

Year 5 Curriculum Overview

Subject Area	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term				
English									
Key Texts/Stimuli	The Nowhere Emporium	The Nowhere Emporium	The Boy in the Tower	The Boy in the Tower	Street Child	Street Child			
Writing Genre	Character description Narrative writing	Note making Research Biography	Setting description Editing/Improving Non-chronological report	DASH writing Persuasive writing Newspaper report Editing/Improving	Non-chronological report Diary Character description Setting description	Interview Biography			
Grammar/ Composition & Effect	Pronouns Possessive pronouns Ambitious adjectives Adverbs Extended noun phrases Rhetorical questions Short sentences Ellipses Subordinate clauses Shifts in time Character interaction	Dictionary work Active and Passive voice Fronted adverbials Editing/Proof reading	Personification Similes Homophones Paragraphs	Personification Similes Adjectives Alliteration Adverbials Rhetorical questions Repetition Modal verbs Tense Formal tone Direct/indirect speech Determiners Relative clauses	Paragraphs, Sub-headings Tenses Formal language Upgrading sentences Personal pronouns Time connectives Informal tone Capital letters/full stops Extended noun phrases Conjunctions Fronted adverbials Speech Colons Semi-colons Dashes Character interaction	Active and passive voice			
Reading	Throughout each term, the KS2 reading content domains are focused on either as individual domains or as part of reading comprehensions: 2a give / explain the meaning of words in context 2b retrieve and record information / identify key details from fiction and non-fiction 2c summarise main ideas from more than one paragraph 2d make inferences from the text / explain and justify inferences with evidence from the text 2e predict what might happen from details stated and implied 2f identify / explain how information / narrative content is related and contributes to meaning as a whole 2g identify / explain how meaning is enhanced through choice of words and phrases 2h make comparisons within the text								
Maths	Number - Place Value Number - Addition & Subtraction	Number - Multiplication & Division Number - Fractions	Number - Multiplication & Division Number - Fractions	Number - Decimals & Percentages Measurement - Perimeter & Area Statistics	Geometry - Shape Geometry - Position & Direction Number - Decimals	Number - Negative Numbers Measurement - Converting Units Measurement - Volume			
Science	Earth and Space	Forces	Properties and Changes in Materials	Properties and Changes in Materials	Living Things and Habitats SCIENTIST STUDY - (David Attenborough (Naturalist and TV presenter)	Animals including Humans			



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Computing	Computing systems and networks - Sharing information		Creating media - Video editing	Data and Information - Flat file databases	Programming A - Selection in physical computing			
Geography	Comparing People and Places							
History			Ancient Greece		The Victorians and Local History Study			
PE	Dance	Dance	Gymnastics	Athletics	Games	Games and Outdoor Adventurous		
RE	How and Why do Christians Read the Bible? Judaism Buddhism Sikhism	Christmas Gospels	Jesus the Teacher	Easter - A Time of Victory?	Lives of Significant Women in the Bible Judaism (Festival of Purim)	Daniel - Did he make the right choice? Judaism		
PSHE	Me and My Relationships	Valuing Difference	Keeping Myself Safe	Rights and Responsibilities	Being My Best	Growing and Changing		
Art	Comparing People and Places Sketches of Alps and glaciers Contouring sketching and paint - Grand Canyon Creation of model mountain range		Ancient Greece Pottery making		Victorians Creating carpet and wallpaper for doll houses			
DT		Mechanical systems (pop-up book)	Structures (bridges)		Digital world (Monitoring devices CAD)			
Music	Composition notation (Ancient Egypt)	Christmas production	Blues		South and West Africa	Composition to represent the festival of colour		
PFL	Phonetics 3 (X) and Do you have a pet? (I)	My Home (I)	Olympics (I)	Habitats (I)	Clothes (I)	The Planets (P)		
British Values	Our Year 5 curriculum promotes the fundamental British Values of: Rule of Law; Mutual Respect; Individual Liberty; Democracy and Respect and Tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs in order to prepare the children for life in Modern Britain.							
Christian Values	The foundations of our Year 5 curriculum are our school Christian Values of: Love, Hope, Peace, Joy, Friendship, Compassion, Forgiveness, Service, Trust, Justice and Koinonia							