

The Ryde School

Curriculum Information Autumn Term 2023 Year 3

Curriculum Area	Topics Covered
Art	<p>Gestural Drawing with Charcoal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To discover how to make drawings that capture a sense of drama or performance using charcoal. • To improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing and painting with a range of materials (for example, pencil, charcoal, paint)
Religious Education	<p>Christianity, Islam, Judaism</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To know what different people believe about God • To understand what it means to be a Christian in Britain today.
Design and technology	<p>Leavers and Linkages To understand and use lever and linkage mechanisms. To explore and used mechanisms such as flaps, sliders and levers.</p>
Geography	<p>Rivers and Coasts To identify features of rivers of the UK. To look at UK coastal erosion.</p>
History	<p>Stone Age to Iron Age/Vikings/Local History Location - To order key events on time lines. Settlement -To learn how people used to live. To identify where people settled using an atlas. To find out about the history of our school. Food and Farming - To find out where they got their food from and what farming was like.</p>
Computing	<p>Programming A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To explore the concept of sequencing in programming through Scratch. They will be introduced to a selection of motion, sound, and event blocks which they will use to create their own programs, featuring sequences.
Modern Foreign Languages	<p>To learn where France is and about some French customs. To introduce ourselves in France. To use greetings in France.</p>
Physical Education	<p>Tag rugby – skills and games Dance – expression and movement Gymnastics – control and coordination Netball/basketball - skills and games</p>
Science	<p>Animals including humans – to look at a range of skeletons and muscles. Plants – to identify different parts and roles of flowering plants. Light – to investigate why we need light to see, reflective materials. Forces – to compare how things move on different surfaces Rocks – to compare and group different types of rock.</p>

Enrichment Activities:

Fossils workshop
Walton on the Naze visit
Pantomime
World book day

How you can help your child:

Encourage your children to read daily and talk to them about what they have read.
Complete a reading task when a book is finished.
Practise times tables up to 12 x 12 so that they are fluent