#### St Mary's Curriculum Map

Year: 3 Class: 12 Summer 1 2022 Theme: Cities and Light

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This curriculum information will help you to help and support your child's learning this term. The Curriculum Map shows the main areas of learning that your child will undertake during this term.

## A summary of our learning for this half term:

During this half term Class 12 will start to compare the city of Chester with our town of Crewe. We will learn about the impact the Romans had on our country and how this can still be seen. The children will study local maps and create maps of our local area. We will also spend time learning about Crewe and its heritage and how our town has changed over time. During Science the children will learn about light and how we can make things easier to see at night. We will investigate shadows and how we can change the shape of them. PE will involve continuing their gymnastics and then moving outside to complete their athletics sessions. During French the children, be learning a French story called 'Les Quatre Amis' and starting to write simple sentences. The focus will also be on learning colours, the names of some animals and how they move. The children will continue their guitar tuition each week and learning to perform simple songs from memory. During the children's RHE sessions they will explore their relationship with the wider world and how they can serve their community.

## Key Vocabulary across the wider curriculum includes:

coordinates	landmark	county	agriculture	
counties	recreation	retail	Rural	
scale	industrial	urban	symbol	
compass	labels/annotations	cartographer	key	

# Through our RE lessons this term the pupils will study the following:

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#### **Celebrating Easter and Pentecost**

This topic is designed to develop the children's knowledge and understanding of Easter and Pentecost through the Story of Emmaus and through Acts 2: 1-13 (Pentecost). The children will reflect on the celebration of new life and on the signs and symbols of the Easter season. They will reflect on the importance of belief through the story of 'Doubting Thomas'. They will learn about the symbols and fruits of the Holy Spirit and reflect on how the Holy Spirit helps them to live their lives.

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#### **Unit: Relate**

This module is focused on teaching children the importance of being able to relate or get along with others in order to have positive relationships. It uses the character strengths lens to illustrate the need to be able to see other perspectives in order to build relationships. Through lots of examples and discussion, the children learn about two key skills that will serve them well in relationship building; Active Listening and Stop, Understand and Consider.

#### Religious Understanding – Children can describe that:

Realtionship and Health Education

(RHE)

- God is Love as shown by the Trinity a 'communion of persons supporting each other in their self-giving relationship.'
- The human family can reflect the Holy Trinity in charity and generosity
- The Church family comprises home, school and parish (which is part of the dioceses)

#### Living in the Wider World – Children can explain:

- That God wants His Church to love and care for others
- Practical ways of loving and caring for others

	English	Maths		
This half term	Hansel and Gretel – Anthony Browne	Fractions		
our learning				
will be:	For our first piece of writing this half	The children will continue their mathematical		
	term the children will be entering the	journey with fractions by learning about		
	world of Anthony Browne's version of	equivalent fractions, comparing fractions and		
	Hansel and Gretel. With its stunning art	then adding and subtracting fractions. At the		
	work the children will be learning about atmospheric writing and how to create	end of the unit the children solve problems, applying all the new skills they've learned.		
	suspense.	applying all the new skills they ve learned.		
	suspense.	Time		
	The Day the Crayons Quit – Persuasive	Time		
	Writing	Following on from fractions the children will		
	When some crayons are not being used	learn about months, years, and how many		
	often enough they decide enough is	hours in a day. They will estimate time, tell		
	enough and quit! The children will be	time to 5 minutes and the nearest minute. The		
	learning how to write persuasively to	children will compare different durations and		
	convince them to return to their crayon	measure time in seconds.		
	box to be used once again.			

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P.E. Kit	In school each day. Taken home for a wash at holiday time. Please include both indoor
	and outdoor kit . Trainers are much better than black pumps please. Jogging bottoms are
	also requested when the weather becomes colder. Our PE day is <b>Friday</b> but we will also
	complete the golden mile when the weather allows on a different day.
To read at home	Please read between 2-3 times per week with an adult and send me a message on Class
	Dojo. I will give Dojos everytime I receive a message!
Homework	Weekly spellings to learn given out in a small red book every Monday. Test will be on
	Friday each week. Weekly homework given out via Microsoft TEAMS every Monday and
	due in by Friday of the same week. TTRS will be set online each week and a short quiz will
	be taken every Friday.
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Please avoid bringing backpacks to school due to space in our cloakrooms.

Please remember to check your Class Dojo app daily for up to date individual, school or specific class information.

Our School Website and Facebook Page are also vital sources of information.

#### **Diary Dates**

May 2022				
Monday	2 <sup>nd</sup>	BANK HOLIDAY- school Closed		

Tuesday	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Back to school	
Friday	6 <sup>th</sup>	VE day reflection day in school	
Friday	6 <sup>th</sup>	Class 11 Parent Assembly 9.15am	
Monday	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 SATS week	
Wednesday- Friday	18 <sup>th</sup> -20 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Residential Trip	
Wednesday	25 <sup>th</sup>	Yr 3-4 Queen's Platinum Jubilee Disco 5.00-6.00 pm	
		Yr 5-6 Queen's Platinum Jubilee Disco 6.15-7.15 pm	
Thursday	26 <sup>th</sup>	Nursery and Reception Phonics morning for parents (9:15am in	
		classes)	
Friday	27 <sup>th</sup>	Queen's Jubilee- Children wear Red, White and Blue	
		Class parties in the afternoon	
		School closes for Whitsun	
		June 2022	
Monday	6 <sup>th</sup>	Children Return to School	
Monday	6 <sup>th</sup>	Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check begin	
		Year 1 Phonic Screening begins	

Many Thanks for your continued support and co-operation. If you have any queries please contact us through Class Dojo in the first instance.

### 'IN THE JOY OF THE GOSPEL, WE WILL WORK TOGETHER TO BE KIND, FAIR, HONEST AND BECOME THE PEOPLE JESUS CALLS US TO BE'

#### Term Dates 2021 2022

	School Closes	School re-opens
Summer 2021		Thursday 2nd September 2021
Autumn Half Term	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> October	Monday 1st November
Christmas 2021	Friday 17th December	Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January
Spring Half Term 2022	Friday 18th February	Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> February
Easter 2022	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> April	Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May
May Day	Mond	ay 2nd May
Summer Half Term	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June
Summer 2022	Friday 22nd July 2022	

#### Good Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April Easter Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2022

5 INSET (Staff Training) DAYS: Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021, Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2021, Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022, Monday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2022, Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> July 2022

School will be closed on Friday 18th March in lieu of the additional Jubilee Bank Holiday

