Bourne Abbey C of E Primary Academy
Curriculum Map (2026-2027) Year 3

	Term One Term Title: One planet, many climates!	Term Two Term Title: That's not my Mummy!	Term 3: Term Title: There's Two Sides to Every Story	Term 4 Term Title: Digging Up The Past	Term 5 Term Title: Dream Big	Term 6 Term Title: Dream Big
English	**PVPG Unit One** **Writing to persuade** Persuasive letters Context: Environment Different audiences	**Writing to inform** Recount/ Instructions Context: Egypt Context: Mummification	**Writing to entertain** Narrative Description Context: Fairytales	**Writing to inform** Diaries Context: Stone Age	**Writing to inform** Non-chronological reports Context: Great Adventures Lakpa Rita Sherpa Rick Hansen	**Writing to entertain** Narrative Context: How does chocolate taste on Everest? Book Exploration- Everest and Amazon
Maths	Place value Addition and Subtraction	Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division A	Multiplication and Division B Length and Perimeter	Fractions A Mass and Capacity	Fractions B Money Time	Time Shape Statistics
Science	Light Let there be light Researching light sources Reflective materials Sun safety Shadow formation	Forces and Magnets What's the attraction? Contact and distance Surfaces and friction Repel and attract		Rocks Rock 'n' Roll Observations of rock types Hardness of rock types Fossils Rock formation and erosion	How does your garden grow? Animals, including humans - nutrition 5 food groups Nutrients and balanced diet Animal skeletons, movement and protection Joints and muscles	Plants How does your garden grow? Plant parts and functions Water transportation Requirements for healthy plant growth Flower -life cycle
Computing	Connecting computers	Programming A - sequencing sounds	Creating media – stop frame	Desktop publishing	Programming B	Programming B
E-Safety	Self-image and identity Health, well-being and lifestyle	Online bullying	Online relationships	Online reputation Managing online information	Managing online information	Privacy and security Copyright and ownership
History		Egyptians That's not my Mummy! Discovering artefacts Timeline study River Nile Society/Hierarchy Pyramids Gods Hieroglyphics End of Egyptian society		Stone age Digging up the Past Discovering artefacts Timeline study Palaeolithic Mesolithic Neolithic Skara Brae Bronze Age Iron Age		
Geography	Climate zones Hemispheres/Equator		North America	Field work study Bee Friendly school grounds	Rio and South East Brazil	
Art	Ancient Egyptian Art	Drawing Line Printing	Architecture		Ancient Egyptian Art	Drawing Line Printing
DT		Sew – Christmas Decorations	Build – Pop up books – Fairy tales			Cook – pasta bake, bread and butter
PE	OAA Wheelchairs	Netball Hockey	Dance Basketball	Fitness Gymnastics	Tennis Athletics	Rounders Cricket
RE	What does pilgrimage mean to individuals and communities?	What does pilgrimage mean to individuals and communities?	Which religious and worldview communities can we find in our neighbourhood?	Which religious and worldview communities can we find in our neighbourhood?	School Designed Unit- Pilgrimage	School Designed Unit- Pilgrimage
Spanish	I am learning	Fruit	Animals	Ancient Britain	Christmas in Spain	Picasso
Music	KEY VOCAL SKILLS Stamp, Clap, Step, Sing Listening, developing accuracy of pitch	KEY VOCAL SKILLS Magical Marches Ostinato, composing simple rhythmic accompaniment	UKULELES Who's Turn is it now? Sing songs, compose a story scope.	UKULELES Up and Down and Up again Melodic pitch	PERCUSSION Distant Mountains Exploring, performing musical features	PERCUSSION Recycling Revolution Performance on musical instruments
PSHE	Jigsaw unit: Being Me in the world	Jigsaw unit: Celebrating Differences	Jigsaw unit: Dreams and Goals	Jigsaw unit Healthy Me	Jigsaw unit Relationships	Jigsaw unit: Changing image
Eco/sustainability links throughout the curriculum	Energy Persuasive letters written in the context of the environment (bees and plastic pollution) Litter	Whole School Switch off Fortnight	Litter	Fieldwork study in Bee Friendly school grounds – links to biodiversity and sustainability Studying rocks and erosion teaches sustainability through Earth's resources and preservation. Learning survival skills connects children to nature, resourcefulness, and sustainable living.(Greatwood Farm)	Recycling Healthy Living Science - Exploring plant growth highlights sustainability, ecosystems, and life's dependence on nature.	*Percussion* theme: Recycling Revolution – performance on instruments linked to recycling