



Year 5 Curriculum Overview 2024 - 2025

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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Project Title	Amazon Adventures	Pharaohs	Stargazers	Mesmerising Mayans	A Greener Future	Peasants, Princes and Pestilence
English	Section of a narrative (baseline) Setting description Balanced argument Explanation Suspense narrative		Recount (newspaper article) Setting description Non chronological report Poetry		Persuasive leaflet/brochure (informal) Persuasive letter (formal) Historical Narrative Informal letter	
Maths	Counting and comparing (Place Value) Calculating: addition and subtraction Calculating: multiplication and division (multiplying and dividing by powers of 10) Exploring Time	Calculating: multiplication and division Numbers and the number system (Primes, factors, multiples, squares) Checking, approximating and estimating	Exploring fractions, decimals and percentages Measuring space (Converting units of measure)	Investigating properties of shapes Calculating space (area/perimeter/volume) Presentation of data Calculating fractions, decimals and percentages Investigating angles	Checking, approximating and estimating Investigating angles	Mathematical movement (Translating/symmetry/reflection shapes) Visualising and constructing Nets Consolidation of fractions, decimals, percentages in preparation for Year 6
Science		Biology – Life Cycles - Animals, including Humans and Living Things	Chemistry – Properties and Changes in Materials	Physics – Earth and Space		
History		The achievements of the earliest civilizations hierarchy civilisation religion settlements		A non-European society that provides contrasts with British history hierarchy civilisation religion settlements		A study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066 14 th Century England Black death and the plague
Geography	Locate countries in the world (South America) Grid references Equator, hemispheres and tropics Rainforests Global				Biomes Vegetation belt Human Geography – e.g. settlement use Economic activity including trade links and	

	Environment and human impact Food produce Trade				distribution of natural resources Food wastage Map features determine land use	
Art	Painting and Mixed Media - Portraits	Drawing – I Need Space		Craft and Design - Architecture		Sculpture and 3D – Interactive Installation
Design and technology	Cooking and Nutrition – Adapt a traditional recipe		Electronics – Product Analysis	Textiles – Mayan Calendars		
Music	Blues	Composition Notation (Ancient Egypt)	South & West Africa	Composition to Represent the Festival of Colour	Looping & Remixing	Musical Theatre
Computing	Music recording and production Computational thinking Presenting information	Computational thinking and coding.	Data Presenting information	Presenting information Advanced 2D animation Internet services and tools	Data Using the internet services Making music Artificial Intelligence	Computer systems and networks Computational thinking and code
PE	Netball Health related fitness	Cricket (W.C.C) Gymnastics	Hockey Football / Swimming	Cricket (W.C.C) Football/ Swimming	Handball Athletics	Rounders (W.C.C) Tennis
RE	Sikhism Guru Arjan Gurburab	Judaism Passover	Hinduism Holi	Christianity Pentecost	Islam Ramadan & Eid-ul-Fitr	Buddhism Dharma Day
PSHE	Being Me in My World Planning the forthcoming year Being a citizen Rights and responsibilities Rewards and consequences How behaviour affects groups Democracy, having a voice, participating	Celebrating Differences Cultural differences and how they can cause conflict Racism Rumours and name-calling Types of bullying Material wealth and happiness Enjoying and respecting other cultures	Dreams and Goals Future dreams The importance of money Jobs and careers Dream job and how to get there Goals in different cultures Supporting others (charity) Motivation	Healthy Me Smoking, including vaping Alcohol Alcohol and anti-social behaviour Emergency aid Body image Relationships with food Healthy choices Motivation and behaviour	Relationships Self-recognition and self-worth Building self-esteem Safer online communities Rights and responsibilities online Online gaming and gambling Reducing screen time Dangers of online grooming SMARRT internet safety rules	Changing Me Self- and body image Influence of online and media on body image Puberty for girls Puberty for boys Growing responsibility Coping with change Preparing for transition