

# Newnham Junior School



## Curriculum Plan for Year 3 – Spring Term 2025

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| <b>English</b>                  | This term the children will be reading 'The Angel of Nitshill Road' by Anne Fine and through this text we will learn about how to use dialogue in a story along with how to write a playscript. Other narrative work will be based around fables and traditional stories from around the world. We will also explore poetry written by Robert Louis Stevenson and we will practise following and writing instruction texts. Through these units of work, a range of grammar and spelling concepts will be explored and applied.  |   |
| <b>Mathematics</b>              | <p><b>Number</b></p> <p>2x 3x 4x 5x 8x &amp; 10x tables<br/>3-digit numbers – read, write, order<br/>Mental and formal methods for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division including remainders<br/>Number sequences</p>  | <p><b>Other Areas</b></p> <p>Fractions of numbers &amp; equivalent fractions<br/>3D shapes<br/><math>\frac{1}{2}</math> and <math>\frac{1}{4}</math> turns<br/>Parallel and Perpendicular lines<br/>Bar charts and pictograms<br/><math>\frac{1}{2}</math> kg, kg<br/>Money</p> |
| <b>Science</b>                  | We Are Astronauts; Earth Rocks.  |   |
| <b>Jigsaw - RHE</b>             | Dreams and Goals.<br>Healthy Me.   |   |
| <b>D&amp;T</b>                  | Biscuit making.  |   |
| <b>Computing</b>                | We are Programmers; We are bug fixers - learning coding using Scratch.   |   |
| <b>History</b>                  | An overview of Ancient Civilisations with a deeper focus on the Indus Valley.  |   |
| <b>Geography</b>                | Map skills.  |   |
| <b>Art</b>                      | Observational Drawing with Fruit and Vegetables, including Tone and tile printing.   |   |
| <b>PE</b>                       | <b>3LM Wednesday &amp; Friday; 3C Wednesday &amp; Thursday; 3H Wednesday &amp; Friday</b><br>Dance. Gymnastics (Symmetry and asymmetry).<br>Fitness Training. Outdoor Adventure Activities (OAA).  |   |
| <b>Music</b>                    | Instruments of the Orchestra and improvisation.  |   |
| <b>Religion and World Views</b> | Investigating Key Questions: Why is the Bible so important for Christians?<br>Why are festivals important to Religious Communities?  |   |
| <b>Spanish</b>                  | Time to Eat<br>People Around Me  |   |
| <b>Visits</b>                   | Science Museum - Tuesday 11th February   |   |
| <b>Homework</b>                 | Daily reading; Weekly spelling & times tables test. 30 mins Maths activity; 30 mins English activity. Homework is set on Thursdays and should be returned the following Tuesday. 3LM's Maths is set on a Wednesday and should be completed by the following Monday. All children will receive a paper copy of any worksheets needed but they will also be available on the Google Classroom in case a second copy is required or your child is absent at any time. If your child has any problems completing their homework, please tell their teacher before the homework is due. |   |