



# YEAR 5

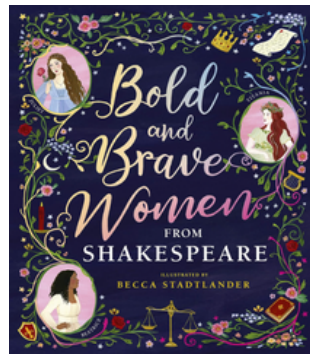
## SUMMER 2



### Dates to note:

Friday 19 th June - Make Music Day  
Monday 29 th June- INSET day – school closed to children  
Friday 3 rd July- Sports Day (weather permitting)  
Wednesday 15 th July - End of year reports to parents/carers  
Thursday 16 th July am – Y6 Leavers' assembly  
Evening – Y6 Prom  
Friday 17 th July End of term 1.15 pm

## We are reading...



## In Geography

### Would you like to live in the desert?

What is a hot desert biome?

Where are deserts located?






What physical features are found in deserts?

How can people use deserts?

What are the threats to deserts?

# Our virtues this half term are...

## Self-discipline

<b>Let's Say...</b> 	<b>Critical Thinking...</b> 
<p>Let's say...you are helping to build a desert settlement. You are part of a planning team for a new desert town. The government has asked us to design a settlement where people can survive in extreme heat. But there are problems: water is limited, food is scarce, and transport is difficult. We need your ideas. How will you get water? Where will people live? How can we adapt to the desert environment?</p>	<p>Problem solving, reasoning and justification, evaluating and comparing</p>
 <b>Writing Mastery Keys</b> 	 <b>Maths Block</b>
<p>Use relative clauses</p> <p>Use adverbs to indicate degrees of possibility</p> <p>Use a wider range of devices to build cohesion</p> <p>Link ideas through tense choices</p>	<p>Decimals and percentages</p> <p>Graphs and tables</p> <p>Measure - converting units and volume</p>

## **Science: Living Things: Human timeline**



<b>I can...</b> <p>Explain physical and developmental changes across the human lifespan</p> <p>Explain how puberty prepares the body for adulthood</p>	<b>I know ...</b> <p>A gestational period is the time an animal develops before birth</p> <p>Puberty is a stage of development caused by hormones that change children into adults</p>
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# Geography

## I can...

Use latitude and longitude (including the Prime Meridian) to describe location and time zones; identify and describe global climate zones, biomes, and vegetation belts and explain patterns of distribution.

Understand and describe biomes, climate zones, and vegetation belts in detail.

Art	DT
 <p data-bbox="247 521 571 577">My art gallery</p>	 <p data-bbox="801 533 1168 577">Electrical systems</p>
<p data-bbox="15 750 753 862">Confidently use sketchbooks for purposes including recording observations and research, testing materials and working towards an outcome more independently.</p>	<ul data-bbox="817 705 1513 1086" style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop design criteria with consideration for the target user, the purpose of their Doodler, a key function and the Doodler's form and final appearance (e.g. fun, bright, soft).</li> <li>• Explain simply why their Doodler has a certain configuration based on the findings of their investigation (e.g. I used four pens because the Doodler would fall over with two).</li> <li>• Create a functional Doodler that creates scribbles on paper with or without a switch.</li> </ul>

 <p data-bbox="215 1326 279 1370">RE</p> 	 <p data-bbox="976 1326 1104 1370">PSHE</p>   
<p data-bbox="156 1429 322 1473">Hinduism</p>	<p data-bbox="865 1438 1184 1482">Economic wellbeing</p>

## **PE (Athletics and tennis)**

- Sprint efficiently over short and long distances – use quick arm movements, stay tall, and control breathing to maintain speed.
- Pace yourself when running longer distances
- Jump with control and distance
- Throw with accuracy and power

Pass a baton smoothly in relays



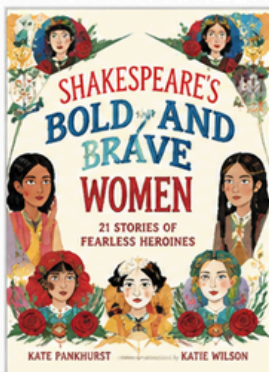
Tennis will be delivered by specialist coaches this half term.



# If you enjoy reading you may also enjoy...



## Recommended reads based on our current reading book:



*'Shakespeare's Bold and Brave Women: 21 Stories of Fearless Heroines' – Kate Pankhurst*



*'Fierce Fairytales & Other Stories to Stir Your Soul: Stories of Bold Women from Shakespeare' – Nikita Gill*



*'Tales from Shakespeare: Bold and Brave Women' – Anita Ganeri*

These books explore the strength, courage and determination of incredible women from Shakespeare's plays. Perfect if you enjoy stories about brave characters who stand up, speak out and make a difference!