

Year 5/6 Curriculum Map 2026 - 2027

	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	Queen of the Falls by Chris Van Allsburg Recount: To write a series of diary entries	The Lost Happy Endings by Carol Ann Duffy To write a traditional tale	Arthur and the Golden Rope by Joe Todd-Stanton Write a myth, creating characters and settings	The Darkest Dark by Chris Hadfield A formal biography of Chris Hadfield	The Paperbag Prince by Colin Thompson Hybrid leaflet about waste management	Radiant Child by Javaka Steptoe Information text for a gallery
Maths	Place Value Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division Fractions Measurement: Converting Units		Multiplication and Division Fractions, Decimals and Percentages Area, Perimeter and Volume Ratio Algebra		Statistics Shape Position and Direction Converting Units	
Science	Forces	Earth and Space	Living things and their habitats	Animals including humans	Materials – mixtures and separation	Materials
Computing	The internet Chrome music lab	Flat-file database J2Data	Repetition in shapes J2Logo Turtle academy	Variables in games Scratch	Video production Canva/ iMovie	Intro to Spreadsheets Excel
History or Geography	Coalville mining (local Whitwick mining disaster– post 1066)	Biomes	Mayan Civilisation (non-European society)	Farming / sustainability	Greece (ancient civilisations)	North America / trade
Art	Taotie Focus Artists - Chinese Bronze Age Element - Sculpture (casting)		Line, Light and Shadows Focus Artists - Pablo Picasso and Rembrandt Element - Drawing		Expression Focus Artist - Edvard Munch Element - Painting	
DT	Structures Bridges <i>Norman Foster</i>		Cooking and Nutrition Developing a Recipe <i>Mary Berry</i>		Digital World Monitoring Device <i>Ivy Ross</i>	

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RE	<u>Unit 31</u> What does it mean if Christians believe God is Holy and loving? (God)	<u>Unit 32</u> What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today? (Islam)	<u>Unit 33</u> Why is the Torah so important to Jewish people? (Judaism)	<u>Unit 34</u> Creation and science, conflicting or complimentary? (Creation/Fall)	<u>Unit 35</u> How can following God bring freedom and justice? (People of God)	<u>Unit 36</u> What matters most to Humanists and Christians? (Thematic)
PSHE Y5	Me and My Relationships What makes a healthy and respectful relationship?	Valuing Difference How can we live respectfully in a diverse world?	Keeping Myself Safe How do I stay safe in real life and online?	Rights and Responsibilities How do I make choices that show responsibility?	Being My Best What helps me grow, learn and succeed?	Growing and Changing How do I handle change and feelings?
PSHE Y6	Me and My Relationships What challenges can friendships bring and how do we stay safe?	Valuing Difference What makes a fair and respectful community?	Keeping Myself Safe What affects my health and safety choices?	Rights and Responsibilities How do I make fair and informed choices?	Being My Best How can I be my best and stay safe?	Growing and Changing How do I feel about growing up?
PE	Invasion Games- Tag Rugby, Hockey, Football, Basketball	Dance Swimming	Gymnastics	Net wall Games – Tennis OAA (Forest Schools)	Athletics	Striking and fielding- Cricket, Rounders
Music	Pulse (Y5)	Voice (Y5)	Rhythm (Y5)	Pitch (Y5)	Music Technology (Y5)	20 th Century Music (Y5)
French	Core Vocabulary Lessons	Les Fruits (The Fruits)	Je me présente (Presenting Myself)	As-tu un animal ?(Do You Have a Pet?)	La date (The Date)	