

Year 5 and Year 6 Long Term Curriculum Map

Year 5

	LENS	CIVILISATION	EMPIRE & INVASION	SUSTAINABILITY	POWER & MONARCHY	SETTLEMENT	TRADE & RESOURCES
	Big Question	What's the biggest achievement of the early Islamic civilisation?	Vikings: ruthless killers or peaceful settlers?	Should we mine Antarctica for natural resources?	Which monarch experienced the greatest shift in power during his/her reign?	Should we continue to live near rivers?	Who benefits from trade?
	Core Texts	Holes, 1001 Arabian Night	Norse Myths	Wolf Brother, Ice Trap	Clockwork, The Highwayman	The Storm Keepers Island, A River	The Explorer, The Great Paper Caper
	Additional Texts	*Early Islamic Civilization *Grand Tour of the Solar System	*Vikings in 30 seconds *Bad Bad Cats	*Artemis Fowl *Be the Change - Poems that will help you save the world *Shackleton's Journey	*There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom *Little Leaders *Kings & Queens	*Why is water worth it? *Dead Man's Cove *River Stories	*Incredible Journeys * Eyewitness - Amazon *Journey to the River Sea*The Great Kapok Tree
	History	Early Islamic Civilisation	The Vikings & Anglo Saxons		The Changing Power of Monarchs		
	Geography			Antarctica		Rivers in UK	The Amazon Rainforest
	Science	Earth & Space What shape is the moon and does it change? /Why do the Sun and Moon look the same size in the sky?	Properties materials Is it possible to separate even very small things like sand, salt and stones?	Changes of materials Is it possible to separate even very small things like sand, salt and stones?	Forces How can we manipulate/use forces to our advantage?	Animals, including humans: How do humans develop to old age?	Animals, including humans and living things and their habitats How do the life cycles of plants and animals in the UK differ from those in the Amazon Rainforest?
	Art	Drawing: Islamic	Sculpture: Wire		Painting: Pop Art		
	DT			Structure: Bird House Builders		Mechanism: Moving Bridge	Food: Fairtrade Meal
	RE	Religion and the Individual: Islam	Places of Worship & Worship: Islam	Sacred Texts: Judaism	Pilgrimage & Sacred Places: Judaism	Beliefs and Questions: Christianity/Judaism/Islam	Jourey of Life and Death: Christianity/Judaism/Islam
	PSHE	How can friends communicate safely?	What makes up a person's identity?	How can we help in an accident or emergency?	How can drugs common to everyday life affect health?	What jobs would we like?	What decisions can people make with money?
	Music	Composition-Space Holst/Ligeti Listening Scheherazade- Rimsky Korsakov (Au 2022)	Performing Together	Rounds/ canons/ graphic scores	Simple, compound and irregular time signatures	Graphic Scores/ Smetena's River Composition	Riffs/melodic and rhythmic ostinati
	Computing	Mars Rover 1 (Data)	Mars Rover 2 (3D Design)	Stop Motion	Search Engines	Crumble	Programming Music (Battle of the Bands)

	French	La Date		Quel Temps Fait-Il?		Les Vetements	
	PE outdoor	Fitness	American Football	Basketball	Athletics	Cricket	Netball
	PE indoor	Gymnastics/Swimming		Dance/Swimming		Yoga/Swimming	
	Visits/Visitors	V & A Islamic Cultural Centre Mosque	Drama Practitioner Jorvik Virtual		Parliament Rabbi Visit	Moat Mount Residential	London Zoo (rainforest)

Year 6

	LENS	MIGRATION & DIVERSITY	CLIMATE & BIOMES	SOCIETY	RIGHTS	DEMOCRACY	LANDSCAPE
	Big Question	What were the push and pull factors of immigration into the UK? What was the experience like for these immigrants? (Jewish 1930s and Caribbean 1948-1970)	Why do animals evolve differently?	Is Covid 19 the worst pandemic in history?	Have women's lives improved over time, since 1066, in the UK?	Can one person make a difference?	How has the UK landscape shaped our society?
	Core Texts	No Ballet Shoes in Syria, The Arrival	Pig Heart Boy, Darwin's Rival	Children of Winter	Cogheart	Northern Lights	Northern Lights
Year 6	Additional Texts	*The Boy at the Back of Class *Talking Turkeys	*When the Whales Walked *On the Origin of the Species *Moth	*Suffragette: The Battle for Equality *Billy Elliot *Wolves of Willoughby Chase	*Rose Blanche *The Story About Standing Up for Girls' Rights- Malala *Anthology of Amazing Women	*What is politics why should we care and other big questions *Politics for beginners	*Rivers & Mountains *Dark Sky Park: poems from the edge of nature *Orphans of the Tide
	History	UK Immigration (slavery, Jewish, Windrush, EU)		Pandemics over time. Bubonic plague ('Great Plague' of 1600s, Spanish Flu 1918)	Women Through Time - Medieval, Suffrage, WW2		
	Geography		Galapagos Islands			UK vs USA	Race Around UK
	Science	Living Things & Their Habitats In what ways are living things the same and in what ways are they different?	Evolution & Inheritance Why do animals evolve differently?	Evolution & Inheritance Why do animals evolve differently?	Electricity Why are insulators as important as conductors?	Light Why do we see 'history' whenever we look at the stars?	Animals, including humans What does a healthy lifestyle look like and why is it important to follow one?
	Art	Drawing: Shaun Tan	Painting: Henri Rousseau	Sculpture: Anish Kapoor			

DT				Electrical/Mechanisms: Moving Toys	Textiles: Sewing a vest	Food: Making Bread (Nadiya Hussain)
RE	Religion and the Individual: Hinduism	Places of Worship & Worship: Hinduism	Sacred Texts: Islam	Pilgrimage & Sacred Places: Islam	Beliefs and Questions: Islam/Hinduism/Sikhism	Journey of Life and Death: Islam/Hinduism/Sikhism
PSHE	How can we keep healthy as we grow?	How can we keep healthy as we grow?	How can the media influence people?	How can the media influence people?	What will change as we become more independent? How do friendships change as we grow?	What will change as we become more independent? How do friendships change as we grow?
Music	Lyrics and Origin of The Blues	Protest songs. Garage Band	Movie Leitmotifs	Silent Movies and women in music/ Delia Derbyshire	Performing Together	Performing Together
Computing	Intro to Python	Big Data 1	Big Data 2	Bletchley Park (hacking/code breaking)	History of Computing	Inventing a Product
French	A l'Ecole		Le Week-end		Manger et Bouger	
PE outdoor PE indoor	American Football	Basketball	Fitness	Athletics	Cricket	Rounders
PE indoor	Dodgeball/Swimming		Gymnastics/Swimming		Dance/Swimming	
Visits/Visitors	Migration Museum Virtual	Mandir	Tate/Royal Academy Natural History Museum - Virtual Evolution	Centre of the Cell	PGL Boreatton Park	Canada Villa/Victoria Park