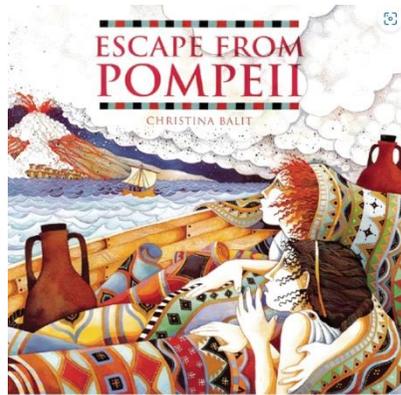


YEAR 3

Term 6

Summer 2025



English:	Persuade, emotive, sub-heading, paragraph, dialogue, inverted commas
Maths:	Total, Duration, vertices, edges, faces, dimensions
History:	Empire, Emperor, Boudicca, Invade, Conquer, Villa
RE:	Brahma, Ganga, Shiva, pilgrimage, sacred, cleanse
Science:	root, shoot, leaves, stem, family, soil
DT:	input, output, mechanism, pneumatic, mechanical, system

Key Vocabulary

English

In English, we will be reading "Escape from Pompeii" and learning how to justify our reasoning using examples from the text. We will also be using this story as inspiration for our own narrative writing with a focus on presenting dialogue.

For our other writing unit we will be learning to persuade. We will create a leaflet to advertise a holiday to a special location. We will be using our best persuasive techniques to convince the reader.

Mathematics

In Maths, we will start with a unit on money, which will involve adding and subtracting amounts of money and calculating change. This is a great life skill which could be built at home too – perhaps you could give your child a chance to pay for a small shop with coins and check they have been given the correct change. We will then move on to telling the time and solving problems involving duration of time, before learning to recognise and describe 2D and 3D shapes by their properties.

Science

In Science, we will be learning about the purpose of different parts of a plant and experimenting with what helps a plant to grow. We should hopefully have some healthy plants to take home!

Computing

In Computing, we will be learning to code a sprite in Scratch. We will be creating a maze challenge game and learning how to debug and fix a simple program.

Religious Education

Building on our understanding of the Hindu God Brahman, we will be learning about the importance of the River Ganges to Hindus and why people make a pilgrimage to Varanasi.

PE

In PE this term, we will be building on our athletics skills when running, jumping and throwing. In games, we will be developing our skills in football and build to competing in small-sided games.

Spanish

In Spanish, we will learn the vocabulary of a picnic. We will learn how to ask politely for item and how many. We will also learn how to ask and answer "Where do you live?"

History

In History we will investigate the Roman invasion of Britain. We will explore how the Roman Empire changed and why they invaded Britain. We will learn how they lived and what evidence there is today that they were here centuries ago.

DT

In DT, we will be learning how pneumatic mechanisms work. We will design and make a moving toy with a pneumatic mechanism.

PSHE

In PSHE, we will be learning more about our physical health and well-being. We will learn about healthy food choices, how branding influences our choices and the importance of keeping active.

Music

In Music, we will be learning to perform a song with 3 parts and also play an accompaniment with drone and ostinato parts. All of the songs will be themed around food and drink.

Learning to Learn

Our Learning to Learn focus is still collaboration. We'll be developing this through stories, real-life events and team-building activities.