

Year 5 Curriculum Map 2026-2027

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	Fiction: Historical Story Non-Fiction: Non-chronological report Poetry: Mountain Poetry Class Text: Anglo Saxon Boy	Fiction: Story set in a familiar setting Non-Fiction: Diary entry Class Text: The boy at the back of the classroom	Fiction: Animals during war time story Non-Fiction: Informal Letter Poetry: Space poetry Class Text: War Horse	Fiction: Fantasy Story Non-Fiction: Autobiography Class Text: Clockwork	Fiction: Adventure Story Non-Fiction: Formal Letter Class Text: The Explorer	Fiction: Survival Story Non-Fiction: Balanced argument Poetry: Ocean poetry Class Text: True Survivors
Maths	Place Value Addition Subtraction	Multiplication & Division A Fractions A	Multiplication & Division B Fractions B Percentages & Decimals	Perimeter & Area Statistics	Shape Position & Direction Decimals	Negative Numbers Converting Unit Volume
Science	Materials: Mixtures and Separation	Materials: Properties and Changes	Forces and Space: Earth and Space	Living Things: Life Cycles and Reproduction	Forces and Space: Unbalanced Forces	Animals: Human Timeline Making Connections: Does the size of an asteroid affect the diameter of its impact crater?
Computing	Online Safety. Computing systems and networks	Creating Media: Animations	Programming A: Sequencing sounds	Data and Information: Branching databases	Creating Media: Desktop publishing	Programming B: Events and actions in programmes
History	Who were the Anglo-Saxons and what changed in Britain after the Anglo-Saxon invasion?		The Vikings: Were the Vikings raiders, traders or something else?		The Maya Civilisation: How did the achievements of the ancient Maya impact their society and beyond?	
Geography	What is life like in the Alps?		Why does population change?		Why do oceans matter?	
DT	Structure: Bridges		Textiles: Stuffed Toys		Cooking and Nutrition: Developing a recipe	
Art	Craft and Design: Architecture		Drawing: I need space		Painting and Mixed Media: Portraits	
Music	Musical theatre		Blues		South and West Africa	
RE	What do people think about God? Why doesn't Christianity always look the same?	Why do people have to stand up for what they believe in?	What happens when we die? (Part 1)	What happens when we die? (Part 2)	Who should get to be in charge?	Why are some places in the world significant to believers?
PE	Gymnastics Tag Rugby	Handball Football	Dance Volleyball	Orienteering Gymnastics 2	Fitness Netball	Rounders Athletics

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PSHE	Families and Relationships	Health and Wellbeing	Safety and the changing body	Citizenship	Economic Wellbeing	Transition to Year 6
Spanish	Phonetics	The Date	Do you have a pet?	My Home	The Olympics	Clothes
Trips, Workshops and Topic days				Hooke Court Residential	Sports Day	