient Egypt	
Curriculum Link	History	History	Geography	Geography	History Geography	History
Breadth	How did life change f the Iro	_	How is Mexico simila	r and different to the K?	What achievements did the ancient Egyptians make?	
Core Text (s)	Min Dorden Fay Cont.	HOW TO WASH A WOOD TO A MAN TO THE STATE OF	Mexico	Charlice on the Charlice Factory. Charlice And the Charling of the Charlice Factory. Charlice And the Charling of the Charli	SO YEU SHINING THE STATE OF THE	A Librar Pay Date Ancient Egypt
Hook	Drama and teamwork activity linked to Stone Age to begin topic (cave baby).	Building Stonehenge	Mexican objects led enquiry	Mexico Day – food, music, clothing, dancing.	Ancient Egypt objects/photo led enquiry. Making mummies.	Building a pyramid
Visits and visitors	Stone Age trip: Herd Farm			Mexico Day	Leeds City Museum ancient Egypt workshop.	Moving Words drama and poetry workshop
Community Links				Link to Mexican restaurant	Visit to Leeds City Museum	

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English	<u>'Cave Baby'</u>	'Mary Anning and the Sea	<u>'Me Frida</u> '	'Charlie and the chocolate	'So you think you've got it	'There's a Pharaoh in Our
	-Descriptive writing, exploring	<u>Dragon'</u>	- Poetry- writing own poems.	factory'	bad?'	<u>Bath'</u> – Narrative writing,
	characters feelings.	- Non Chronological		-Alternative endings to the	- Instructions of how to make	retells, sequencing, reports
	-Drama	reports/Newspaper reports.	' <u>Mexico'</u> –	story.	a mummy.	Drama - linked to 'There's a
	'Stone Age Boy'		-Non chronological report	-Persuasive writing- Advert for	- Story structures- cartoon	Pharaoh in Our Bath'.
	-Descriptive writing (recalling)-	'How to Wash a Woolly	about Mexico- geographical	a chocolate bar.	story map.	
	Wriitng own stories based on	Mammoth'	facts.	-Instructions- How to make	-Non-Chronological reports	<u>'See Inside Egypt'</u>
	structure of stone age boy.	 instruction writing 		chocolate.	about life in Eygpt.	- Non – Chronological reports
	Drama – linked to 'Stone Age	Drama – linked to 'How to		-Descriptive writing about		and diaries/experiences.
	Boy'	Wash a Woolly Mammoth'		characters.		- Captions and labels.
	Secrets of Stonehenge					
	-persuasive writing (AFOREST),	Skara Brae				
	- Non-fiction - writing a	-Non-chronological reports –				
	leaflet/poster for Stonehenge	information leaflets.				
Maths	Place Value up 1000	Multiplication and Division	Multiplication and Division	Measurement – length and	Fractions	Measurement – Geometry of
IVIALIIS	-Identifying Hundreds, Tens	Identifying that multiplication	-Recapping all taught	perimeter.	-Making a whole	shapes
	and Ones and finding numbers	and division uses equal	multiplications	-Measuring lengths and	-finding tenths and equivalent	-Identifying turns and angles.
	greater than and less than.	groups.	-Comparing statements.	identifying equivalents lengths	decimals	-Recognising right angles in
	-Finding 1, 10, and 100 more	-Recapping 2s.5s and 10s	-Multiplying and dividing two	(mm, cm and m)	-Identifying equivalent	shapes and comparing angles.
	or less than numbers to 1000.	timetables	digit numbers by single digits.	-Comparing lengths.	fractions.	-Horizontal and vertical,
	-Comparing objects and	-Multiplying and dividing by 3,	-Scaling.	-Adding and subtracting	-Comparing and ordering	Parallel and perpendicular
	numbers to 1000.	4 and 8 and using them to	Measurement - Money	lengths	fractions.	lines and drawing them
	Counting in 50s.	solve problems.	-Identifying and finding totals -	-Measuring and calculating	-Adding and subtracting	accurately.
	Addition and subtraction	Serve production	using pounds and pence.	perimeters.	fractions with the same	-Recognising and describing
	using three digit numbers		-Converting pounds and	perimeters.	denominator.	2D and 3D shapes
	-Adding and subtracting		pence.	Number – fractions	Measurement – time	-Making 3D shapes.
	multiples of 100.		-Adding and subtracting	-Identifying unit and non- unit	-Identifying months and years.	Measurement – mass and
	-Adding and subtracting single		amounts of money.	fractions.	-Hours in a day.	capacity
	digits and 2 digit numbers to		-Giving change.	-finding halves/quarters and	-Telling the time to 5 minutes.	-Measuring and comparing
	three digit numbers		-Giving change.	thirds	-Using am and pm.	mass.
	-Adding two three digit		Statistics	-comparing halves and	-24 hour clock.	-Adding and subtracting mass.
	numbers crossing 10 or 100.		-Interpret and present data	quarters	-Finding and comparing	Measuring and comparing
	-Subtracting a three digit		using tally charts, bar charts,	-Counting in fractions	durations.	capacity.
	number from a three digit		pictograms and tables.	-counting in tractions	-Start and end times.	-Adding and subtracting
	number with an exchange.		pictograms and tables.		-Measuring time in seconds.	capacity.
	Rocks	Forces and magnets	Animals including Humans	Light and Shadows	Plants	Plants
Science	Children will:	Children will:	Children will:	Children will learn:	Children will:	Children will:
			-learn about skeletons and		-identify and describe	
	-compare and group rocks, -identify how fossils are	-compare how things move on different surfaces	their uses	-that they need light to see,		-investigate how water is
	,			-how reflections are made	functions of plants (roots,	transported in plants,
	formed and what soil is made	-that magnets attract and	-learn about muscles and how	-the sun is a light source	stem, leaves, flowers),	-learn about the life cycle of
	up of.	repel and not all objects are	they work.	- how shadows are made.	-learn the requirements of	flowering plants.
		magnetic	-learn about nutrition and		plants to grow.	- find out about Plant Hunters.
		-identify that magnets have	types of food.			
		two poles.				
Writing Focus:	Investigation about which	Biography about Mary Anning				
	material would make a good					
	blackout curtain.					

Investigative Science – Focus question? DT	What is the best light source for a lighthouse? Children will investigate and identify the best light source for a light house.	How do fossils form? (Creating own fossils) Children will create their own fossil and write about what they have done. Food Children will: -learn about the different food groups and understand what they need to have a healthy, balanced diet design, make and evaluate a healthy snack using more than one food group. Topic based activities – The Stone Age Children will create their own 'Stonehenge' or equivalent stone monument.	How can paper be lifted from the table without touching it? Children will think about ways to lift sheets of paper off the table.	What muscles do we use? Children will take part in different activities and think about the different muscles they can feel being used. Mechanical systems Children will: -learn about lever and linkage systems -investigate objects that use this mechanical system -design, make and evaluate a moving picture. Topic based activities - Mexico Cooking and Nutrition – The children will research, make and taste Mexican food.	Which plant grows the best? Children will observe (regularly) and record how plants grow under different conditions.	Which plants are safe to eat? Children will look at and sort different plants that we eat and plan a meal. Textiles Children will -use the running and overstitch to design, make and evaluate a 2D shape into a 3D product -create a template before they sew Topic based activities – Ancient Egypt. Children will make Egyptian Dancer models by moulding the shape using different techniques.
Art	Painting Children will: -mix colours effectively, to create mood. -paint a water colour background, and then experiment with different paintbrushes to add texture, patterns and lines to their artwork. Topic based activities – The Stone Age Drawings using different media – The children will create cave painting using pastels		Drawing Children will: -use different pencil grades to sketch lightlyadd light and shadow to their drawings and learn techniques such as hatching and cross hatching to add texture. Topic based activities - Mexico The children will find out about the tradition of Oji de Dios (Eye of God) which is a weaving activity.		Printing Children will: -make their own printing blocks using string and create patterns observed in their natural environment and use 2 or more layers of colour to print. Topic based activities — Ancient Egypt. The children will create scrolls of their name using the Ancient Egyptian alphabet.	
History	Prehistoric Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age Children will learn: When was the Stone Age? When was the Bronze Age? What did people wear during the Stone Age?	Prehistoric Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age Children will learn: What tools did they use in the Stone Age? What were they used for? How were they made? When was the Iron Age?		Mexico Children will learn: Who are the Aztecs and how did they settle in Mexico? What are the traditional Mexican celebrations?	Ancient Egypt Children will learn: What are the key differences between Ancient Egypt and modern Britain? What is the importance of after life to Ancient Egyptians? What is a pharaoh and what power do pharaohs hold?	Ancient Egypt Children will learn: What was the significance of communication in Ancient Egypt? Who was Howard Carter? How can we show the Ancient civilisation on a timeline and how can we compare this with

	What were the homes like in the Stone Age? What foods did people eat in the Stone Age? What did cave paintings resemble and why were they important?	What developments were made throughout the ages? How did the advances in technology impact home life? How and why was the Stonehenge built? How was Bronze made?		(discuss celebrations including day of the dead).	What is the importance of god in Ancient Eygypt?	the same period of time in Britain?
Writing Focus:	Non-Chronological report about the features in a stone Age house.			Poetry about Day of the Dead	Non-chronological report about life in ancient Egypt.	Diary of Howard Carter.
Geography	Stone Age to Iron Age. Children will learn: Where is Stonehenge? How and why was the Stonehenge built?	Stone Age to Iron Age. Children will learn: Where is Skara Brae?	Mexico. Children will learn: Where is Mexico? What is Mexico's capital city? What languages do they speak in Mexico? What are the human and physical characteristics of the country and main cities? What is the climate in Mexico?	Mexico. Children will learn: What are the trade links in Mexico? What are the similarities and differences between Mexico and the UK? (compare) What was chocolate used for in Mexico and how was it traded?	Ancient Egypt. Children will learn: What are the key differences between Ancient Egypt and modern Britain? Where is the river Nile located and why was it important in Ancient Egypt? Where is Egypt located on a map?	
Writing Focus:	Persuasive writing- advertising poster to persuade people to visit Stonehenge.	Information leafet about Skara Brea and other Stone age/place settlements.				
Computing	Networks and the internet Children will: -understand how computers communicate, -learn about networks and the internet and how they are used to share	Emailing Children will: -learn how to send emails, including attachments -learn how to be responsible digital citizens	Programming: Scratch Children will:use Scratch, with its block- based approach to coding -learn to tell stories and create simple games.	Journey inside a computer Children will: -learn about the different parts of a computer through role-play -develop their understanding of how they follow instructions	Top trumps databases Children will: -develop their understanding of data and databases -play with and create their own Top Trumps cards, -learn how to interpret information by ordering and filtering	Digital literacy Children will: -create a book trailer, storyboarding their trailers beforehand -film and edit their videos and add effects such as transitions, music, voice and text.
E safety:	Beliefs, opinions and facts on the internet. Children will: -learn about 'fake news' and not believing everything they see on the internetidentify the difference between fact, opinion and belief.	When being online makes me upset. Children will: -learn that sometimes online content can cause upsetlearn how to deal with this content.	Sharing Information Children will: -learn that upsetting incidents can be caused if privacy settings are not secure enoughlook at which devices share information.	Rules of social media platforms. Children will: -learn that we should avoid sharing very personal information with people we do not knowlearn how to project themselves on social media platforms.		

Music	Ballads Learn what ballads are, how to identify their features and how to convey different emotions when performing them. Using an animation as inspiration, learn how to create lyrics by following the structure of a traditional ballad.	Mountains Learn to tell stories through music, considering the narrative it could represent. Learn how dynamics, pitch and tempo change. Create compositions to match an animation, building up layers of texture	Chinese NY Revise key musical terminology, playing and creating pentatonic melodies. Compose a piece of music using layered melodies	The Vikings Develop singing technique: Learn to keep in time and work on musical notation Group performance of a song with actions	Learn about ragtime style music, traditional jazz and scat singing. Create a jazz motif using a swung rhythm.	Listen to a range of rag and tal music, identifying traditional instruments. Create improvisations and performing as a class.
Composer / artist focus	Duke Ellington Take the A train	Night on a Bare Mountain Mussorgsky	Beethoven Symphony No 5	Anna Clynne Night Ferry	Ella Fitzgerald Cry Me a River	Indian Classical Kishori Amonkar Sahela Re
PE and Sport	Fundamental movement skills Dance-Street dance	Multiskills Gymnastics	Dodgeball Functional fitness	Invasion games Multi sports	Striking and Fielding Multi sports	Athletics World sports
RE	How do the Five Pillars help Muslims to lead a good life? -Children will learn about Muslim beliefs and practices, Allah and the Prophet Muhammad, Five Pillars of Islam as a way of focusing on key beliefs. -They will learn about some key teachings and consider how these reflect and affect the values and lives of believers. -They will recognise the varying responses to ultimate questions.	What do creation stories help people understand the world? -The children will explore the creation stories from Christianity, Judaism, Islam and Sikhism and consider how these stories have impacted upon the faiths in the past, and how relevant they are today. -They will allow pupils to compare and contrast the different creation stories.	covenant. -They will find out about how Goton Children will understand the im Abraham and Moses -They will learn about the festivatelebration of Shabbat, and how	what it is like to be a Jew and the od is expressed. Appropriance of the key figures of als of Pesach and the weekly withis influences their way of life.	How does the Bible help Christians to live a good life? - The children understand the importance of the bible for Christians and how it helps Christians to live their lives. -Children will explore Jesus' teachings about rules/ behaviour in relation to a variety of Bible stories and parables and how they can relate this to their lives.	How do people express spirituality? -The children will explore the concept of spirituality and focus on creative ways in which spirituality may be demonstratedThey will experiment with and experience a range of creative arts as they explore how religious communities and individuals express beliefs and emotions.
Writing Focus:			Character profile of either Abraham or Moses.	Diary extract of a Jewish celebration.	Retelling one of the Bible stories or parables.	Poem about a religious event they have found out about (any religion)

PSHE (Jigsaw)	Being Me in My World Children will: -set personal goals -understand self-identity and worth -recognise positivity in challenges -understand rules, rights and responsibilities -recognises rewards and consequences -understand and make responsible choices -see things from others' perspectives	Celebrating Difference - Families and their differences Children will: -recognise family conflict and how to manage it (child-centred) -talk about witnessing bullying and how to solve it -recognise how words can be hurtful -give and receive compliments	Dreams and Goals Children will: -talk about difficult challenges and how to achieve success -talk about their dreams and ambitions -think about new challenges -understand what motivation and enthusiasm is -recognise and try to overcome obstacles -evaluate learning processes -manage feelings -carry out simple budgeting.	Healthy Me Children will: -create exercise and fitness challenges -understanding food labelling and healthy swaps -talk about attitudes towards drugs -understand how to keep safe and why it's important (online and off line scenarios) -show respect for myself and others -make healthy and safe choices	Relationships Children will: -recognise family roles and responsibilities -understand friendship and negotiation -know how to keep safe online and who to go to for help -understand what being a global citizen is -become aware of how their choices affect others -develop an awareness of how other children have different lives -Express an appreciation for family and friends	Changing Me Children will: -talk about and recognise how babies grow -Understand a baby's needs -recognise and identify outside and inside body changes -look at family stereotypes -challenge their ideas -prepare for transition
Mindmate Lessons	Feeling good and being me. Children will: -reflect on & celebrate their achievements & identify their strengths -identify areas for improvement & set high aspirations & goals	Being the Same and Being Different Children will: -learn how to play & work co- operatively with othersunderstand that people often need to play / work together to reach a shared outcome -share their opinions on things that matter to them	Solving problems (Making it better) Children will: -understand that people often need to play / work together to reach a shared outcome - even when they disagreebegin to understand empathy & why people can be different (in behaviour & image)	Strong Emotions Children will: -recognise that that they may experience strong emotions such as anger -learn there are ways to cope with these strong emotions	Friends and Family Children will: -recognise what is fair & unfair, kind & unkind, what is right & wrong and recognise when people are being unkind either to them or others, -learn what to do when someone is unfair or unkind	Life Changes Children will: -understand the importance of being cooperative with others -understand that change happens & can be challengingunderstand that adapting to change is key to developing emotional wellbeing
French	French Greetings with puppets -Children will: -learn to introduce themselves -ask how someone is feeling and to say how they are feeling.	French Adjectives of Colour, Size and Shape Children will: -learn how to say the names of colours, describe shapes using the adjectives of colour and size -create an animal from 2D shapes and works of art inspired by French artist, Matisse.	Playground Games Children will: -count, recognise and use the numbers to twelve, -ask how old someone is and say how old they are -compare sentence structures in French and English.	In the Classroom Children will: -learn commands and objects from the classroom -respond to simple instructions -learn items found in a school bag -read and understand short sentences and present a spoken text.	Transport Children will: -decipher new vocabulary using their knowledge of cognates -develop their understanding of sentence structure -identify sounds and perfect their punctuation.	Circle of Life Children will: -explore habitats, food chains and life cycles -broaden their vocabulary and deepen their understanding of sentence structures
Intercultural understanding	European Day of Languages (24/9/21) Children will: -learn about the French language and where else it is used.	Joyeux Noel Children will: - find our about different Christmas traditions in France.	Paris Children will: -learn about the city of Paris and key landmarks.	Easter Children will: -learn about how Easter is celebrated in France and key words for different symbols of Easter	Boules competition Children will: -learn about the French game of Boules and take part in a game.	Celebration event Children will: -identify and name different types of French food -try different food