

St Swithun Wells Catholic Primary School

Curriculum Overview 2026-2027 Year 3

Catholic Social Teaching Principles

1. Dignity 2. Solidarity 3. Common Good 4. The option for the poor 5. Peace 6. Care for Creation 7. The dignity of work and participation

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Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Visits/ Family			Butser Farm			
RE	Creation and Covenant	Prophecy and Promise	Galilee to Jerusalem	Desert to Garden	To the Ends of the Earth	Dialogue and Encounter
Science	Rocks (CST links: Care for creation, Common Good).	Animals including humans (CST links: Care for Creation, common Good, Human Dignity).	Forces and Magnets (CST links: Care for creation, Common Good).	Light (CST links: Care for creation, Common Good).	Plants (CST links: Care for creation, Common Good, Preferential option for the poor).	
Longitudinal Study	Is all life in the pond interdependent?					
History		The stone Age (CST links: Care for Creation, Human Dignity).	The stone Age (CST links: Care for Creation, Human Dignity).		The Romans (CST links: Solidarity, Human Dignity, Common Good).	The Romans (CST links: Solidarity, Human Dignity, Common Good).
Geography	Where does chocolate come from?			Are volcanoes more		

	(CST links: Care for Creation, Human Dignity, Dignity of Work and Participation, Social Justice, Preferential Option for the Poor).			dangerous than earthquakes? (CST links: Care for creation, Common Good).		
Computing (CST link: Common Good)	Connecting Computers	Stop-frame animation	Sequencing sounds	Branching databases	Desktop publishing	Events and actions in programs
PE (CST links: Human Dignity, Common Good).	Football Indoor Ball Games	Netball Creative Dance-Through the Ages	Hockey Skipping	OAA Team Games	Athletics Gymnastics Individual Sequence	Rounders Creative Dance-Rain forest
Music (CST links: Human Dignity, Common Good)	Listen 2 Me <i>Duration, timbre</i>	Listen 2 Me <i>Duration, timbre</i>	Listen 2 Me <i>Pitch, dynamics, tempo</i>	Listen 2 Me <i>Pitch, dynamics, tempo</i>	Listen 2 Me <i>Texture, structure</i>	Listen 2 Me <i>Texture, structure</i>
Art (CST links: Human Dignity, Common Good)	Rocks		Stone Age	Plants and recycling		
Design Technology (CST links: Human Dignity, Common Good,		Picture Frames			Roman Chariot	Cooking and Nutrition

Care for Creation).						
RSHE	Class Rules and Routines Get Up! The Sacraments Jesus, My Friend	Family, Friends and Others... When Things Feel Bad Balancing Needs Anti-Bullying Week Parliament Week	Sharing Online Chatting Online Safe in My Body* Recognising Risks	Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco First Aid Heroes Rights and Responsibilities	A Community of Love What is the Church?	How Do I Love Others? Working Together
MFL (CST links: The common Good)	Greetings	Animals	Animals	Musical Instruments	I can...	