



The Year Ahead

Year 3 2025-2026

OUR CLASS

STAFF

Class Teacher: Miss Reynolds

Teaching Assistants: Mrs Sturgess PPA Cover: Mrs Sturgess and Mrs Cutmore (Thursdays PM)

We will also have PE lessons from a Sports Coach through Kitteridge All Sports.

CHILDREN

28 children

PE days

Our PE days are on Thursdays and Fridays. On these days children should arrive to school already in their PE kits. The class will begin swimming lessons in Autumn term 2, more information about this will be sent closer to the time.

Expectations & Behaviour

As you can see from the curriculum plans, there is a lot to work through and expectations are high. Each child is expected to **'try their best'** in every aspect of their school life, including class-work, behaviour and attitude to others. They are also expected to follow the school's values.

As a class we will develop a Class Charter, which will be displayed on our classroom wall. We follow the school's Positive Relationship and Behaviour Policy; the policy is available on the website.

Children will be awarded merits for learning related achievements and house points for demonstrating the school values.

Please ensure that no items from home are brought into school unless requested by the class teachers.

Timetable and Curriculum

Autumn term – Year 3	8.40-9	9-9.30	9.30-10.20	Break	10.40-11.35	11.35-12.15	Lunch	1.15 – 1:30	1:30-2:10	2.10-2.50	2.50-3.15
Monday	Soft start	Spellings	English		Maths	Whole class reading		Maths mastery	Art	RE	Collective worship
Tuesday	Soft start	Spellings	English		Maths	Handwriting		Maths mastery	History	Music	Collective worship
						Independent reading					
Wednesday	Soft start	Spellings	English		Maths	Whole class reading		Maths mastery	Computing	Life skills	Class worship
Thursday	Soft start	Spellings	English		Maths	Handwriting		Maths mastery	French	PE – 1:50 Sports coach	Singing worship
						Independent reading/ class story					
Friday	Soft start	Spellings	English		Maths	Whole class reading		Maths mastery	PE	Science	Collective Worship (2:30)

Curriculum Overviews can be found on the school website.

Home learning

We set weekly tasks on a **Friday** on Google Classroom. If a sheet is required, it will be given to the children in their home learning book. It will also be available on Google Classroom if the book has accidentally been left at school! All tasks are due to be completed and in school by the following **Wednesday**. All instructions for the home learning will be shared with the class on Fridays.

There are also a range of resources available to support your child's learning. Amazon have a free page called Amazon Study where you can download resources. <https://www.amazon.co.uk/Amazon-Study/b?ie=UTF8&node=26595897031> This gives you access to White Rose Maths books which support the scheme we use in school.

CGP <https://www.cgpbooks.co.uk/primary-books> is also a good source for reliable workbooks at the appropriate level.

Please also sign up to use the Bishop's Stortford library. It is free!!

Offsite visit: Celtic Harmony

We are really excited about our school trip to Celtic Harmony. **This will take place on Friday 3rd October 2025.** Children (and adults!) are encouraged to dress up in a prehistoric outfit for the day.

Keeping in Touch

We use a range of things in school to keep you informed:

- Arbor -app and communication
- Fortnightly Newsletter from Mr Asher (sent out by email and on the website - PLEASE READ!)
- Twitter and Instagram
- Pupil Reviews (termly Parent Consultations)
- Google Classroom (Y1-Y6) / Tapestry (EYFS)