



Curwen Primary School  
Together Everyone Achieves More

**Year 3: 2024 -2025 - Discovery**



	<b>AUTUMN Discover our Local Area</b>		<b>SPRING Discover Ancient Egypt</b>		<b>SUMMER Discover more about Plant Earth</b>	
<b>LITERACY</b>	Non- Chronological Reports (writing assessment)	Descriptive text – character/setting (writing assessment)	Poetry	Non-fiction text linked to International week	Narrative (writing assessment)	Writing based on class book: newspaper article, letter, biography, discussion text, diary, description etc
<b>Class Texts</b>	The Magic Finger, George’s Marvellous Medicine, The Iron Man, The Wind and the Willows		Fantastic Mr Fox, Secret Garden, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, Planet Omar			
<b>NUMERACY</b>	Properties of numbers, Place value, Number Facts, Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication	Multiplication, Division, Fractions (comparing and ordering, fractions of amounts, adding and subtracting)	Number facts and bonds (10/20/100), Addition/ Subtraction methods, Multiplication/ Division, Money, Measure and conversions, Shape	Perimeter & Area, Angles, Time (am/pm), Calculating with units of measure, Interpreting data, Graphs- tally / bar/ pictogram (addition & subtraction)	4 operations, Problem solving (number), Money, Decimal and fraction tenths, Calculating with fractions, Shape	Negative numbers, Multiplication, Division (estimating) Missing Number Problems
<b>COMPUTING</b>	Information technology – design website	Digital literacy – Google Docs/Sheets	Digital literacy/Information – Google Slides	Coding	Coding	Information technology – Adobe Spark poster
<b>SCIENCE</b>	Light (Short)	Animals and Humans: Food and the skeleton <b>NPP-healthy living</b>	Rocks & soils <b>NPP- Rocks &amp; soils</b>	Forces and magnets <b>NPP- Forces</b>	Plants and the plant lifecycle <b>NPP-Plants</b>	
<b>HISTORY TOPIC: GEOGRAPHY</b>	<b>G:</b> Local area – mapping/pollution <b>NPP - Maps</b>	<b>H:</b> Changes in Britain from Stone Age -> Iron Age <b>NPP-Dinosaurs &amp; Evolution</b>	<b>H:</b> The achievements of Ancient Egypt <b>NPP-Ancient EGYPT</b>		<b>G:</b> Volcanoes <b>NPP- Natural Disasters</b>	<b>G:</b> Energy

		<b>H Big Question: <i>To become a great civilisation, you must do things that can be remembered. Do you agree or disagree?</i></b>				
<b>ART</b>	Printing: Fruit patterns		Egyptian Art			Photography and Painting: Portraying Relationships
<b>D/T</b>		Design & make a healthy plate - Use kitchen facilities		Design Carnival Costumes Design & make a product for a specific purpose	Packaging (plants/seeds) (Charlie & the Chocolate Factory link)	
<b>MUSIC</b>	Listening & Understanding - music history & appreciation	Singing - to include warming up, deliberate practice & reading music notation	Performing an instrument – recorders	Performing an instrument – recorders	Composition/Improvisation	Singing - to include warming up, deliberate practice & reading music notation
<b>RE</b>	<b>Whole year's Big Question: How are symbols and sayings important?</b>					
	Special signs and symbols in Christian and Islamic art	What is the significance of light in religions?	How and why do Hindus celebrate Holi? <a href="#">Holi assembly</a>	How did Jesus and Buddha make people stop and think?	What do Sikh sayings and symbols tell us about the Sikh beliefs?	How do Jews celebrate at home and at the synagogue? <a href="#">Visit to a Synagogue</a>
<b>PE</b>	Gymnastics, Athletics, Handball, Tag Rugby		Dance (Carnival), Multi Skills, Tri Golf		Tennis, Cricket, Boccia, Rounders	
<b>MFL</b>	- Understanding where Spanish is spoken - Vowels	-Introducing myself -Greetings	- Colours - Numbers 0-10	-Fruits -La sorpresa de Handa (Handa's surprise)	- Days/Months	-Zoom partner school in Spain -Hobbies
<b>PSHE</b>	Settling , Friendships, Agreeing to disagree Kindness Wk – How not to be a by-stander		(IFW) Identity & Belonging/ Understanding similarities and differences Relationship – Asking for help		Transition: Managing Worries & Anxieties What to do in an emergency	
<b>Significant people</b>	Emmeline Pankhurst	David Attenborough	Abdel Rahman	Mae Jemison	Lucy Bronze	Steve Mc Queen
<b>Suggested Visits</b>		Theatre Trip Stone Age Workshop (Polly)	Science Museum	British Museum	Roald Dahl Museum (Polly)	<a href="#">Visit to a Synagogue</a> Plaistow Library (Summer Reading Challenge)

<b>Suggested Big Outcomes</b>	Discovering our local area (presentation to parents/carers) (virtual)	Christmas song (virtual)	<b>Holi assembly</b> (virtual)	Carnival outfit	Art gallery Summer Performance	
<b>Whole School</b>	Democracy Week	World of Work Week (trip?)		International Week Easter Bonnet		Plastow Library (Summer Reading Challenge) Family Week