



Ashfield Junior School – Curriculum Overview – Year 3 2024-2025

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English Key Texts / Units	Narrative: Mini Rabbit Not Lost Free Verse poetry: Words are ours & The Magic Box	Fables – The Koala who could, The squirrels that squabbles, The Lion Inside Non – Chronological report : Incredible jobs you've probably never heard of	Narrative – Alice's Adventures in Wonderland Persuasive speeches – Stella and the seagull	Personal Narrative – Jabari Jumps , Ralph tells a story, The proudest blue Poetry: Calligrams , Love that dog	Persuasive letters: Speak up , Look up, Clean up Instructions: Instructions, Wolf in the snow	Non- Chronological reports: A year full of celebrations and festivals from around the world Narrative: The Iron Man Poetry: Take One Poet, Smile out loud
Science	Light	Rocks	Forces and Magnets	Animals, including humans (Puberty education around babies)	Plants	Catch up/ revision
Computing	Computing systems and networks - Connecting computers		Data and information – Branching databases		Creating media – Desktop publishing	Programming B - Sequencing sounds
Art	<u>Drawing</u> Gestural drawing with charcoal <u>Artists</u> Heather Hanen Laura McKendry Edgar Dega		<u>3D/Sculpture</u> Telling stories through drawing and making <u>Artists</u> Rosie Hurley Imbal Leitner Roald Dahl Quentin Blake			<u>Painting</u> Using Natural Materials to Make Images(link to science) Artists Frances Hatch Anna Atkins
Design Technology		Mechanism - Making monsters		Eating Seasonally (no support from caterlink - unit not finished)	Cushions	
History	The Stone Age		The Bronze Age			History of Ashfield School
Geography		<u>Map Skills</u> Recap on Bushey UK Cities Mountains		<u>Map Skills</u> Europe	<u>Map Skills</u> France	
Music	Charanga Glockenspiel 1	Christmas Carols Christmas performance	Charanga 3 Little Birds Reggae song	Charanga The Dragon Song Traditional songs	Charanga Bringing us together Disco/Anthem	
RE	<u>Sikhism</u> Introduction to Sikhism (check with Sarah)	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Christianity</u> <u>Jesus' Miracles</u>	<u>Christianity</u> Easter	<u>Sikhism</u>	<u>Sikhism</u> What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God?



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		Christmas Has Christmas lost it's true meaning?		What is good about Good Friday?	Do Sikhs think it's important to share?	Include joining the Khalsa and 5 K's
PE	Dance Elms led Games	Gymnastics Elms led Games	Dance Elms led Games	Gymnastics Elms led Games	Athletics Elms led Games	Athletics (including Sports Day practise) Outdoor and Adventurous Activities - Orienteering Elms led Games
PD	Compass for Life Influences, aspirations and dreams, Super North Star Jigsaw School Values and Rules Our Safety Network The Bag of Worries	Compass for Life Strength, team Jigsaw Celebrating Difference	Compass for Life The South Cardinal Jigsaw Dreams and Goals	Compass for Life The East Cardinal Jigsaw Healthy Me	Compass for Life The West Cardinal Jigsaw Relationships	Compass for Life Reflection of map and Super North Star Jigsaw RHE
French	I'm learning French Basic greetings/ numbers/ colour phonics	Animals (E) Christmas phonics	Instruments (E) Joyuses Paques (Cultural enrichment) Easter phonics	I am able(E) negatives Verbs phonics	(Cultural enrichment – links to Geography topic) phonics	Fruits (E) Ice-creams (E) I like/negatives phonics