





St. Botolph's Curriculum Overview - 2025-2026

Year 3

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Country focus	 GREAT BRITAIN 			 ITALY 		
English (reading texts)	Around the world Little Bo Peep The eye What is light? Amazing eyes Food chains Ocean food chains Country comparisons	Krag and the beast Skara Brae Black Pearls Cove Stone houses The place for me The Stone Age Seas and oceans All about the Iron Age	History of comics The Eiffel Tower Jack and Jill Incy Wincy Little Green turtle Viracocha	Important animals On a mission Cleopatra The Police Culture	Famous Italians Ancient to modern Microhabitats Habitat loss The Place for me When the grass grew	The story of Marie Rose The skeleton Tremors A branch in time Puddled Geography
Class books	How To Train Your Dragon, The Butterfly Lion, The Nothing To See Here Hotel, The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe, The Nightbus Hero, All About Ella					
English (writing)	Diary entry Narrative Non-chronological report	Letter Narrative Explanation	Poetry Biography Persuasive advert	Description Diary Instructions	Letter Poetry	Narrative Persuasive letter
Mathematics	Place Value Addition & Subtraction Multiplication & Division		Multiplication & Division Length & Perimeter Fractions Mass & Capacity		Fractions Money Time Shape Statistics	

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Science	Biology Animals including humans Nutrition Skeletons Muscles	Physics Forces Push, pull and twist Friction	Chemistry Rocks and soils Types of rock Fossils and fossil formation Types of soil	Biology Plants Identify functions of parts of plants Requirements of plants for life and growth Water transportation Life cycles including seed dispersal.	Physics Light What is light? What is darkness? Shadows Sun protection	Physics Magnets and magnetic materials How magnets repel/attract each other and other materials
History	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age		Local study - changes to one street over the years	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain		
Geography		Counties in the East Midlands Geographical Features Of Britain - Snowdonia - mountains Rivers & Water Cycle			Name & Locate Countries & Capital Cities Of Europe	Volcanoes (land use & settlements)
Art & Design	Making Pots - Sculpture					Da Vinci's' The Last Supper'
Design & Technology			Inspiration - Laura Ashley Create a corner bookmark - stitching		Preparing & Cooking Pizza	

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Religious Education	What is the Trinity & why is it important to Christians?	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	What do Christians learn from the Creation story?	How do festivals and worship show what matters to Muslims?	What kind of a world did Jesus want?	How and why do people try to make the world a better place?
PE	Fundamentals Football	Ball Skills Dodgeball	Hockey Gymnastics	Outdoor & Adventurous Activities Dance	Netball Cricket	Athletics
PSHE	Myself & My Relationships: My Emotions	Myself & My Relationships: Anti-bullying	Healthy & Safer Lifestyles: Personal Safety	Citizenship: Rights, rules & responsibilities	Healthy Lifestyles: Managing Safety & Risk	Economic Wellbeing: Financial Capability
Computing	Connecting Computers Online safety: Password Power Up The Power of Words		Programming A Sequencing Sounds Online safety: Who is in your online community Is Seeing Believing?		Programming B Events & Actions in Programs Online safety: This is me Your Rings of Responsibility	
Music	Unit 2 – Let Your Spirit Fly (R&B) (+Christmas Production)		Unit 4: A Dragon Story (A Pop song that tells a story)		Unit 5 - Bringing Us Together (Disco) Unit 6 - Reflect, Rewind and Replay (classical)	
Languages	I Am Learning French	Animals	Fruit	I Am Able... I Know How...	In The Classroom	Do You Have A Pet?