



Year 5 Curriculum Overview, 2023-2024

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
English Texts	Rainplayer, David Wisniewski	The Explorer, Katherine Rundell	The Magician's Nephew, C S Lewis	Jabberwocky, Lewis Carroll	Hidden Figures, Margot Lee Shetterly	Who Let the Gods Out? Maz Evans <i>(author visit)</i>
Humanities	History: The Maya	Geography: South America	History: Anglo Saxons	Geography: Latitude and Longitude	History: Ancient Greeks	
Science	Property & Changes of Materials	Changing States	Living Things and Their Habitats	Forces: Friction & Resistance	Earth and Space	Animals Including Humans
Art	Food and drink: Introduction to the elements of art Observational compositional drawing Observational painting inspired by chosen artist		South American Animals Observational drawing and material investigations Mixed-media animal piece Clay animal sculpture		Portraiture Observational self-portrait drawing Monoprint Pablo Picasso inspired poly tile print	
Design <i>(taught in rotation throughout the year)</i>	Food: Kitchen Skills		Textiles: Environmentally friendly Tote Bag		Product Design: Maze Game	
Music	African Story	Christmas Around the World	Pentatonic Scales	Ukulele 1	Night on Horror Hill Chromatic composition	Music Technology - Loops
Computing	Introduction to systems <i>Online safety</i>	Spreadsheets <i>Online safety</i>	Lightbot/Logo <i>Online safety</i>	Scratch <i>Online safety</i>	Hardware and History <i>Online safety</i>	Lego Mindstorms <i>Online safety</i>
RE	Christianity What do Christians believe about God?	Christianity What would Jesus do?	Creation What do people believe?	Buddhism What is the best way for a Buddhist to lead a good life?	Hinduism What is the best way for a Hindu to show commitment to God?	
PE	Fitness skills Health-Related Fitness	Core Performance: Dance/gym	Invasion Games: Handball	Core Performance: Gym/Dance/Outdoor Ed.	Athletics	
	Invasion Games: Football, Netball, Tag Rugby			Invasion Games: Hockey	Striking & Fielding: Cricket, rounders	Net & Wall Games: Tennis
PSHE	Friendships	Law and Human Rights	Health and Wellbeing		Relationships and Puberty (RSE)	Dreams and Goals
French	Introducing myself	Classroom language	Sentence building with animals	Adjectives that go before the noun	Giving opinions	French festivals and dictionary skills
Maths	Maths No Problem Ch1 Numbers to 1,000,000 Ch2 Whole numbers: Addition & Subtraction	Maths No Problem Ch3 Whole numbers: Multiplication & Division Ch4 Whole numbers: Word Problems Ch5: Graphs	Maths No Problem Ch6: Fractions Ch7: Decimals	Maths No Problem Ch8: Percentage Ch9: Geometry	Maths No Problem Ch10: Position & Movement Ch11: Measurements	Maths No Problem Ch12: Area & Perimeter Ch13: Volume

Article 29: Children's education should help them fully develop their personalities, talents and abilities. It should teach them to understand their own rights, and to respect other people's rights, cultures and differences. It should help them to live peacefully and protect the environment.