

# Year 3 – Summer 1 2025

## English

In English, we will be reading 'The Queen's Token' by Pamela Oldfield, which is a historical adventure set in Tudor times. We will use this book as the inspiration for our own writing, including writing a letter to the King to apply for job as a gardener and a job advert for a chosen Tudor job. We will also watch 'The Prince and the Pauper,' comparing life for rich and poor Tudors before writing in role.

## Maths

In Maths, we will continue to look closely at multiplication and division methods before moving onto learning about fractions.

## Computing

In Computing we will be exploring databases using the Purple mash software 2Question. We will be inputting data and exploring different ways in which we can use this. We will also use 2Stimulation to explore what simulations are.

## Science

In Science we will be learning animals including humans and more closely at nutrition and the formation of animals and humans.

## CLICK

In CLICK we will be learning all about The Tudors. We will learn about life in Tudor times, including all about King Henry VIII and his six wives.

## RE

We will continue learning about Sikh spiritual teachers, known as 'gurus' and the first Sikh Guru, Guru Nanak.

**PE Kit:** plain t-shirt, plain shorts/leggings/joggers, plain jumper/hoodie, pumps or trainers.  
**No jewellery to be worn in these lessons.**



Relationship



**GROW**  
inside outside

We will have GROW every Friday. GROW will link to both our CLICK and Science topics.

## Science

## Vocabulary

Endoskeleton  
Exoskeleton  
Hydroskeleton  
Invertebrate  
Vertebrate  
Nutrients



# The Tudors

## Home Learning

We will issue weekly homework activities tailored to the individual Maths and Literacy groups, along with some topic based activities.

They should also read to an adult at least 3 times a week at home and should keep practising the 2,3,4,5,8 and 10 times tables. Children who complete homework will be rewarded in class.

Subject	Key Vocabulary	
<b>The Tudors</b>	Chronological Order	The sequencing of events in the order in which they occurred
	B.C.	Stands for 'Before Christ'
	A.D.	Stands for 'Anno Domino' (this means 'in the year of the Lord') the year Jesus was born
	Reign	The period of a King or Queen's rule.
	Henry VIII	One of England's most famous monarchs. He ruled England from 1485 to 1603.
	Divorce	Divorce is when two adults decide that they want to separate and legally end their marriage.
	Beheaded	To cut off someone's head, especially as a punishment in Tudor times.
	Explorer	Explorers are people who have been the first in going to new places.
	Wattle and daub	Wattle and daub is a building method used for making walls and buildings. Woven lattice of wooden strips called "wattle" is "daubed" with a sticky material usually made of some combination of wet soil, clay, sand, animal dung and straw.