



Lawn Primary
and Nursery School

Lawn Primary and Nursery School Year 3 Curriculum Overview 2026 -27

Excellence
Resilience
Confidence
Respect

Term	1	2	3	4	5	6
Trips		Christmas Unwrapped			Egyptian Workshop	Yr 3 Trip Geog field work trip
Writing	Twisted Traditional Tales The True Story of Three Little Pigs by Jon Scieszka Instructions My Strong Mind by Niels Van Hove	Persuasive writing Christmas Dessert Poetry Limerick & Clerihew Poems – Poetry Shed	Romance The Blue Umbrella by Pixar Animation Studios Magazine Article Climate action	Adventure Stories The Secret of Black Rock by Joe Todd-Stanton Explanation Text Light and Dark	Narrative/Comedy The Book Eating Boy Non-chronological report Skeletons and muscles	Comedy George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl Poetry Question & Answer Poetry – Poetry Shed
Reading	Mr Penguin and the Fortress of Secrets	The Nothing to See Here Hotel	Planet Omar-Accidental Trouble Magnet	The Boy who Grew Dragons	The Land of Roar	
Maths	Review strategies for adding and subtracting across 10 Securing place value to 100 and applying to addition and subtraction Bridging 100: counting on and back in 10s, adding & subtracting multiples of 10 Measuring Length and recording in tables	Representing 3-digit numbers, comparing and positioning on number lines Measures: mass and capacity Right angles	Informal and mental strategies for adding and subtracting two 3-digit numbers Understand additive relationships and apply them to rearrange equations	Column addition 2, 4 and 8 times tables: using times tables to solve problems Column subtraction	Unit fractions as part of a whole Identify parts and wholes in different contexts Compare and order fractions Calculate the value of a part (fractions as operations)	Non-unit fractions Compositions of non-unit fractions: addition and subtraction Parallel and perpendicular sides in polygons Tell the time to the nearest minute and compare units of time
Science	Rocks	Light	Forces and magnets	Science Week	Animals including humans	Plants
History	Prehistoric Britain: How did life change in		Prehistoric Britain: How did life change in		Early Civilizations:	

	Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age?		Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age?		Why was Ancient Egypt one of the world's greatest civilisations?	
Geography		Let's Explore the UK		Natural Disasters		Land Use
Art	Drawing: Developing Drawing Skills		Painting and mixed media: Prehistoric painting		Sculpture and 3D: Abstract shape and space	
DT		Mechanical systems: Pneumatic toys		Structures: Constructing a castle		Cooking and nutrition: Eating seasonally
Computing	Computing systems and networks- connecting computers E-safety: self-image and identity. Privacy and security.	Creating media- stop-frame animation E-safety: Online relationships	Programming A- sequencing sounds E-safety: Online bullying	Data and information - Branching databases E-safety: Online reputation. Copyright and Ownership	Creating media- Desktop publishing E-safety: Managing online information	Programming B – Events and actions in programs E-safety: Health, Well-being and lifestyle
Music	Charanga Writing music down Question: How Does Music Bring Us Closer Together?	Charanga Playing in a band Question: What Stories Does Music Tell Us About the Past?	Charanga Compose using your imagination Question: How Does Music Make the World a Better Place?	Charanga More musical styles Question: How Does Music Help Us Get to Know Our Community?	Charanga Enjoying improvisation Question: How Does Music Make a Difference to Us Every Day?	Charanga Opening night Question: How Does Music Connect Us with Our Planet?
RE	L2.1 What do different people believe about God? Christianity, Islam and Hinduism	L2.7 What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today? Christianity	L2.2 Why is the Bible so important for Christians today? Christianity	L2.5 Why are festivals important to religious communities? Christianity, Islam and Hinduism	L2.4 Why do people pray? Christianity, Islam and Hinduism	L2.8 What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? (Part 1) Hinduism
PE	Hockey Real PE: Personal Unit	Gymnastics Linking Movements Together Real PE: Social Unit	Gymnastics Symmetry and asymmetry (partners) Real PE: Personal Unit	Netball Swimming	Athletics Real PE: Cognitive Unit	OAA Real PE: Creative Unit
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
French	I am Learning French.	Animals	I am able to..	Instruments	Fruits	Little Red Riding Hood Phonetics 1

