Year Three Curriculum Overview- 2023-2024

Year Three	Tribal Tales	Scrumdiddlyumptious	Tremors	Ruthless Romans	Welcome to Portsmouth	Predators
Overarching question for topic express	How did the way humans live develop over the prehistoric era?	How does our knowledge of food groups allow for a nutritious diet?	What impact do volcanoes and earthquakes have on their surrounding environment?	What did the Romans do for Britain?	Why should people be proud to live in Portsmouth?	What role do food chains play in the circle of life?
Trips	Butser Ancient farm			Open Box	Field trip to Old Portsmouth	
Science	Rocks compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their appearance and simple physical properties describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter	Animals incl. humans – nutrition identify that animals, including humans, need the right types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat	Plants identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers explore the requirements of plants for life and growth (air, light, water, nutrients from soil, and room to grow) and how they vary from plant to plant investigate the way in which water is transported within plants explore the part that flowers play in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal	Forces/Magnets compare how things move on different surfaces notice that some forces need contact between 2 objects, but magnetic forces can act at a distance observe how magnets attract or repel each other and attract some materials and not others compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of whether they are attracted to a magnet, and identify some magnetic materials describe magnets as having 2 poles predict whether 2 magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing	Light recognise that they need light in order to see things and that dark is the absence of light notice that light is reflected from surfaces recognise that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect their eyes recognise that shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by an opaque object find patterns in the way that the size of shadows change	Animals including humans – Skeletons Y4 - Food chains identify that humans and some other animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey

History	changes in Britain from			the Roman Empire and its		
Thistory	the Stone Age to the Iron			impact on Britain		
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	Age					
Geography			Physical geography –		use fieldwork to observe,	
			Describe and understand		measure, record and	
			key aspects of volcanoes		present the human and	
			and earthquakes		physical features in the	
			Locational knowledge –		local area using a range of	
			identify the position and		methods, including sketch	
			significance of latitude,		maps, plans and graphs,	
			longitude, Equator,		and digital technologies	
			Northern Hemisphere,			
			Southern Hemisphere		human geography including	
					trade links	
Art			Andy Goldsworthy	Roman coins	My Dog Sighs / Banksy	
			Sculpture	Clay / printing	Graffiti	
DT	Create a roundhouse	Cooking – Making healthy				Woodwork
		pizzas & designing the				Bird houses
		boxes for them				
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Computing	Teach computing	Teach computing	Teach computing	Teach computing	Teach computing	Teach computing
	What is a computer?	We are communicators	Sequencing sounds	Desktop publishing	We are programmers	Branching databases
Religious Education	Identity - Purim	Holy	Remembering	Belief	Courage	Neighbour
PE	Personal cog	Social cog	Cognitive cog	Creative cog	Physical cog	Health and Fitness cog
	Co-ordination - Footwork	Dynamic Balance to Agility -	Dynamic Balance - On a line	Co-ordination - Sending	Agility - Reaction /	Agility - Ball chasing
	Static Balance - One Leg	Jumping and Landing	Co-ordination - Ball skills	and receiving	Response	Static Balance—Stance
		Static Balance - Seated		Counter Balance - With a	Static Balance - Floorwork	
				partner		