

Annual Overview for Heron Class for 2026-2027

	City	Mathematician	Author/ Reader	Scientist	Geographer Historian	Computing	Linguist	Philosopher	Musician	Engineer	Artist	Athlete
Autumn 1: How are lives saved?	Giving City	Number and Place Value Addition/subtraction/multiplication/division TTRockstars arithmetic	Poetry – The Final Year Non chronological report – healthy living Explanation text – how the heart works Pig Heart boy Diary entry	Animals including humans: – body mechanics Circulatory system, drugs, nutrients. Science investigation – investigating heart rates	Local history study - local medical pioneer/ history of a local hospital/Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance charity	Computing systems and networks – Communication and collaboration	<u>Language Angels</u> [Spanish] Phonetics 1 and 2 Presenting myself	<u>Jigsaw</u> – New Beginnings, Say no to bullying. Class charter RE – Islam - how does tawhid create a sense of belonging to the Muslim community?	<u>Charanga:</u> Listening & appraising, singing, improvisation “Happy”	Blood smoothies	Scientific drawings of the heart	Outdoor sports including tag rugby, Bootcamp Outdoor Education (Osmington Bay PGL)
Autumn 2: What have we learnt from the Ancient Greeks?	My City	Fractions and mixed numbers – comparing and ordering. Adding , subtracting , multiplying and dividing fractions – fractions of amounts. Geometry – position and direction TTRockstars	Holes – Informal/ formal letters Fictional writing – missing chapter and sequel to story. Persuasive leaflet Manifesto writing		Study of Ancient Greek life and achievements – looking at their influence on the western world.	Creating media – web page creation	My family	Jigsaw -Getting on and falling out <u>RE</u> -Christianity How do Christians show their belief that Jesus is God incarnate?	Charanga : “Classroom jazz”	Christmas decorations		Football/ gymnastics
Spring 1: Linnaeus and Darwin - how are they connected?	Creative City	Multiplying and dividing by 10,100 and 1000, Multiplying and dividing decimals by integers Converting fractions to decimals and vice versa Percentages Algebra Multiplication/ TTRockstars	Biography – Darwin non chronological report Darwin's dragons – adventure story/writing in role/setting description/news paper report	living things and their habitats. Classification and biography of Carl Linnaeus. Biology – micro-organisms Biology – Evolution and inheritance Charles Darwin		Programming – variables in Games	The Date	Jigsaw - Going for Goals RE –Hinduism How do questions about Brahman and atman influence the way a Hindu lives?	Charanga : “A Christmas carol”		Practise drawing and painting technique Study botanical drawings and create their own	Netball, Hockey aerobic activity to music (fitness)
Spring 2: Who were the greater Engineers- The Ancient Britons or the Victorians?	Moving City	Measurement – converting units Area, perimeter and volume Ratio Multiplication /TTRockstars	Street Child Diary entry/writing in role Persuasive/formal writing Historical narrative Descriptive writing		History – Changes in Britain from the stone age to the Iron Age Comparing two eras – knowing what was achieved by the Victorians and the Stone age through to the Iron Age.	Data and information – introduction to spreadsheets	Do you have a Pet?	Jigsaw -Good to be me. RE – Buddhism How does the Triple Refuge help Buddhists in their journey through life?	Charanga : “You’ve got a friend”	Learn skills to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce structures.	Practise art and design techniques .	Striking and fielding Gym fit circuits and fitness)

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Summer 1: Why are shadows important?	Playful City	Statistics Properties of shape Multiplication/ TTRockstars	"The Present" Dialogue/narrative "Miles to Fly" Dialogue/narrative Science investigation-shadows.	Light Recognise light travels in straight lines. Objects can be seen because they give off light or reflect light to the eye. Shadows. Science investigation –	Use historical skills to explain the importance of scientific discovery.	Creating media – 3D modelling using Tinkercad	Do you have a pet?	Jigsaw – Relationships. RE – Christianity Should believing in the resurrection change how Christians view life and death?	Charanga : "Music and me"	Batik cushion design and creation	Use differed light sources to draw shadows Learn about great artists (Jason Mecier/Andy Warhol.	Tennis, Athletics Sports day
Summer 2: Where does our food really come from? What is your footprint?	Wild City Future City	Recap on all areas through investigations and project work Preparation for KS3 Multiplication /TTRockstars	Poetry – The Highwayman Playscripts - Shakespeare -retelling of Romeo and Juliet. formal /informal letter writing.	Electricity More complex circuits represented in a diagram. Consider and compare number and voltage of cells used in a circuit.	Geography – locating the world's countries on a map Describe settlement and land use, economic activity and trade links. Use 8 point compass and grid references Physical geography	Programming – sensing movement using the microbit.	The Home	Jigsaw – Changes/ Transition to secondary RE - Humanism Why do Humanists say happiness is the goal of life?	Charanga : Reflect, rewind, replay.	Understand and apply the principles of a healthy diet Prepare and cook a variety of dishes Understand seasonality and know where and how a variety of ingredients are grown, processed etc.		Rounders Cricket, Fitness