

Year 5—2025-2026

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	Robot Girl – Malorie Blackman (Sci-Fi narrative) Children of the Benin Kingdom – Dina Orji (non-chronological report)	The Whale – Ethan and Vita Murrow (Film pitches)	Curiosity – Markus Motum (Expanded explanation) The Lost Thing – Shaun Tan (Own version narrative)	The Man Who Walked Between the Towers – Mordecai Gerstein (Biographies/autobiographies)	The Lost Happy Endings – Carol Anne Duffy (Alternative perspective prequel) High Rise Mystery – Sharma Jackson (Extended stories)	Firebird – Saviour Pirotta & Chatherine Hyde (Fairytale narrative)
Reading	Cosmic – Frank Cottrell Boyce Hidden Figures (young readers edition) – Margot Lee Shetterly		When the Stars Come Out – Nicola Edwards Who Let the Gods Out – Maz Evans		The Good Thieves – Katherine Rundell Overheard in a Tower Block – Joseph Coelho	
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division – factors/square numbers/cubed numbers/multiply and divide by 10,100,1000 Fractions – equivalent/order and compare/add and subtract/improper and mixed		Multiplication and Division – by 1,2,3,4 digit/solve problems/division/remainders Fractions – multiply/fractions of an amount Decimals and Percentages Perimeter and Area Statistics		Shape Position and Direction Decimals Negative numbers Converting Units Volume	
Science	Properties and Changes of Materials	Forces	Earth and Space	Living things and their habitats	Animals including humans	Scientists and inventors
History		Were the Vikings raiders, traders or something else?		British History - What was life like in Tudor England?		How did the achievements of the ancient Maya impact their society and beyond?
Geography	Mountains – What is life like in the Alps?		Oceans – Why do oceans matter?		Deserts – Would you like to live in the desert?	
P.S.H.E	Me and My Relationships	Valuing Difference	Keeping Safe	Rights and Respects	Being my Best	Growing and Changing

	Children's emotional well-being and dealing with difficulties and challenges will be a focus all year through discussion and circle time.					
DT Skills also taught in Creative Thursday	Viking Longships		The Lost Thing - plasticine models (English)			
Creative arts	Creative Thursday. Painting and drawing skills. Colour mixing, sculpture.					
Art Skills also taught in Creative Thursday	Buildings/ Architecture Google Drawings	Drawing: Depth, Emotion and Movement	Galaxies	Sculpture and 3D: Interactive Installation	Painting and Mixed Media - Portraits	Craft and Design: Architecture
Computing	Children will be taught E-Safety throughout the year. They will use the search engines and websites to research topics. Google drawings and coding.					
Music	Classroom Jazz					
RE	What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?		Why do Christians believe Jesus was the Messiah? Christmas		Why is the Torah so important to Jewish people?	
PE	Daily 10 minute run/ exercise Basketball	Daily 10 minute run/ exercise Handball	Daily 10 minute run/ exercise Dodgeball	Daily 10 minute run/ exercise Tag Rugby	Daily 10 minute run/ exercise Cricket	Daily 10 minute run/ exercise Athletics
	Rounders Daily exercise					
Proposed Trips/ visitors/ special events	Whole school walk Theatre trip		Links to Oceans - talk/craft		Residential – Potheridge House Sports Day	