

Year 5 and 6 overview – 2 year cycle

2020-2021

	T1	T2	T3	T4	T5	T6
Class book	Letters from the Lighthouse By Emma Carroll		Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo		Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone by JK Rowling	
Poetry	War poetry		World Poetry		Mythical Poetry St George and the Dragon	
Writing	Formal letter /informal letter Diary Setting description Newspaper Blitz description		Character description Diary Action narrative Setting description Factual reporting		Non-chronological report Action narrative Suspense Instructional text Potions/recipes	
Maths	Number: Place Value Four Operations Fractions		Number: Fractions, Ratio, Decimals & percentages, Algebra Measurement: Perimeter, Area and Volume Statistics		Geometry: Properties of Shapes Position and Direction SATS Investigations and Consolidation	
Topic	World War II Life on the home front		Around the World in 40 Days		Natural Disasters	
Science	Forces	Forces	Properties of changes of materials	Properties of changes of materials	Living things and their habitats	Living things and their habitats
Guided reading	Yr5 Iron Man Yr6 Storm-breaker		Yr5 Ice Hotel Yr6 Short stories		Yr5 Firework Maker's Daughter Yr6 Wonderful Wizard of Oz	
RE	Why do some people believe God exists?	What do religions say to do when life gets hard?	Is God everywhere, why go to a place of worship?	What matters most to Christians and Humanists?	What difference does it make to believe in Ashima, Grace and Ummah?	
Music – Music Express – Phase 2	Pitch	Duration	Dynamics	Tempo	Timbre	Texture
Languages - French – Language Angels	What is the Date?	World War 2	Me in the world	The Weather	Habitats	Healthy Lifestyles
Computing	Online Safety 6	Technology in our lives- Internet research and webpage design	Programming - Flowol	Programming - Flowol	Multimedia -3D modelling- sketch up	Multimedia - 3D modelling- sketch up
Art & DT	Henry Moore Charcoal pictures Silhouettes	DT WW2	Great Wave of Kanagawa by Hokusai	I M Pei Buildings around the World	Frida Kahlo Portraits	Transport & Communication - Evaluate and analyse a range of existing products and how they have shaped the world.
Geography/History	History: World War II Life on the home front		Geography: Around the World in 40 Days		Geography: Natural Disasters	
P.E	Football	Fitness/ Dance (indoors)	Tennis (Indoors)	Basketball	Hockey	Cricket
PSHE/RSE	Aiming High/What makes up a person's identity	Be Yourself/What decisions can people make with money	TEAM/How can we help in an accident or emergency?	Money Matters/How can friends communicate safely?	Britain/How can drugs common to everyday life affect health?	It's my Body/ What jobs would we like?

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Poetry	Modern Poetry		Animal Poetry		Narrative poetry	
Writing	Formal letter -complaint Informal letter-holiday Diary Setting description Newspaper Fact file		Character description Diary Narrative Fact file Adventure narrative Day in the life of...		Non-chronological report Action narrative Suspense Instructional text Myth writing	
Maths	Number: Place Value / Four Operations / Fractions		Number: Fractions / Ratio / Decimals & percentages / Algebra Measurement: Perimeter, Area and Volume Statistics		Geometry: Properties of Shapes / Position and Direction SATS Investigations and Consolidation	
Topic	Mission UK Compare and contrast: Isles of Scilly, St Martin and Venice		Dover Castle through the Ages		Ancient Greece South America Mayans	
Science	Earth and Space	Evolution and Inheritance	Electricity	Light	Animals including humans (circulation)	Animals including humans (birth to old age)
Guided reading	Yr5 Iron Man Yr6 Storm-breaker		Yr5 Ice Hotel Yr6 Short stories		Yr5 Firework Maker's Daughter Yr6 Wonderful Wizard of Oz	
RE	What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?		What would Jesus do? Can we live by the values of Jesus in the 21 st century?		Is it better to express religion through arts or charity?	
Music – Music Express – Phase 1	Starting and Stopping - Pitch	Duration	Dynamics	Tempo	Timbre	Texture
Languages – French – Language Angels	At School	Do you have any pets?	Rooms of the house	Space	Clothes	The Olympics
Computing	Online Safety 5	Technology in Our Lives - Using and Applying	Handling Data - Spreadsheets	Multimedia - Film Making	Kodu Programming	Kodu Programming
Art & DT	Banksy To create sketch books. To improve their mastery of art & design techniques – drawing and painting	Understand the principles of a healthy and varied diet	Lowry To record observations and use them to review and revisit ideas	Understand how key events and individuals in design and technology have helped shape the world	Sculpture with Clay Greek Art	To find out about great architects in History
Geography/History	Geography: Mission UK Compare and contrast: Isles of Scilly, St Martin and Venice		History: Dover Castle through the Ages		History: Ancient Greece South America Mayans	
P.E	Tri-golf	Fitness/circuits (indoors)	Badminton (indoors)	Tag-Rugby	Athletics	Ultimate Frisbee/Sports Day
PSHE/RSE	Think Positive/How can we be healthy as we grow?	VIPs/How can we be healthy as we grow?	Respecting rights/How can the media influence people?	Safety Matters/ How can the media influence people?	One World / What will chance as we become more independent?	Growing up / How do friendships change as we grow?