

Year 5/6 Class Overview for Autumn Term 2025

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	
English	Three Little Pigs (newspaper report)	Percy Jackson (Mythical Narratives)	
	Speech, Formal language	Narrative - description, dialogue, action	
	The Promise (Descriptive narrative writing)	Mythologia (Non Chronological Reports)	
	Expanded noun phrases, writing in different tenses	Formal language,	
Maths	Place Value	Multiply and Divide	
	Add and Subtract	Fractions	
	Area and Perimeter	Angles	
Science	Classifying Organisms		
	To recap ways of grouping organisms according to their characteristics:		
	To explore ways of distinguishing between organisms that have similar characteristics		
	 To be able to classify plants according to their characteristics 		
	 To find out about Carl Linnaeus and his classification system. 		
	To explore what micro-organisms are and how they can be grouped.		
	 To be able to identify and classify organisms in 	in the local area.	
History	How did England change during the settlement of		
	Anglo Saxons after the Romans had left?		
	What was Britain like at the end of the Roma rule?	n	
	 Why did the Anglo Saxons come from and when and where were they from? 		



	 What was Mercia? How did Britain change after the Romans? What were the Anglo Saxon Kingdoms? Describe the conversion of the British Isles 	
Geography		 Where are the main features of South America? (Brazil, in particular) Know the names of and key features of South American countries Find out about time zones and how time differs between the UK and South America to find out more about about Brazil
Computing	Online safety Networks	Graphing Blogging
Art and Design	Drawing and Sketchbooks The Drawing Journey Age 9 - 11 We will be investigating mark making and learning a range of drawing techniques, whilst exploring different drawing tools and materials.	



Design Technology		Structures - Playgrounds Research a range of play equipment before designing and making mini structures that could be used in a playground
PE	Striking and Fielding Coach Kelly will be teaching us different techniques which we will then apply to games. We will focus upon speed, direction, control, spatial awareness and agility.	Dance Working with Coach Kelly the children will create a dance routine
PSHE	Me and My Relationships Discussing our relationships and how we relate with one another	Valuing differences Understanding and embracing the differences in us all
RE	Christianity (God)	Islam
Music	Happy We will focus on Pharrell Williams' song Happy, where pupils listen, sing, play instruments, improvise, compose, and perform, all while exploring the theme of happiness.	Classroom Jazz 2 We will introduce pupils to jazz through listening, improvisation, and performance. Using pieces like Three Note Bossa and Five Note Swing, children learn to play basic jazz patterns on instruments, improvise simple melodies, and understand the style and feel of jazz music.

