Year 5 Curriculum Planning Map 2026-2027

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Learning Journey	**Stand By Me**	**Go Your Own Way**	**Time After Time**	**Respect (find out what it means to me)**	**Talking About a Revolution**	**We're All In This Together**
Aim	To develop our building learning power skills by exploring our Dulwich Wood Toolkit.	To discover how people have shaped our society.	To explore different eras from the past.	To understand how to give, show and be respectful to yourself and others.	To explore how people, live in different places and times, and how this has shaped the world we live in today.	To investigate the world around us and understand the natural resources it offers.
Curriculum Area Focus	**PSHE**	**Geography**	**History**	**PSHE**	**History**	**Geography**
Events	❁ Black History Month ❁ Harvest Festival ❁ Wear Red Day (SRtRC) ❁ Recycle Week ❁ World Mental Health Day ❁ National Poetry Week ❁ Diwali	❁ Anti-Bullying Week ❁ Protecting our Planet Day	❁ Place2Be's Children's Mental Health Week ❁ Safer Internet Day ❁ International Day of Women & Girls in Science ❁ Ramadan ❁ NSPCC Numbers Day	❁ World Book Day ❁ Shakespeare Week ❁ Eid ❁ International Women's Day ❁ Science Week	❁ World Day for Cultural Diversity	❁ Word Environment Day ❁ World Ocean's Day ❁ World Music Day ❁ National School Sports Week ❁ Windrush Day
Possible Literacy Texts	Long Walk to Freedom	Hidden Figures The Lights the Dance in the Night (Whole School Text)	Odyssey	The Tempest	Beowulf	Robot Girl
Reading Texts	Black and British	Race to Space	Who Let the Gods Out		The Listeners	Wonder
Science	Forces	Earth & Space	Properties and Changes of Materials		Living Things and their Habitats	Animals, including Humans
History	BHM The Abolition of Slavery		Ancient Greece		Vikings	
Geography		Greece and the Mediterranean		Scandinavia		Maps Day Local Enquiry
Computing	Systems and Searching	Video Production	Selection in Physical Computing	Video Production	Fact-file Databases	Selection in Quizzes
RE	What inner forces affect how we think and behave?	How is Christmas celebrated around the world?	Why is Muhammad and the Qur'an important to Muslim people?	How do Christian people try to follow Jesus's example?	Should all creatures be treated equally? OR Peace OR Thankfulness	What do religions and worldviews believe about God?
PSHE	Me and My Relationships	Valuing Difference	Keeping Safe	Rights and Respect	Being my Best	Growing and Changing
Art/DT	Architectural Drawing Stephen Wiltshire - BHM	Painting- Wassily Kandinsky Abstract Space	DT Ceramics- Ancient Greek Clay Coil Pot	Drawing- Edvard Munch Expressionism	DT Frame Structures- Viking Longships	Drawing and Stencilling- Banksy
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	Black Cultural Archives	Scotland	British Museum	Science Museum	South London Botanical Institute	Tate Modern