

**Year group: 3**

**Time Allocation:** 1/2 term

**Date:** Spring Term 1

**Teachers:** Mr Blackburn

### English:

We will be using Nothing to See Here Hotel by Steven Butler to inspire our writing. We will be writing diary entries from characters in the hotel, and creating travel brochures too. We will also be using King Kong by Anthony Brown to create newspaper articles.

### Reading:

In 'Whitley Reading' sessions we will be developing our inference skills, using texts including 'Nothing to see here hotel' and 'King Kong'.

### Maths:

In multiplication and division, we will be working on our x-table knowledge in a variety of contexts. We will also be working on written methods of multiplication and division that predominantly use partitioning. We will also learn how to measure in mm, cm and metres.

### Science: Animals including humans

We will be investigating different food groups and types of nutrition. We will be finding out about different types of skeletons and naming bones. We will learn about the main functions of the skeleton and how muscles work. We will be working scientifically to set up a simple experiment, make modifications, record results and write an explanation of our findings.

### RE:

In RE we will be exploring the question: "What is it like to follow God?" We will explore the story of Noah and make links between the story and the idea of a covenant. We will make links between promises in the story of Noah and promises that Christians make at a wedding ceremony.



**Let Your Light Shine**  
**Matthew 5:16**

## Our Core Books



## Perseverance

**Core Value:**

**S.M.S.C**

We will learn what it means  
to never give up, even when  
times are difficult.

### History - What is the secret of the standing stones?

We will be learning about the Bronze Age and when it started/ended. We will know how Bronze was made and what it was used for. We will be able to explain the significance of the artefacts buried with the 'Amesbury Archer'.

### Design Technology—Pneumatic Toys

We will be exploring pneumatic system toys. We will be designing, creating and testing our own pneumatic toys using syringes and balloons. We will select materials due to their functional and aesthetic characteristics.

### PE:

We will be working with an NUFC school coach to work on our attacking and defending skills by playing team games.

### MFL:

We will recap how to describe the contents of a pencil case. We will be able to say where we and others live. We will learn the days of the week.

### Music:

As musicians we will continue to learn how to play the cornet and explore famous musicians.

### PSHE/RSE:

Our PSHE focus will be 'Keeping Myself Safe'. We will be learning to manage risks in real life as well as learn how to stay safe online.

### Computing— : Sequence in Music

We will explore a new programming environment and identify that each sprite is controlled by the commands chosen. We will explain that a program has a start and recognise that a sequence of commands can have an order. We will plan, create and adapt a project from a task description.