



## Year 5 Curriculum Overview - Summer 1 2024

<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>English</u></b></p> <p>Pupils will continue to develop their understanding and use of conveying information through the use of expanded noun phrases and relative clauses. They will also develop their understanding of modal verbs, parenthesis and dialogue. Children will study short stories from the Tales of Suburbia, develop their understanding of formal and informal styles of writing through letter writing and use metaphorical imagery when creating poetry about the sea.</p>		<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Maths</u></b></p> <p>Pupils will begin the new half term learning how to measure angles by using a protractor, before calculating angles around a point and on a straight line. Following this, they will explore reading and plotting coordinates, before moving onto learning about translation. They will end the half term by learning about lines of symmetry and reflecting shapes in horizontal and vertical lines.</p>	
<p><b><u>Guided Reading texts - Hacker by Malorie Blackman and Wolf Brother by Michelle Paver</u></b></p>			
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Science</u></b></p> <p>Pupils will learn all about life cycles and reproduction. Pupils will have the opportunity to research and learn about life cycles of different animal groups and plants, before asking questions when comparing them. They will be encouraged to use their data handling skills to show root growth over time on a line graph, before being given the opportunity to ask questions about what may happen to the growth in different situations.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Humanities - History</u></b></p> <p>This half term, pupils will study protests from twentieth century Britain. They will look specifically at how protests helped shape the social and economic changes within British society. Each week they will focus upon different protests that fought against racism, discrimination against gender and disabilities and sexuality.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Art and Design</u></b></p> <p>Pupils will be given opportunities to develop skills in creating interesting portrait drawing using words, experimenting with a range of materials and techniques. They will construct self-portraits that represent aspects of themselves. In this unit, pupils will have to think really hard about the composition of their work by making thoughtful decisions.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Computing</u></b></p> <p>Pupils will be creating a 19<sup>th</sup> century animation, before planning an animation on a storyboard. They will then explore stop motion animations, before editing them.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>French</u></b></p> <p>This half term, pupils will learn to construct high numbers in French, develop their food-related vocabulary through games, stories and role-play, before building on their understanding of sentence structures.</p>			
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Music</u></b></p> <p>This half term, the pupils will focus on the theme 'Words, Meaning and Expression'. Pupils will listen and appraise a variety of songs and then play the Glockenspiel using small sections of the song to develop their confidence in rhythm and tempo.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>RE</u></b></p> <p>Pupils will return to study Hinduism and will focus on choices and consequences. Pupils will consider Hindu teachings such as 'karma', 'Samsara' and 'Moksha' and how actions in this life will have a consequence for the next.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>PE</u></b></p> <p>Pupils will be learning about striking and fielding techniques within cricket. They will work in small groups to develop their batting skills and hand-eye coordination. 5A will also be learning how to play Handball and 5B will be attending swimming lessons.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>PSHE</u></b></p> <p>Pupils will continue to discuss economic and social decisions they will start to make as they move towards adolescence. Topics such as laws and parliament, budgeting, how to contribute opinions with others and contributing to a community will be focused upon.</p>
<p><b><u>Assembly Themes</u></b></p> <p>Children will learn about the value of <b>self-belief</b> this half term through our assemblies. They will learn about St George, the patron saint of England and May Day traditions alongside the important work of the Air Ambulance.</p>			