

Year 3 Kestrel Curriculum Overview

Year 3 2025/6	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	A year full of Stories Narrative with a character focus Instructions	The Boy who Grew Dragons Narrative with a setting focus Information text	Ice Trap! Narrative with a character focus Instructions	Mr Penguin and the Lost Treasure Narrative with a setting focus Information text	James and the Giant Peach Narrative with a setting and character focus Information text	Fortunately, the Milk Narrative with a setting and character focus Recount of a real experience
Maths	Place Value and Money Addition and Subtraction Measure and Shape	Multiplication and Division Addition and Subtraction Measures and Shape	Place Value and Money Addition and Subtraction Time	Multiplication and Division Fractions Addition and Subtraction	Addition and Subtraction Shape and Time Exploring Fractions	Multiplication and Division Place Value and Fractions
Science	Animals: Movement and Nutrition	Forces and Magnets	Rocks and Soil	Light and Shadows	Plant reproduction	Making Connections: Does hand span affect grip strength?
History	Would you prefer to live in the Stone Age, Bronze Age or Iron Age?		Why did the Romans Settle in Britain?		What did the ancient Egyptians believe?	
Geography	Why do people live near volcanoes?		Who lives in Antarctica?		Are all settlements the same?	
DT	Mechanical systems: Pneumatic toys		Cooking & Nutrition: Eating seasonally		Textiles: Cross-stitch and appliqué	
Art	Drawing		Painting and Mixed Media		Sculpture & 3D	
PSHE/RSE	Introductory lesson: Family and Relationships	Family and Relationships Health and Wellbeing	Health and Wellbeing Safety and the changing body	Safety and the changing body Citizenship	Citizenship	Economic Wellbeing Transition lesson
RE	1.2 and 1.1 What do Christians believe about Jesus AND God?		1.5 What do Jewish people believe about God and Covenant?	2.4 What do Christians believe about Salvation (links with Easter)?	2.3 What do Hindu people believe about Dharma, Deity and Atman?	2.6 What do Christians believe about Agape?
Music	Term 1 – Rhythm		<i>Core Songs – I love the flowers</i>	Easter Songs	<i>Shalom as a round</i> Creative composition	<i>Core Songs – End of Year Performance</i>
PE	Attacking and defending (invasion games)	Gymnastics	Dance	Fitness	Rounders	Athletics
Computing	Journey inside a computer	Networks	Emailing	Programming	Video Trailers	Data handling
Spanish	Greeting and Puppets	Numbers and Ages	Shapes and Colours	Classroom Objects	Where do you live in Spain	Journey around Latin America