



Y5 Curriculum Overview 2024-2025

Subject	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Maths	Number: Place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division Measure: Area and perimeter	Multiplication and division Fractions Decimals and percentages	Decimals Geometry of shape Position and Direction Measure _ converting Units Volume
English	Fiction – The Arrival Narrative Writing to inform – biographies, reports, diaries and letters Class book: Boy At The Back Of The Class	Fiction – Oh Maya Gods Non – fiction - The Maya: Clever Ideas and Inventions from Past Civilisations Narrative Writing to entertain – poetry Class book: Oh Maya Gods	Fiction – The Explorer Non-Fiction – Rainforest in 30 seconds Writing to argue – speeches Writing to explain – explanations Writing to inform – reports Class book: The Explorer
Science	Independent investigation for Science Fair Space – Why don't we see the moon all the time?	Life cycles and reproduction - Do all animals start life as an egg? How do we grow and change? Material properties - What is the best material to make a coffee cup from?	Material changes – Are all material changes reversible? Forces – Can you feel the force?
RE	Discovery RE Theme: Belief into action Sikhism - How far would a Sikh go for his/ her religion? Understanding Christianity Concept: Incarnation Was Jesus the Messiah?	Discovery RE Theme: Beliefs and moral values Sikhism - Are Sikh stories important today? Understanding Christianity Concept: Salvation What do Christians believe Jesus did to save Human Beings?	Discovery RE Theme: Beliefs and moral values Hinduism - Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha help Hindus lead good lives? Understanding Christianity Concept: God What does it mean (for Christians) if God is holy and loving?
History & Geography	Geography focus Local to global - Why does population change?	History focus Continuity and change – What did the ancient Mayan civilisation achieve?	Geography focus Humans and the world – How have humans impacted the rainforest?
PE	Yoga Dance Real PE Hockey	Basketball Impact Project (U&U) Football Real PE	Athletics Tennis Yoga Ultimate Frisbee
Art	Drawing/sketching with charcoal Artist study: Shaun Tan	Landscape collage	Cardboard sculptures – animal masks Artist study: Darrell Wakelam
DT	Kapow unit: Structures - bridges	Cooking and nutrition	Kapow unit: Textiles – stuffed toys
Computing	Kapow unit: Y5 Online safety Kapow unit: Computing systems and networks: search engines	Safer Internet Day Kapow unit: Programming: music	Kapow unit: Y6 Online Safety Kapow unit: Creating media: Stop motion animation
PSHE	Jigsaw unit: Being me in My World Jigsaw unit: Celebrating difference	Jigsaw unit: Dreams and Goals Jigsaw unit: Healthy Me	Jigsaw unit: Relationships Jigsaw unit: Changing Me/SRE

Roots to grow, wings to fly

Music	Kapow unit: Blues Kapow unit: Looping and remixing	Kapow unit: Composition notation Kapow unit: South & West Africa	Kapow unit: Composition to represent the festival of colour (Holi) Kapow unit: Musical theatre
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