

St Barnabas and St Philip's CE Primary School

Year 3 2024/25—Summer 1





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English Writing	English Reading	Science
We will explore <i>The Pebble in my Pocket</i> by Meredith Hooper, using it as inspiration for writing a non-chronological report and a nonfiction narrative. Children will focus on organising information clearly, using technical vocabulary, and writing in the third person and present tense.	The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe - C.S. Lewis We will develop key reading skills across the domains, including retrieving key information, making inferences about characters' thoughts and feelings, summarising main ideas, identifying themes, and discussing the impact of the author's language choices.	Plants We will explore: parts of a plant and their functions, plant growth, water transportation, seeds, reproductive parts in plants, pollinations, seed dispersal and life cycle of plants
Religious Education	Mathematics	Music
What did Buddha teach his followers about life? Who is Siddhartha and what did he discover? What did the Buddha realise when he became enlightened? What do you think causes suffering? What do you think is the most important thing anyone can achieve during their lifetime? What did the Buddha teach his followers about life?	Fractions, and Money In Fractions, pupils will add and subtract fractions, partition the whole, explore unit and non-unit fractions of a set . In Money, pupils will convert pounds and pence, add and sub- tract money, find change	Exploring Musical Theatre: Forte and Piano We will explore the creative realm of composition, encompassing pitch, rhythm, and musical structure. This focuses on fostering composition and improvisation skills. Pupils begin crafting their musical pieces, combining the notation skills introduced in previous years.
Geography	History	French
Western Europe We will explore: Countries and Settlements, Climate, Trade, France, a comparison of London and Paris	Law and Power We will explore: Henry II and English Common Law, Henry II and Thomas Beckett, The Crusades and Richard the Lionheart, King John and the Magna Carta, Simon de Monfort	'Les fruits'—Fruits Children learn how to name and recognise a variety of fruits in French using the unit Les Fruits. They practise saying "J'aime" and "Je n'aime pas" to express likes and dislikes, building simple sentences.
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