

New Primary Curriculum 2026/2027



Year 5



	Term 1 8 weeks	Term 2 7 weeks	Term 3 6 weeks	Term 4 6 weeks	Term 5 6 weeks	Term 6 7 weeks
	AUTUMN		SPRING		SUMMER	
RE	Creation and Covenant Prophecy and Promise		Galilee to Jerusalem Desert to Garden		To the End of the Earth Dialogue and Encounter	
School Values	Respect	Honesty	Courage	Compassion	Perseverance	Responsibility
Catholic Social Teaching	Stewardship Family and Community	Dignity of the Human person	Solidarity and the Common Good	Option for the Poor and Vulnerable	Dignity of Work	Rights and Responsibilities
CST links	Stewardship – caring for our environment (Geography, The Promise-English), Creation (RE) Option for poor and vulnerable – (Harvest) Family and community – Being me in the world (PSHE)	Stewardship – caring for our environment (Geography) Dignity of Human Person – Using computer engines (ICT) -Hidden Figures (English / History), Remembrance , Anti Bullying week, celebrating differences (PSHE) Solidarity – Remembrance Option for the poor and vulnerable – (Advent fundraiser)	Dignity of work –dreams and goals (PSHE) Rights and responsibilities – (Ancient Greeks) Dignity of work – (Ancient Greeks) Dignity of the human person – (Ancient Greeks)	Option for the poor and vulnerable (Lent fundraiser) Rights and responsibilities – (Ancient Greeks) Dignity of work – (Ancient Greeks) Dignity of the human person – (Ancient Greeks) Healthy me (PSHE)	Family and community – (Ten Ten) Rights and responsibilities – (The Mayans) Dignity of work - (The Mayans) Dignity of the human person - (The Mayans)	Family and community – (Ten Ten) Rights and responsibilities – (The Mayans) Dignity of work - (The Mayans) Dignity of the human person - (The Mayans)
Topic	Caring for the Environment		Ancient Greeks		The Mayans	

Key Text	The Promise - Nicola Davies	Hidden Figures - Margot Lee Shetterly	How to Live Forever – Colin Thompson	Gender Swapped Greek Myths – Karrie Fransman	Wisp: A Story of Hope - Zana Fraillon	The Man who Walked Between the Towers - Mordacai Gerstein
ENGLISH	Fiction: Alternative Version Non-fiction: Writing to Explain - Instructions Poetry: Cosmic Disco - Grace Nicholls	Fiction: Changing Viewpoint Non-fiction: Writing to Inform - Biography Poetry: Choose Love - Nicola Davies	Fiction: Alternative Ending Non-fiction: Writing to Argue - Discussion (Formal) Poetry: Love That Dog - Sharon Creech	Fiction: Sequel Writing Non-fiction: Writing to Inform - Non-Chronological Report Poetry: The Highwayman - Alfred Noyes	Fiction: Alternative Characters Non-fiction: Writing to Argue - Persuasion Poetry: Cloud Soup - Kate Wakeling	Fiction: Prequel Non-fiction: Writing to Inform - Newspaper Report Poetry: Jabberwocky - Lewis Carroll
MATHS	Place Value Addition & Subtraction	Multiplication & Division Fractions	Multiplication & Division Fractions Decimals & Percentages	Decimals & Percentages Perimeter & Area Statistics	Shape Position & Direction Decimals	Decimals Negative Numbers Converting Units Volume
SCIENCE	Materials: Mixtures and Separation Working Scientifically	Materials: Properties and Changes Working Scientifically	Forces and Space: Earth and Space Working Scientifically	Forces and Space: Imbalanced Forces Working Scientifically	Living Things: Life Cycles and Reproduction Working Scientifically	Animals, including Humans: Human Timeline/Making Connections Working Scientifically
GEOGRAPHY	Would you like to live in a desert?		What is life like in the Alps?			Why do oceans matter?
HISTORY		What is the legacy of the Ancient Greek civilisation?		What was life like in Tudor England?	Were the Vikings raiders, traders or something else?	
ART	Drawing- Depth, Emotion and Movement	Craft and Design- Architecture	Painting and Mixed Media- Portraits		Sculpture- Interactive Installation	

DT			Greek Food		Design a Board Game	
MATHS links with topics				DT (Perimeter and Area)	Geography (Position and Direction)	Science (Conversions)
Computing	Online-Safety	Computing Systems and networks: Search Engines	Programming 1: Music Programming 2: Micro:bit	Creation media: Stop motion animation (if possible)	Data Handling: Mars Rover 1	Skills Showcase: Mars Rover 2
PSHE	Healthy Me	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	What its like being me.	TenTen Relationships	TenTen Relationships
PE	Yoga Swimming	Fitness Swimming	Dance Swimming	Athletics Swimming	Tennis	Rounders
Music						Year 5/6 Production
MFL: Spanish	All About Me	The Way We Look	Eating Out	My World	In the Classroom	Our Past
Wow days		Trip to Hampton Court Palace	World Book Day	Greek Day		Year 5/6 Production DT week