



Year 5 Curriculum Map 2026/27

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	Poetry - The Most Dangerous Animal in the World Narrative, Adventure – One Small Step	Non-chronological report – Emperor Penguins Narrative – The Snowman	Narrative, Fantasy – Mr Morris Lessmore	Biography – David Attenborough Narrative – Macbeth	Poetry – The Highwayman Narrative – The Present	Non-Fiction, Balanced argument
Maths	Place value Addition and subtraction	Multiplication and division Fractions	Multiplication and division Fractions	Decimals and percentages Perimeter and area Statistics	Shape Position and direction Decimals	Decimals Negative numbers Converting units Volume
Science	Properties of Materials <i>How do the properties of materials determine how we use them?</i>	Changes of Materials <i>How can we tell whether a change to a material can be reversed?</i>	Forces <i>How do forces help us move, stop and change the world around us?</i>	Animals: Life cycles including humans <i>How do humans change as they grow older?</i>	Earth and Space <i>How does the Earth's place in space affect life on Earth?</i>	Living things and their habitats <i>How do living things grow, change and reproduce throughout their lives?</i>
History and Geography	History Remember, Remember! Gunpowder Plot <i>Was Guy Fawkes an honourable man?</i>	Geography Hot, Cold and In-between Biomes, Vegetation belts and climates. <i>How does climate affect life on earth?</i>	History: From Raiders to the Settlers Anglo-Saxons and the Book of Kells <i>What do the discoveries at Sutton Hoo and ancient illuminated texts reveal about</i>	Geography Putting Poulton on the map! Mapping (inc. digital and 6 fig) <i>What can we discover about our county when we look closely at a map?</i>	History: Great Kings! Vikings and Resistance. Vikings <i>Is it fair to describe all Vikings as brutal invaders?</i>	Geography From field to fork. Trade, economics, suitability and land use. <i>How does Geography decide what we produce and trade?</i>

			<i>Anglo-Saxon values and beliefs?</i>			
PE	Gymnastics Invasion Games (Netball)	Dance - Heroes and Villains Invasion Games (Rugby 1)	Gymnastics Net & Wall (Tennis)	OAA - Teamwork and Problem Solving Orienteering	Dance - Highway Man Athletics	Striking and Fielding (Cricket) Creative Games
Art and DT	Art Printing through the Plot (Jacobean Era)	Art Vector drawing (Digital drawing using Google Draw)	DT Serve a salad	Art Textiles - batik art	DT Pulley (plastic pollution)	DT Textiles - sewing
Music	Harvest Performance	Fresh Prince of Bel Air <i>Improvisation</i> <i>Appraisal</i> <i>Performance</i>	Ukulele lessons <i>Performance</i> <i>Professional instruction</i>	Ukulele lessons <i>Performance</i> <i>Professional instruction</i>	Classroom Jazz <i>Performance</i> <i>Instrument</i>	End of year performance <i>Performance</i>
Computing	Systems and Searching (Computing systems and networks)	Introduction to Vector Graphics (Creating Media)	Selection in Quizzes - Scratch (Programming A)	Video Production (Creating Media)	Flat-file Databases (Data and Information)	Selection in Physical Computing (Programming B)
RE	The Bible <i>How and why do Christians read the Bible?</i>	Christmas <i>How do our celebrations reflect the true meaning of Christmas?</i>	Jesus <i>Why do Christians believe Jesus was a great teacher?</i>	Easter <i>Why do Christians believe that Easter is a celebration of victory?</i>	Significant women in the Old Testament <i>Did she make the right choice?</i>	Loss, Death and Christian Hope <i>Is death an ending or a beginning?</i>
PSHE	Me and my Relationships	Valuing Difference	Keeping Safe	Rights and Respect	Being my Best	Growing and Changing
French	As-tu un animal? (Do you Have a pet? Animal vocabulary J'ai/I have, Je n'ai pas/I don't have, et/and)	Les formes (Shapes)	La Date (Days of the week, months of the year, writing the date in French)	Les Vetements (Vocab of clothes, colours and adjectival changes)	Les Planètes (Vocab of planets. Description, complex sentences and adjectival changes)	Quel Temps Fait-Il? (Weather vocab, days of the week, listening, speaking, present a weather forecast)
Class Novel	Black Powder by Ally Sherrick	The Girl who Speaks Bear by Sophie Anderson	Street Child by Berlie Doherty	When the Sky Falls by Phil Earle	A Kind of Spark by Elle McNicoll	Kick by Mitch Johnson

			Our Planet by Matt Whyman			
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