

Bishop Ridley Curriculum Overview 2025-2026 – Year 3

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Education Experiences	National Gallery		Natural History Museum		Avery Hill Park	Roman Workshop
English Reading	Ug/The Wild Way Home	The Wild Way Home	The Firework maker's daughter	The Firework maker's daughter	The Thieves of Ostia	The Thieves of Ostia
English Writing	SPAG VIPERS Character description (Ug) Instructions	Narrative Letters Fact file	Shape poetry (week 1) Character description (week 2) Persuasive writing (week 3-4) SPaG focus (week 5)	Newspaper report (week 1-3) Non-chronological report (week 4-6)	Biography (week 1-3) Myth narrative (week 4-6)	Letters (week 1-3) Poetry (week 4-6) Recount (school trip) over 2 weeks
Maths	Place value Addition and subtraction	Addition and subtraction Multiplication and Division	Multiplication and Division Length and Perimeter	Mass and Capacity Fractions	Fractions Money Time	Shape Statistics
Science	Light and Shadows	Forces and Magnets	Humans	Rocks and Soils	Plants	Scientists and Inventors
RE	People of God: What is it like to follow God?	Incarnation: What is the Trinity?	Judaism	Salvation: Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?	Kingdom of God: When Jesus left what was the impact of Pentecost?	Judaism
Computing	Computing systems and networks: Connecting computers	Creating media: Animation	Creating media: Desktop media	Data and Information: Branching databases	Programming: Sequence in music	Programming: Events and actions
French		Greetings with Puppets Adjectives		Playground Games: Numbers and age		In a French classroom A Circle of Life in French
History	Stone Age to Iron Age				Emperors and Empires – The Roman Empire	Emperors and Empires – Roman Britain
Geography		Are all settlements the same?	One Planet, Our World	Rocks, Relics and Rumbles		
Art	Painting: Contrast and Complement			Drawing and Painting: Ammonite	Printing: Beautiful Botanicals	
DT		Mechanisms: Making it Move	Cooking and Nutrition: Cook Well, Eatwell			Structures: Greenhouse
PSHE	Families and friendships Safe relationships	Respecting ourselves and others	Belonging to a community Media and digital resilience	Money and work	Physical health and mental wellbeing	Growing and changing Keeping safe
Music	Instrumental Lessons: South Africa		Pentatonic Melodies and Composition: Lunar New Year		Instrumental Lessons: Caribbean	
PE	OAA Gymnastics: Movement	Invasion Games Dodgeball	Invasion Games: Football Gymnastics: Shape	Net and Wall Fundamentals Dance: Extreme Earth	Striking and Fielding Fundamentals Dance: Rainforest	Athletics

