

KS2: Year A 2025 – 2026
Year 5

Subject	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
English	<p>Fiction – Adventure stories including The Explorer – Katherine Rundell</p> <p>Mystery Stories including The Nowhere Emporium: Ross Mackenzie</p> <p>Poetry Performance Poetry – Detention: Dominic MacDonald I love my Mother: Benjamin Zephaniah The Schoolkid’s Rap: John Foster Cat-Rap: Grace Nichols Rhyme and Rhythm including The Malfeasance: Alan Bold</p> <p>Writing to inform/ explain Non-chronological report Speech Journal Texts including Emperor Penguins and Plastic Pollution</p>	<p>Fiction Fantasy stories including Zoo: Anthony Browne and I believe in unicorns: Michael Morpurgo</p> <p>Science Fiction including Cosmic: Frank Cottrell Boyce</p> <p>Poetry Cinquain Traditional tale- The Lambton Worm</p> <p>Writing to inform/ explain Biography Diary Texts including Scott of the Antarctic and David Attenborough.</p>	<p>Fiction Stories about family settings including Gorilla: Anthony Browne and Computer Dad: Jane Considine</p> <p>Animation – The Present: Jacob Frey</p> <p>Poetry Poet focus: Carol Ann Duffy Narrative Poetry- The Highway Man: Alfred Noyes</p> <p>Writing to persuade Balanced argument Persuasive letter Texts including Kick: Mitch Johnson and Screen Use</p>
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 Negative Numbers Converting Units Volume
Science	Materials Earth and Space	Living things and Their Habitats Animals including humans	Light Plants
History	Britain’s settlement by Anglo-Saxons & Scots (first half term)	Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England	Maya Civilisation
Geography	Volcanoes (second half term) (Region in Europe)	Why Is Fair Trade Fair?	National Parks (Region in UK) & Mapping Skills
R.E.	How do people from religious and non-religious communities celebrate key festivals?	Green religion? What do religious and non-religious worldviews teach about caring for the Earth?	What do religions say to us when life gets hard?
Music Cycle A	Classical Music: In the Hall of the Mountain King by Edvard Grieg	Classical Music: Rondo from Abdelazer by Henry Purcell	Classical Music:

	Music from other cultures / folk music /traditional music/ music from different historical periods: Music of the USA: blues and rock and roll – Rock Around the clock and Hound Dog.	Music from other cultures / folk music /traditional music/ music from different historical periods Electronic music: Doctor Who thee – Deia Derbyshire .	No Place Like – Kerry Andrews Songs for the KS2 Musical Performance
Art & Design	Painting and mixed Media- Portraits	Drawing-I need space	Sculpture and 3D- Interactive installations
Design Technology	Mechanical Systems Automata Toys: cams and axles	Frame Structures Playgrounds or bridges	Food Come Dine with Me – designing a menu
French	Ma famille	Cher Zoo	Le petit déjeuner
Computing	Online Safety – Privacy and Security Online Safety – Self Image and Identity Game Creator	Online Safety – Online Bullying Online Safety – Online Reputation Databases	Online Safety – Health, Wellbeing and Lifestyle Online Safety – Managing Online Information Coding Additional Unit – Word Processing
PE	Invasion Games (Tag Rugby and Netball) Gymnastics Sports Science – skills in fitness, strength and flexibility	Dance Net/Wall Games (Badminton) Striking and Fielding (Cricket) Outdoor and Adventurous Activities	Net/Wall Games (Tennis) Athletics Striking and Fielding (Rounders)
PSHE	Families and Relationships Health and Wellbeing	Safety and Changing Body Citizenship	Economic Wellbeing Transition/Identity