St Paul's CofE (VC) Junior School Curriculum – Year 3 2026/2027

YEAR 3	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Maths	Place value Addition and subtraction	Addition and subtraction Multiplication and division	Multiplication and division Money Statistics	Length and perimeter Fractions	Fractions Time	Properties of shape Mass and capacity
English	**Fiction** **Something Fishy Film** (Sentence stacking) **Fiction** **Stone Age Boy Narrative** *(Writing from a different perspective)* **Non-Fiction** **Stone Age Persuasion Leaflet** *(Why you should think this)*	**Fiction** **Gigantic** **Non-Fiction** **Instruction Writing** *(Write instructions for reindeer food)*	**Fiction** **Traction Man** *(Descriptive Writing, Alternative Ending)* **Non-Fiction** **Non-Chronological report** – *(Toys)*	**Poetry** *(Nonsense Poetry)* **Fiction** **The Tunnel** *(Narrative setting description)*	**Fiction** **Tear Thief** *(Narrative – introducing a new character and setting)* **Non-Fiction** **Dragon landing** *Non-fiction Recount*	**Fiction** **Charlie & the Chocolate factory** *(Narrative setting description)* **Non-Fiction** Speak Up (whole school) What is AI? Information text
Class novel	Pugs of the Frozen north By Philip Reeve	Nothing To See Here Hotel By Steven Butler	Theres a Pharoah in my Bath by Jeremy Strong	Anisha Accidental Detective By Serena Patel	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory By Roald Dahl	Charlotte's Web By E B White
RE	What does it mean to belong to a religion? (Christianity) What is important to me? (What is a Worldview?)		Who is Jesus? What do Christians believe about Salvation and Agape?		What is God like according to Hindu Dharma? What is it like to be a Hindu in the UK (Somerset)	
Science	Rocks and Soil		Forces and magnets	Animals including humans	Plants	Light
History and Geography	How did Pre-History Change Britain? *History*	Who lives in Antarctica? *Geography*	Why was Ancient Egypt so important? *History*		Where in the World are we? What are Rivers and how are they used? *Geography*	
Art & Design	ART – Drawing/3D gestural drawing – drawing like a caveman. Charcoal. Artist Study		ART – Expressive Painting With Artist study		ART - Explore the local area through mono print	
Design Technology		DT – Create a seasonal tart		DT — *Design and make a castle from recycled materials*		DT – Sewing a pouch using cross stitch and applique
Music	Charanga: Glockenspiel 1	BBC: Ten Pieces: Baroque Music Study	Charanga: Three Little Birds	Charanga: It's Okay Please Just Say	Charanga: Composing Using your Imagination	Charanga: Boomwhackers
PSHE (Jigsaw)	Being me in my world	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy me	Relationships	Changing me
MFL French	Phonetics 1	I am Learning	Animals	I am Able	Ice Creams	Instruments
Computing	Computing Systems and Networks	Creating Media – Stop-Frame Animation	Programming – Sequencing Sounds	Data and Information – Branching Databases	Creating Media – Desktop Publishing	Programming – Events and Actions in Programs
PE	Multi-skills		Invasion games (Netball)	Athletics	Net and wall (Dodgeball)	Striking and fielding (Cricket)
	Dance (Disco)	Gymnastics (Travelling & rolling)	Dance (Ancient Egyptians)	Gymnastics (Balancing & Jumping)	Swimming	