



Year 5 Curriculum Overview: English Writing

Autumn Term	Genre:	Narrative: Suspense & Mystery	Non-Fiction: Recount	'Take One Book'	Poetry	Non-Fiction: Report
	Approximate teaching time:	4 weeks	2 weeks	1 week	2 weeks	3 weeks
	Final written outcome:	Children will develop skills of building up atmosphere in writing and create their own suspense/mystery story.	Linked to PSHE, children will write a recount of a significant moment in their life.	Children in all year groups will share a carefully chosen book to produce a range of writing.	Children will read, write, and perform free verse; read and respond to cinquains; and experiment with writing their own.	Linked to Science, children will compose a report based on research about space.
Spring Term	Genre:	Narrative: Circular Tales	Non-Fiction: Persuasion	'Take One Book'	Non-Fiction: Instructions and Explanations	Poetry
	Approximate teaching time:	2 weeks	3 weeks	1 week	3 weeks	2 weeks
	Final written outcome:	Using the text 'The Promise,' children will plan and write their own circular fable.	Children will study a range of persuasive texts to write a persuasive argument.	Children in all year groups will share a carefully chosen book to produce a range of writing.	Children will write a set of detailed instructions to create a device for futuristic travel. Texts will have a clear introduction and conclusion.	Using Walter de la Mare's 'The Listeners' as inspiration, children will create and perform their own innovated verses.
Summer Term	Genre:	Narrative: Classic Fiction	Poetry	'Take One Book'	Narrative: Fantasy Stories	Non Fiction: Explanation
	Approximate teaching time:	4 weeks	2 weeks	1 week	3 weeks	3 weeks
	Final written outcome:	Using 'The Hobbit' as inspiration, children will write a lost tale in the style of Tolkien.	Children will study a range of poetry and use poetic language to write poems about the sea and the sinking of Titanic.	Children in all year groups will share a carefully chosen book to produce a range of writing.	Children will create their own fantasy story in the style of Shaun Tan.	Linked to D & T, Children will write a detailed explanation text about a significant invention in history.

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Year 5 Curriculum Overview: Maths

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
Autumn term	Number Place value VIEW			Number Addition and subtraction VIEW		Number Multiplication and division A VIEW			Number Fractions A VIEW			
Spring term	Number Multiplication and division B VIEW			Number Fractions B VIEW		Number Decimals and percentages VIEW			Measurement Perimeter and area VIEW		Statistics VIEW	
Summer term	Geometry Shape VIEW			Geometry Position and direction VIEW		Number Decimals VIEW			Number Negative numbers VIEW	Measurement Converting units VIEW		Measurement Volume VIEW

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Year 5 Curriculum Overview: Foundation Subjects

	Science	Computing	History	Geography	Art	D&T	PE	Music	RE	PSHE	French
Autumn 1	Forces	Quizzing	Local History: Berkhamsted Castle & William the Conqueror		Artist Study: Georgia O'Keefe		Invasion Games: Tag- Rugby & Football	Livin' on a Prayer: Rock	Sikhism: Belief into Action	Being Me in the World	Pleased to Meet You
		Databases									
Autumn 2	Space			Marvellous Maps		Stable Structures: Building Bridges	Dance & Fitness	Classroom Jazz 1: Bossa Nova and Swing	Christianity: Christmas	Celebrating Difference	All About Ourselves
	Global Warming	Game Creators									
Spring 1	Properties of Materials	Spreadsheets	Ancient Greece		Making Monotypes		Gymnastics	Make You Feel My Love: Pop Ballads	Sikhism: Beliefs and Moral Values	Dreams and Goals	That's Tasty
	Animals including Humans										
Spring 2		Coding		Mountains of the World		Textiles: Fashion & Textiles	Team Games: Netball / Basketball & Hockey	The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air: Old-School Hip-Hop	Christianity: Easter	Healthy Me	Family and Friends
	Life Cycles										
Summer 1	Reproduction A	Word Processing	The Changing Power of Monarchs		Architecture: Dream Big or Small		Striking & Fielding	Dancing in the Street: Motown	Sikhism: Prayer and Worship	Relationships	School Life
	Reversible and Irreversible Changes										
Summer 2	Plastic Pollution	Concept Maps		Local Water		Inventions	Athletics & Orienteering	Reflect, Rewind & Replay: Classical	Christianity: Beliefs and Practices	Changing Me	Time Travelling
	Reproduction B										

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