

Year 5 Curriculum Overview 2026-27						
	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Life in Ancient Greece		Exploring Europe- An adventure to Modern Greece		Deserts- The hot Mojave and cold Antarctica.	
English	PVPG Application unit: Planets of the solar system Slow writes	Non-narrative: Balanced Arguments Newspaper Reports Diaries The Trojan Horse				Narrative: The Alchemist's Letter
Power of Reading			Rumaysa by Radiya Hafiza Recount: Diary Narrative: - Characterising speech		Non-Fiction: Shackleton's Journey by William Grill	
Maths	Place value Addition and subtraction negative	Multiplication and division Fractions	Multiplication and division Fractions Decimals and percentages	Decimals and percentages Perimeter and area statistics	Shape Position and direction Decimals	Decimals Converting units Measurement and volume
Science	The Earth, Sun and Moon	Forces	States of Matter and Properties of Materials	Living Things and their Habitats	Life Cycles	Life Cycles: Human Development
Computing	Databases	Coding: Espresso	Coding: Flowol (Safer Internet Day)	Computer systems and networks	Vector Drawing	Website Design: Espresso coding
Internet Safety						
History	Ancient Greece					
Geography			What is life like in Greece?	Why do Oceans matter?	Would you like to live in a desert?	
Art	Painting and mixed media Portraits		Craft and design Architecture - Greek Columns		Drawing I need space	
D&T		Greek Masks Mechanical Systems Pop-up Book about Ancient Greece		Textiles Stuffed Toy		Structures Playgrounds
RE	Why do people have to stand up for what they believe in?	Why doesn't Christianity always look the same?	What happens when we die? (part 1)	What happens when we die? (part 2)	Who should get to be in charge?	Why are some places in the world significant believers?
PSHE	Digital citizenship Cross curricular with computing	health and wellbeing	Respect and Relationships	Aspiration and growth	Protecting our environment Cross curricular with geography	Safe relationships
Indoor PE	Gymnastics	Dance	Circuit Training	Gymnastics	Invasion Games	Cricket
Outdoor PE	Netball	Football	Basketball	Hockey	Athletics	Cricket
Music	Livin' On A Prayer	Classroom Jazz 1	Make You Feel My Love	The Fresh Prince of Bel Air	Dancing in the Street	Reflect, Rewind and Replay
MFL	At the tearoom (IT)	Core vocabulary	Fruits (ELT)	I am able (ELT)	Ice cream (ELT)	Presenting myself (IT)
Visits and Visitors		Greek day/ trip			E-safety (Two Johns)	Food and farming
End of Topic Piece	Greek Museum		Narrative with characterising speech		Geography Presentation	