

YEAR 3 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW 2020-21	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Big Questions:	What should we be thankful for?		Are the best things in life free?		What makes a home?	
English	Visual Literacy – Incredible Me Describe a familiar setting Instructions	Persuasive letter writing Myths	Shape poems Non-fiction report Theatre visit work	Book week Adventures and Mysteries Diary entry	Reports Persuasive writing – Walmley Junior School	Letters, including letters to Year 2 Performance Poetry Recount – Woodlands
Maths	Throughout the year, pupils will develop and consolidate mathematical knowledge, skills and understanding in the following areas: Number, Measurement, Geometry and Statistics. This will be sequenced to build on prior learning.					
Science	Light and shadow	Forces and Magnets	Rocks & Soils	Animals including humans - Healthy eating Skeletons	Plants	
Computing	J2code – algorithms (Part 1)	PowerPoint J2code	J2vote - Creating surveys	Producing digital artwork	J2code – algorithms (Part 2)	Microsoft Excel
History			Stone Age	The Bronze Age to the Iron Age	Vikings and Anglo Saxons	
Geography	Atlas work – United Kingdom Coasts	Atlas work – United Kingdom Coasts			Walmley: Our local area - Fieldwork Local geography survey (housing, shops etc.) OS map work, plans	
Art & Design	Colour wheel and mixing Evaluating art work (using the work of famous artists)	Sketching skills	Andy Goldsworthy – Relief printing Artist study – Wassily Kandinsky Mythical beasts	Clay figures (R.E. link) Sketching skills	Portrait sketches	Rennie Mackintosh
Design & Technology	Practise different stitches on a fabric bookmark	Design and make a magnet game Wooden frames				Design and make a new Walmley shop front
R.E.	Caring for others, animals and the environment Sharing and being generous	Participating and willing to lead Creating unity and harmony.	Being Fair and Just Being Accountable and living with integrity	Remembering Roots Being Loyal and steadfast	Being open, honest and truthful. Being silent and attentive.	Cultivating inclusion, identity and belonging. Being modest and listening.
PSHE	Relationships	Relationships	Living in the wider world	Living in the wider world	Health and well-being	Health and well-being
P.E.	Invasion Games unit 1 Dance unit 3	Invasion Games unit 1 Gymnastics unit 3	Rugby Dance unit 3	Net & Wall Gymnastics unit 3 Basketball	Athletics unit 1 Health & Fitness	Striking & Fielding Health & Fitness
Music	Recorder tuition Playground songs	Recorder tuition Christmas	Recorder tuition Africa	Recorder tuition South America	Recorder tuition The British Isles	Recorder tuition Summer songs
Walmley Essentials	Work Experience Digit and letter formation Alphabet and handwriting Ordering and spelling days of the week	Work Experience Team work Problem solving Editing Contractions	Restaurant Coin recognition Money problems Using cutlery correctly	Restaurant Fasten top button and put tie on Team work Cooking skills	Travel Countries in the UK Walmley and surrounding counties	Travel Tell the time o'clock and half past Walmley Values Digit and letter formation
Educational Visits			Art week Theatre Trip	Book week	Woodlands Activity Centre	Walmley Walk Visit to Church Health week activities