

Year 5 Curriculum Planning Map 2025-2026

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Learning Journey	Your Mind Matters	Voices from the Past	Global Identities	Digital Explorers	Myths, Monarchs & Mayhem	Planet Protectors
Curriculum Area Focus	PSHE	History	Geography	DT/Computing	History	Geography
Aim	To develop our building learning power skills. To understand the importance of mental health and belonging.	To discover how people have made changes in society	To compare and contrast the similarities and differences between different parts of the world.	To investigate the way technology helps us. To learn about key people and advancements in technology.	To identify how people lived in ancient societies and how it impacts our world today.	To explore the world that we live in and identify the natural resources that it provides.
Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Black History Month – October Harvest Festival Wear Red Day (SRtRC) Recycle Week World Mental Health Day National Poetry Week 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Anti-Bullying Week Protecting our Planet Day 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Place2Be's Children's Mental Health Week Safer Internet Day International Day of Women & Girls in Science 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> World Book Day Shakespeare Week 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> World Day for Cultural Diversity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> World Environment Day World Ocean's Day World Music Day National School Sports Week Windrush Day
Possible Literacy Texts	Whole School Text – Peace on Earth High Rise Mystery	Long Walk to Freedom	The Tempest	Hidden Figures Curiosity	The Island The Lost Thing	Robot Girl
Reading Texts	Overheard in a Tower Block Black and British	Black and British continued	Kensuke Kingdom	Race to Space	Polar Bear Explorers Club	Wonder
Science	Properties and changes of materials	Forces	Living things and their habitats	Space		Animals including humans
History		Ancient Greece		Vikings	Vikings	
Black History	South Africa Apartheid Black and British					
Geography	Greece		Scandinavia			Local project
Computing	PowerPoint	Word	Movie Maker	Search Engines	Programming	Programming
RE	What's so good about giving? Part 1	What's so good about giving? Part 2	Why don't religions look the same around the world? Part 1	Why don't religions look the same around the world? Part 2	Why do we sometimes get it wrong? Part 1	Why do we sometimes get it wrong? Part 2
PSHE	Me and My Relationships	Valuing Difference	Keeping Safe	Rights and Respect	Being My Best	RSE Growing and Changing
Art/DT	Abdoulaye Konate Mixed Media Tapestries	Art of Ancient Greece	The Scream- Edvard Munch	Viking Ship – Frame Structures (DT)	Viking Coin Purse _ Combining different fabric shapes (DT)	Banksy Robot Stencils
Music	Charanga – Melody and Harmony in Music	Charanga- Sing and Play in Different Styles	Samba	Samba	Charanga – Composing and Chords	Charanga – Enjoying Musical Styles
Learning Outside the Classroom	British Museum	Scotland Week	Science Museum	Globe Theatre	South London Botanical Institute	Tate Modern