**Literature Foci (WC and GR)**

**TEXTS**

* **The Day the Crayons Quit**
* **The Hodgeheg**
* **Into the Forest**
* **Mary Anning**
* **Plus range of non chronological reports**

**Music**

* **Hymn Practise – Weekly**
* **Musical recall**
* **Listen to music from different cultures (French)**

**Art/DT Projects**

* **Elements of Art**
* **Pencil Drawings of Landmarks / Sketching**
* **Seurat and Van Gogh styles of Eiffel Tower**

**IT**

* **Online Safety: recognising acceptable and unacceptable behaviour online; knowing the variety of ways to report**
* **Researching from internet, uploading and using photographs, producing information texts using Seesaw and Book Creator**

**MFL**

* **Greetings**
* **Conversation and Manners**

**RHE and PSHE**

* **Relationships and Families**
* **Emotions**
* **Life to the full**

**Science**

Rocks and Soils

* **Animals and Humans: health nutrition and skeleton**
* **Rocks in the Environment; Types of Rocks Sorting and Grouping Rocks**
* **Mary Anning and Fossils**
* **Soils and their properties**

**Local/Community Links (if relevant)**

* **Baptism at Church**
* **Harvest**
* **Visit from Father Louis and Deacon Tony**

**History/Geography Focus**

* **Continents and Oceans**
* **Equator and Tropics**
* **UK – 4 countries.**
* **Cities in the UK**
* **8 Compass directions**
* **Focus on compare two European capital cities (London and Paris)**
* **Researching Paris and its geography.**

**Associated Writing Pieces**

* **Letter – related to ‘The day the crayons quit’**
* **Letters home**
* **Non Chronological Reports on Paris**
* **City Poetry**

**PE**

* **Indoor: OAA and Yoga**
* **Outdoor: Football and Cricket**

**Associated Grammar**

* **Use of Conjunctions to join ideas**
* **a / an**
* **Paragraphs, headings and subheadings**
* **Proof reading for spelling and punctuation errors**
* **Dictation with high frequency words**
* **Punctuating sentences**

**Spelling**

**Y3 Essential Spellings Scheme**

**Religious Education**

* **Families**
* **Our Baptisms / Signs and Symbols**
* **Parish Family and community**
* **Titles for Mary**
* **The Annunciation and The Visitation**
* **Making links with these stories and Christian beliefs**
* **Christmas Preparations / Symbols**

**Maths**

* **Place Value**
* **Addition and Subtraction: mental methods, formal column methods, estimation and problem solving**
* **Multiplication and Division: Revision of 2s, 5s, 10s**

Theme and Key Questions

**Comparing Localities: Local area and Paris**

**How are these places similar/different?**