



Year 5 curriculum map 2026-2027

Year 5	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
School values	Growing Together Thankfulness	Courage Joy	Respect Love	Forgiveness Hope	Hope Friendship	Peace Wisdom
Core texts	Flower Block The Lost Thing Anne Frank	The Strange Case of Origami Yoda Robot Girl The Polar Express	The Tempest The Island	Hidden Figures Curiosity: The Story of a Mars Rover	High Rise Mystery	The Man who Walked between the Towers The Lost Happy Endings
Science	Living things - Life cycles and reproduction	Forces and space - Earth and space	Forces and space - unbalanced forces	Animals - Human timeline (3 lessons) Making connections - Does the size of an asteroid affect the diameter of its impact?	Materials - mixtures and separation	Materials - properties and changes
History	British History 4- Were the Vikings raiders, traders or something else?	Why do oceans matter?	What is life like in the Alps?	British History 5- What was life like in Tudor England?	Would you like to live in the desert?	What is the legacy of the ancient Greek civilisation?
Geography						
RE	Islamic Faith: How is faith expressed in Islam ?	INCARNATION Was Jesus the Messiah?	GOSPEL What would Jesus do?	SALVATION: What did Jesus do to save human beings?	How and why do some people Inspire others?	Kingdom of God
Art	Painting and mixed media	Mechanical Systems: Gears and pulleys	Electrical systems: Doodlers	Drawing - I need space	Cooking and Nutrition: Developing A Recipe	Craft and design - Architecture
DT						
Computing	KAPOW	KAPOW	KAPOW	KAPOW	KAPOW	KAPOW
Spanish	Phonics lesson 3 Do You Have a Pet? (Intermediate)		What is the Weather? (Intermediate)		My Home (Intermediate)	

Music	KAPOW		KAPOW		KAPOW	
PSHE	Being me in my world	Celebrating difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy me	Relationships	Changing me
Enrichment opportunities	WFC Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming Stations of the Cross Retreat		