Year 5 Curriculum Overview 2026-2027

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
RE	Creation and Covenant	Desert to Garden	Dialogue and Encounter	Galilee to Jerusalem	Prophecy and Promise	To the Ends of the Earth
English	**Beowulf**	**Oliver Twist**	**Space School Blast Off!**	**The Invention of Hugo Cabret**	**The Explorer**	**Who Let the Gods Out**
	Legends Persuasion	Stories with historical settings Film and play scripts	Science fiction stories Information booklets	Novel as a theme Magazine: information text hybrid	Stories from other cultures Debate	Myths Reports
	Classic Narrative Poetry – Chip the glasses and crack the plates		Poems with a structure - Haikus		Poems with figurative language – The Sea	
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction	Multiplication and division Fractions A **Assessment Week**	Multiplication and Division Fractions B Decimals and percentages	Decimals and Percentages Perimeter and area **Assessment Week**	Shape Position and Direction Decimals	Negative Numbers Converting units Volume **Assessment Week**
Humanities	**History** Vikings vs Anglo Saxons	**History** Who were the Victorians?	**Geography** Mountains	**Geography** Ecuador Rainforest	**Geography** Ecuador Rainforest	**History** Who were the ancient Greeks?
Science	Physics - Forces	Physics – Space Sustainability - Global Warming	Chemistry - Properties of Materials	Biology - Animals Including Humans Biology - Life cycles	Biology - Reproduction A Chemistry - Reversible and Irreversible changes	Sustainability - Plastic Pollution Biology - Reproduction B
PE	Invasion Games Netball & Rugby	Dance	Gymnastics	OAA – Teamwork and Problem Solving	Creative Games Net and Wall Games - Badminton	Athletics

Computing	**Junior Jam** iCommunicate L3	**Junior Jam** iProgramming L3	**Junior Jam** iSecure L3	**Junior Jam** iCreate L3	**Junior Jam** iJam L3	**Junior Jam** iTech iCSI L3
Music	**Junior Jam** Boom Whackers L2	**Junior Jam** Electric Drums L2	**Junior Jam** Class Jam L2	**Junior Jam** Singing L3	**Junior Jam** Music theory with keyboards L3	**Junior Jam** Song writing with Glockenspiels L3
HRSE	Friendships, Stereotypes and Bullying	Mental Health and Wellbeing	Positively Engaging with our World	Respecting Boundaries	Safe connections	Embedding Healthy Habits and Learning First Aid
Languages	**Junior Jam** Spanish L3 Unit 1	**Junior Jam** Spanish L3 Unit 2	**Junior Jam** Spanish L3 Unit 3	**Junior Jam** Spanish L3 Unit 4	**Junior Jam** Spanish L3 Unit 5	**Junior Jam** Spanish L3 Unit 6
Art, Design & Technology	**DT** Electrical Systems - Wobble Bots	**Art and Design** Sculpture and 3D - interactive installation	**DT** Mechanical Systems – Gears and Pulleys	**Art and Design** Drawing – Depth, emotion and movement	**DT** Structures - Bridges	**Art and Design** Painting and mixed media - Portraits