

Year 5 Curriculum Overview  
2025-2026  
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	Autumn 1 8 weeks	Autumn 2 7 weeks	Spring 1 6 weeks	Spring 2 5 weeks	Summer 1 6 weeks	Summer 2 7 weeks
Class novels	Artemis Fowl Eoin Colfer	The Ice Bear Miracle Cerrie Burnell	In the Red Christopher Swiedler	Wildspark Vashti Hardy	Kensuke's Kingdom Michael Morpurgo	Who let the Gods out? Maz Jones
English	<u>The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe</u> Non-chronological report Fiction Narrative	<u>Food Glorious Food</u> Stories with historical settings Film & Play Scripts Classic Narrative Poetry	<u>Earthlings</u> Science Fiction narrative Information booklets Poems with a structure	<u>Inventors and Inventions</u> Novel as a theme Magazine: Info Text Hybrid	<u>An Amazon Adventure</u> Stories from other cultures Debate - a persuasive speech	<u>Easter, Higher, Stronger</u> Myths Non-chronological report Poems with figurative language
Maths	Place Value Addition & Subtraction Statistics Geometry - Angles Geometry & Measures	Multiplication Division Fractions Area Time	Place Value Addition & Subtraction Multiplication Measures Geometry	Fractions Geometry Measurement Statistics Bar Modelling	Place Value Statistics Geometry Addition & Subtraction Multiplication	Division Fractions Percentages Statistics Measurement
Science	How do the properties of a material affect its uses?	Can all changes be reversed?	How does space link to time?	Is the world full of invisible forces?	How do humans grow and changes?	Are all lifecycles the same?
Geography		What is life like in the Alps?		Why do oceans matter?	Would you like to live in the desert?	
History	What was life like in Tudor England?		How did the achievements of the ancient Maya impact their society and beyond?			What is the legacy of the ancient Greek civilisation?
Computing	How do computer systems and networks work?	How can I create videos?	How do I use selection in physical computing?	How do I create flat-file databases?	How can I create vector graphics?	How do I use selection quizzes?

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DT	Doodlers			Pop-Up books	What could be healthier?	
Art	Typography and Maps		Mixed Media and City Scapes			Architecture - Dream big, dream small
PE	Swimming (2wk block) Rugby	Creative Games Orienteering	Dance Gymnastics	Gymnastics Football	Swimming (2wk block) Striking & Fielding	Wall and Net Tennis Athletics
RE	Christianity Why is it sometimes difficult to do the right thing?	Judaism Do people need laws to guide them?	Christianity How do people decide what to believe?	Christianity What do we mean by a miracle?	Hinduism What might Hindus learn from stories about Krishna?	Islam What is Hajj and why is it important to Muslims?
PSHE	What makes up a person's identity?	What decisions can people make with money?	How can we help in an accident or an emergency?	How can friends communicate safely?	How can drugs common to everyday life affect health?	What jobs would we like?
Music	Composition notion: Ancient Egypt	Blues	South and West Africa	Holi Festival	Looping and remixing	Musical theatre
French	My School, my subject	Time in the city	Healthy Eating	Colours, clothes, fashion shows	Out of this world	Going to the seaside