#### English

Information Text:

- What is an information text?
- Writing one about the capital cities of the UK

#### Descriptive language:

- Looking at myths and legends from around the UK
- Robin Hood, George and the Dragon, The ٠ Loch Ness Monster and others

Grammar, punctuation and spelling

- Capital letters for proper nouns
- Using subordinating conjunctions ٠
- Vowel sounds spelt ai, ei, ey
- Suffixes using ly to create adverbs ٠
- Homophones
- Words from the Y3 statutory word list ٠

### Reading

 Texts linked to the Patron Saints of England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland

Art/DT

#### Maths

Multiplication and Division

- Recap times tables knowledge. ٠
  - Dividing a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number - using partitioning.
- Problem solving. ٠

#### Measurement

- Measure objects using cm and m. ٠
- Convert m to cm and km to m.
- Solve word problems linked to length.
- Read weighing scales.
- Read scales using g and kg.
- Solve word problems linked to mass.

# **Our Island Home**

## Year 3 Topic Overview

Term 3

# **Our Big Question**

# How do stories from the past influence today?

Concepts Creation, Diversity, Source, Power

Learning Links Y2 – Monuments – Great Fire of London Y4 – Oxford City Landmarks

#### Science

#### Light

- Understand that light is needed to see • things
- Identify sources of light •
- Recognise how shadows are formed
- Find patterns in the way that sizes of shadows change.

# Geography/History

United Kingdom

- The difference between the British Isles and the United Kingdom.
- Using maps to identify rivers, seas and mountains in the UK
- Counties of England
- How places change over time
- The Union Jack

# RE

Islam – The Five Pillars of Faith

# Computing

Creating media - desktop publishing

- Recognise how text and images convey meaning
- Change font styles, size and colours knowing content and layout can be edited
- Choose appropriate page settings. •
- Paste texts and images.
- Choose different layouts to match the purpose

### PSHE

Growth Mindset

Dreams and goals - Aspirations, how to achieve goals and understanding the emotions that go with this.

Typography Textiles – using sewing techniques to create an applique fabric square.

# Music/French

We will have music or French on a Monday afternoon. Each class has two terms of each over the year.

PE Real PE – Creative Skills– Coordination and Counter balance.

Gym – Physical Skills – travel and rotation.