



**Year: 3 Term: 3 Topic: Cornwall**

In Term 3, students will embark on an exciting journey to explore **Cornwall**, focusing on its **physical and human features**. They will learn about key aspects such as **land use, tourism, the economy, and significant landmarks** that make Cornwall a unique region of Britain.

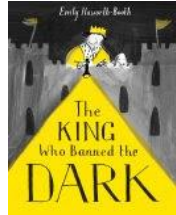
**Big Bang: A taste of Cornwall**

This term, our Big Bang project will take place on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2026. The day will be all about **Cornwall**, where children will embark on a "Day Out" learning about fun facts and the rich history of this fascinating region. They will participate in an exciting interactive quiz and, in the afternoon, get hands-on by making some delicious **Cornish scones**.

**Trip:**

n/a

Our Learning Overview



**Our Topics**

**English**

**In English**, we will be using *The King Who Banned the Dark* as inspiration for their writing. They will focus on developing persuasive writing skills by planning and writing a persuasive letter, using strong arguments and language to influence the reader

**Maths**

**In Maths**, our focus this term will be on developing confidence and accuracy in multiplication and division, with pupils practising a range of strategies to solve problems efficiently.

**Science**

**In Science**, our lessons will explore **light**, allowing students to investigate how light travels, how shadows are formed, and the ways light interacts with different materials.

**Geography**

**In Geography**, we will be learning about Cornwall, focusing on its physical and human features. Pupils will explore famous landmarks, tourism, and how local communities earn their income. Our key question this term is: *True or False – Cornwall is an interesting place to visit?* Pupils will explain and justify their views.

**Art**

**In Art**, pupils will study the artist **Hokusai**, with a focus on *The Great Wave*. They will explore his distinctive style and learn about the techniques he used. Pupils will develop their drawing and sketching skills by experimenting with line, shape, and detail, using Hokusai's work as inspiration to create their own pieces

**RE**

**In RE**, our focus for this term is **Worship in Christianity**. Students will explore what worship is, the different types of worship, and the various acts of worship, while also reflecting on the role of faith in these practices.

**PSHE**

**In PSHE**, our focus this term will be on **Dreams and Goals**. Students will explore their dreams and ambitions, learn how to face new challenges, overcome obstacles, and stay motivated to achieve their goals.

**French**

**In French**, our topic this term is **'All About Me'**. Students will learn to follow instructions, identify colours, name body parts, and describe what they are wearing—all in French.

**Homework**

Year 3 homework

TTRS – daily (3 minutes a day)  
Spelling Shed - 4 times a week

Reading - daily

Key dates:

Year 3 Big Bang – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Intra House competition – Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2026

Parents welcome afternoon – Big Cornwall debate  
Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February  
1:30pm to 2:30pm

Key information:

Year 3 Pe days  
*Tuesday and Thursday*

