



Year 3  
Spring 2 Term

**READING – Key Texts**

Sam Wu is not afraid of the Dark  
Operation Gadgetman

**WRITING**

Non-chronological reports  
First person narrative descriptions

**SPELLING CONCEPTS**

Revisit previously taught concepts

**PSHE – Healthy Me**

Piece 1: Being fit and healthy – making healthy choices  
Piece 2: Being fit and healthy – balanced diet  
Piece 3: What do I know about drugs? – being physically active  
Piece 4: Being safe  
Piece 5: Safe and unsafe  
Piece 6: My Amazing Body

**RE**

Why are festivals important to religious people?

**PE**

Multi Sports activities

**ENRICHEMENT**

Hawaiian Luau and dress up day

**MATHS**

**Fractions**

Understand the denominators of unit fractions  
Compare and order unit fractions  
Understand the numerators of non-unit fractions  
Understand the whole  
Compare and order the non-unit fractions  
Fractions and scales  
Fractions on a number line  
Count in fractions on a number line  
Equivalent fractions on a number line  
Equivalent fractions as bar models

**Mass and capacity**

Use scales  
Measure mass in grams  
Measure mass in kilograms and grams  
Equivalent masses (kilograms and grams)  
Compare mass  
Add and subtract mass  
Measure capacity and volume in millilitres  
Measure capacity and volume in litres and millilitres  
Equivalent capacities and volumes (litres and millilitres)  
Compare capacity and volume  
Add and subtract capacity and volume

**GOEGRPAHY**

Where on a map are the continents and oceans of the world?  
In which hemisphere is Tresco located?  
What are the geographical features of England?  
How are the geographical features of England different to Malta?  
**Lesson 1** - Where does the River Wandle flow through?  
What river is it, where is the source, outlet etc)?  
What is the Coulsdon Bourne?  
What happens to river water when it reaches the sea?  
What different information can two different maps of the same place give? Which is better? How do you use four figure grid references? What are the five different ways islands are formed?  
Do continental islands tend to have more human development than barrier islands?  
What are the Galapagos islands located?

**HISTORY**

Who was Darwin and what are the Galapagos islands?  
What do Darwin's original logs say about the flora he found on Galapagos Islands?  
What do Darwin's original logs say about the fauna he found on Galapagos Islands?

**ART**

What differences are there in fabric colour and patterns from islands around the world?  
What image have you designed to repeat to make a pattern?  
How does your final fabric design use repeating patterns and colour?  
What colour, lines and shape can you see on different stamps?  
Why do you think the stone heads were created on Easter Island?  
How did the work of a famous artist inspire your own artwork?  
What design have you made for an island stamp thinking about colour, lines and shape?