

Primary Curriculum Map
Years 4 & 5 2025-2026

Subjects	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Ancient Greek	Light and Sound	Londinium	Flight	Away from home	Active Planet
Literacy	Narrative - Stories from Other Cultures: - Identify themes and conventions in Greek Myths. - Draw inferences from themes and conventions in Greek myths. - Discuss a range of myths. - Predict what might happen from details stated and implied in the text Writing – composition: - Plan their writing. - Draft and write. - Evaluate and edit. - Proof-read for spelling and punctuation errors. - Read aloud their own writing	Non-Fiction - Recounts: - Read newspaper reports of a scientific event - Identify themes and conventions in news reports - Write their own news articles Narrative – Science Fiction within a familiar setting: - Express opinions about how elements of stories affect mood and atmosphere - Read, discuss and compare a range of science fiction texts	Narrative - Diary: - Retrieve and record information from non-fiction - Read and write, identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning - Drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions and justifying inferences with evidence Narrative – Fiction figures of Roman History - Research and learn about - Queen Boudicca - Septimius Severus - Julius Caesar - Cleopatra	Narrative – Poetry: - Listen and read poems - Read and rehearse poems - Discuss language, including vocabulary - Extending their interest in the meaning and origin of words Writing – composition: - Plan their writing. - Draft and write. - Evaluate and edit. - Proof-read for spelling and punctuation errors. - Read aloud their own writing	Narrative – Diary: - Retrieve and record information from non-fiction - Read and write, identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning - Drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions and justifying inferences with evidence Non-Fiction - Persuasive writing: - Write a letter to a potential host family - Use persuasive language in their writing, talking about their strength and key features themselves	Non-Fiction - Recounts: - Use imperative language in their writing - Read newspaper reports of a scientific event - Identify themes and conventions in news reports - Write their own news articles Narrative – Poetry: - Listen and read poems - Read and rehearse poems - Discuss language, including vocabulary - Extending their interest in the meaning and origin of words
Maths	Number - Place Value. - Counting and Comparing. - Adding and Subtracting. - Addition and Subtraction (4-digit numbers and compact method) Geometry - Properties of Shapes	Geometry - Properties of Shapes Measurement - Convert between the different units of measure - Measure and calculate the perimeter of a rectilinear figure in centimetres and metres Measurement - Area	Number - Roman Numerals - Multiplication and division – multiplying a three-digit number by a 1 one-digit number Measurement - Length and perimeter – looking at kilometres and meters, equivalent	Number - Multiplying and Dividing - Recall multiplication and division facts for multiplication tables up to 12 x 12 - Use place value, known and derived facts to multiply and divide mentally. - Decimals – 10ths and 100th as decimals, dividing 1 and 2-digit numbers by	Number - Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables - Decimals – comparing and partitioning decimals Measurement - Time – years, months, weeks and days, hours,	Number - Ratio - Proportion of numbers. - Statistics Statistic - Interpreting line graphs and charts Geometry - Properties of shape - Position and direction - Plot co-ordinates on a

		- What is area? - Counting squares - Making shapes - Comparing area	lengths and the perimeter of rectilinear shapes and polygons	10	minutes and seconds -- convert analogue and digital and the 24-hr clock - Money – compare and calculate money	grid and drawing and translating 2D shapes on a grid
Science	Animals including humans - Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans - Identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions - Classify animals by group of animals - Identify and arrange animals into a group - Create a classification key - Create own classification and sort out into groupings	Sound and Light - Identify how sounds are made - Find patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibration producing it - Recognise that sounds get fainter the farther they are - Recognise that light is required to see - Notice that light is reflected from surfaces - Understand that sunlight can be dangerous Audiology and Deafness - Deaf identity - Levels of deafness - Make a 3D model of an ear	Living Things and their Habitats - Recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways - Explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in their local and wider environment - Recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things	Forces - Investigate which magnets are stronger - How to conduct a fair test using surfaces - Learn and apply their understanding of north and south poles - Learn about friction and magnetic force	States of Matter - Solids - Gases - Liquids Rocks - Compare and group together different kinds of rocks based on their appearance and simple physical properties - Describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock - Recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter	Electricity - What common appliances run on electricity - construct simple circuits - troubleshoot and adapt circuits for different functions - recognise common conductors and insulators
Topic (History/ Geography)	History - Place the Ancient Greek civilisation on a timeline - Understand AD and BC - What is it like to travel there? - What are the food from Ancient Greek? - Olympics and Terence Parkin Art & DT - Greek columns - Greek pottery	History Place dates relating to significant inventions (sound, light, electricity) on a time line, to include: - Benjamin Franklin - Joseph Swan - Michael Faraday - Alexander Graham Bell - Zworykin and Farnsworth DT - Design a Christmas card using electrical circuits	History - The Roman Empire - Londinium - Roman roads in Britain - Life in the Roman Army - Roman food and drink - Gladiators - The Roman impact on Britain - Roman bathhouses	History - Understand the history and development of flight (particularly aeroplanes) and the impact this has on modern travel - Learn about the Wright Brothers and the invention of the plane - Learn the story of Amelia Earhart and consider theories about her disappearance	History - Understand how to find out about the events, people and changes in life in Britain during the Second World War - Understand the main features of the period: the blitz, propaganda, rationing, evacuation, community, and role of women. - Understand the reasons children were evacuated during World War II,	Geography - Physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle - Human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including

	- Greek structures History - Queen Elizabeth II's life - Reign of Queen Elizabeth II				whether from British cities or from other countries	energy, food, minerals and water - Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied
BSL	Ancient Greek - Olympics - Inventions Deaf studies linked to the topic - History of Blanche Nevile School - Deaflympics	Light and Sound - The influence of Deaf people in sound and deaf inventors. Deaf studies linked to the topic - Role shift and directional signs	Londinium - The influence of Romans can be seen in modern Britain. - Mosaic art Deaf studies linked to the topic - Fingerspelling	Flight - Looking and learning about describing objects that have the ability to levitate. Deaf studies linked to the year topic - Positional signs	Away from home - Discussing the experiences of Deaf people during the Blitz. Deaf studies linked to the year topic - Role shift and directional signs	Active Planet - Type and shapes of Volcanoes - Core of the Earth Deaf studies linked to the year topic - Fingerspelling
Computing	E-Safety - How to stay safe online We Are Presenters - How to edit - Storyboard and movie planning - Create an e-safety video	Programming - Understand the function of an algorithm - Create a story in Scratch Jr - Follow instructions to create a code in Scratch Jr - Write basic scripts in Scratch Jr	E-Safety - How to stay safe online Word Processing - Understand the function of a Word document - Create a paragraph, and manipulate the font, align and bold, italics and underline - Learn shortcuts and how to print a completed document	This Is Me - Digital Passport: Share Jumper - Digital Passport: Protect Password PowerPoint - Why is online safety important and deliver a presentation	E-Safety - How to stay safe online We Are Presenters - Film techniques - How to edit - Storyboard and movie planning - Create and edit a video	Stop-frame animation - To explain that animation is a sequence of drawings or photographs - To relate animated movement with a sequence of images - To plan an animation - To review and improve an animation
P.E	Fitness	Panathlon Target Practice	Dodgeball	Rugby Tag	Tennis	Cricket
	Badminton	Panathlon Balance & Agility Practice	Athletics	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming
PSHE / RE	Making Choices - How to make choices to make us feel good. Emotions - How we can manage our feelings. Personal hygiene	Judaism - Who and where - The festivals of Judaism - Rosh Hashanah - Yom Kippur - Sukkot - Hanukkah - Trip to a local synagogue	Explore how to Stay Happy and Healthy - Personal Hygiene - Healthy Foods - Exercise - Sleeping - Relaxing and well-being	Judaism - Different places of worship - The features of a synagogue - Hebrew as a language - Holy book of Judaism, the Torah - The symbol of Judaism	How do I stay safe online? - E-Safety: How to ration time and how the internet affects my wellbeing - Why some computer games and social media is restricted	Judaism - Prominent individuals - Anne Frank - Albert Einstein - How do Jews dress - The role of a rabbi - The celebration of Jewish children

	- How to brush my teeth - How do dress and tie my shoelaces			- Passover festival	Zone of Regulations - Explore the emotions - Identify and develop strategies on how to return to Green Zone.	
School Visits	Local visit to a restaurant to taste Greek food.	Tate Modern Trip to a local synagogue	Verulamium Museum	Science Museum	Anderson Shelter experience at the allotment	Natural History Museum JDA
Texts used	- Greek Myths by Marcia Williams - Ancient Greece by Eyewitness - Ancient Olympics by Jackie Gaff - The Orchard Book of Greek Myths by Geraldine McCaughrean	- Diaries/journals of an inventor. - The Iron Man by Ted Hughes. - The Dark by Lemony Snicket. - Beegu by Alexis Deacon. - The Science of Sound by Tabletop Scientist. - Light by Discover Science - Light and Sound by Science Fact Files.	- Black and British: An illustrated history by David Olusoga - A Picture book of Martin Luther King, Jr by David A Adler - Umbrella by Elena Aravelo – Melville - Boudica’s Army by Hilary McKay - Roman Britain by Usbourne - Roman Myths by Orchard Book - The Gladiators from Capua by Caroline Lawrence - 100 things you should know about Roman Britain by Miles Kelly	-Up and Up by Shirley Hughes -FarTHER by Grahame Baker Smith -Good Night Stories for Rebel Girls by Elena Favilli and Francesca Cavallo -If I had Wings by Pie Corbett -Kites by Simon Mole -Parrots Don’t Live in the City by Lucy Reynolds -Taking Flight: How the Wright Brothers Conquered the Skies by Adam Hanchen -The Science of Flight: The Air-Mazing Truth About Planes and Helicopters by Ian Graham -A Picture Book of Amelia Earhart by David A. Adler and Jeff Fisher	- Anne Frank by Josephine Poole and Angela Barrett - My Secret War Diary by Marcia Williams - Carrie’s War by Nina Bawden - My Story: Blitz by Vince Cross	- Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit - Volcano Wakes Up! by Lisa Westberg Peters - Going to the Volcano by Andy Stanton - A Trip to the Top of the Volcano with Mouse by Frank Viva - What happens when Volcanoes erupt? by Daphne Butler - Interfact Volcanoes by Two-Can - Volcanoes by Jenny Wood

This is the projected plan that may be subject to change.