

Year 5 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	A Kingdom United	Food, Glorious Food!	Earthlings	Inventors and Inventions	The Amazon Rainforest	Faster, Higher stronger!
English	Legends, Persuasion	Stories with historical settings, Film and play scripts, Classic narrative poetry	Science Fiction stories, Information booklets, Poems with a stricture	Novel as a theme, Magazine: information text hybrid	Stories from other Cultures, Debate	Myths, Reports, Poems with figurative language
RE	The dignity of the human person. Family and Community. Sacraments of Initiation.	Creation and Stewardship. The Old Testament. Other world Faiths. Advent and Christmas.	Jesus the Son of God. Rights and Responsibilities.	Lent- option for the Poor and Vulnerable. Sacrament of Healing. The Triduum	Solidarity and the common Good. Apostles- Mary	Pentecost. The Sacraments of Service. Discipleship The Dignity of work.
Science	Materials – properties of them	Materials – reversible and reversible changes	Earth and space	Forces and falling objects	Life cycles – changes in animals and plants	Growth and development of animals and humans
History	Britain’s settlement by Anglo Saxons and Scots	Vikings	Mayans			
Geography	UK cities, countries and key features	World food			Amazon Basin and rainforest	
PE	Gymnastics Invasion Games: Netball and basketball skills	Dance Invasion Games: football	Gymnastics Invasion Games: Tag rugby	Dance Striking and fielding: Hockey	Athletics Striking and fielding: quick cricket	Athletics Striking and fielding: Rounders

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Art/DT		DT- Preparing food	Art – drawing and painting with abstract textured painting	DT- Mechanical systems - pulleys	Art – print making and collage. DT – 3D Textiles	Art – drawing and 3D sculpture DT – 3D Textiles
Computing	Data handling	Collaboration/ Networking	Modelling	Programming	Multimedia	Programming