

Year 5 Overview: 2026-2027

Subject	Term	Autumn 1 (7 weeks)	Autumn 2 (7 weeks)	Spring 1 (6 weeks)	Spring 2 (5 weeks)	Summer 1 (6 weeks)	Summer 2 (8 weeks)
Maths		Unit 1: Place Value (3W) Unit 2: Addition and Subtraction (2W) Unit 3: Multiplication and Division (2W)	Unit 3: Multiplication and Division (1W) Unit 4: Fractions A (4W)	Unit 5: Multiplication and Division B (3W) Unit 6: Fractions B (2W) Unit 9: Statistics (1W)	Unit 7: Decimal and Percentages (3W) Unit 8: Area and Perimeter (2W)	Unit 10: Shape (3W) Unit 11: Position and Direction (2W) Unit 13: Negative Numbers (1W)	Unit 12: Decimals (3W) Unit 14: Converting Units (2W) Unit 15: Volume (1W)
Reading		Constellations-website (non-fiction) 2W Sir Gawain- Michael Morpurgo (Classic Tales) 3W The Lost Happy Endings (Picture Books) 2W	Overhead in a Tower Block (poetry) 2W Real-Life Mysteries (Non-fiction) 3W Freedom Bird (Different Culture Fiction) 2W	The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe (Classic Fiction) 3W Shackleton's Journey (Non-Fiction) 3W	The Highwayman (Poetry) 2W The Man Who Walked Between The Towers (Picture Book, Non-Fiction) 3W	Alex Rider (Modern Fiction) 3W High Rise Mystery (Modern Fiction) 3W	Children of The Benin Kingdom (Fiction from other cultures) 3W Anne Frank (Historical Narrative) 2W The Tempest (Play Script) 3W
Literacy		Recount- Autobiography (Hidden Figures) 3W Poetry- Free Verse (Space) 2W Narrative- Flashback (The Lost Thing) 2W	Narrative- Flashback (The Lost Thing) 1W Instructions- Inform (LEGO) 2W Review- To entertain (Film Review- The Boy, The Horse, The Fox and The Mole) 3W	Recount- Autobiography (Shackleton's Journey) 3W Explanation- Process (Volcanoes) 3W	Poetry- Free Verse (The Highwayman) 2W Narrative- Flashback (Alex Rider) 3W	Instructions- Inform (Staying Safe Online) 3W Persuasive Speech (Ocean Pollution) 3W	Discussions- Balanced argument (Children accessing social media) 3W
Science		Space	Forces	Properties of Materials	Animals, including Humans	Living Things & Their Habitats / Life Cycles	Reversible & Irreversible changes
Art and Design		Drawing: Space themed		Painting: Tudor Portrait		Sculpture: Brutalist Architecture	
Computing		Systems and Networks: systems and searching	Creating media: Vector Images	Programming B: Selection in quizzes	Data and Information: Flat-file databases	Computer Networks: History of electronics	Online Safety
Design Technology			Levers, Pulleys & Gears: Drawbridge		Structure: Earthquake resistant building		Cooking:
Geography			Peak District: Mountains		N.America: Mountains, Volcanoes & Earthquakes		Scarborough: Oceans & Climate Change
History		Local History: Victorians & Mining		Local History: Tudors		Changes in Modern Britain (1950s)	
Language		Spanish					

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Music	Unit: Music of Space – Soundscapes and The Planets		Unit: Music of the Tudors – Dances, Songs and Court Life		Unit: Building with Sound – Structure, Minimalism and Repetition	
P.E	Gymnastics and Dance	Dodgeball	Sports Hall Athletics	Tag Rugby	Rounders	Athletics
PSHE	Being me in my world (6 lessons)	Celebrating differences (6 lessons)	Dreams and Goals (6 lessons)	Healthy Me (6 lessons)	Relationships (6 lessons)	Changing Me! (6 lessons)
R.E	R.E – Sikhism (Belief into action)	R.E – Christianity (Christmas)	R.E – Sikhism (Beliefs and moral values)	R.E – Christianity (Easter – Salvation)	R.E – Sikhism (Prayer & Worship)	R.E – Christianity (Beliefs and practices)

