

RE

The children will be looking into religion in the community and discussing why this is important.

PSHE

Children will be looking at laws, rights, responsibilities and pressure groups in Summer A. They will then learn about budgeting and identifying the difference between needs and wants.

Music

Children will be continuing on their learning from Spring - djembe drumming, they will also be learning songs alongside this.

PE

PE days Tuesday and Thursday for 5K and 5G. Pupils should come into school in their PE kits on these days. **Please ensure children have the correct PE kit, which should be clearly named.**

Equipment

Please ensure your child has the following equipment: pencils (HB), rubber, Berol or Uni-ball fine blue handwriting pen, clear 30cm ruler, pencil sharpener, glue stick, scissors, whiteboard pen. These items should be kept in a small, clear pencil case to fit in a shallow tray. Please help us to remind children to **replace items when they are empty.**

Homework

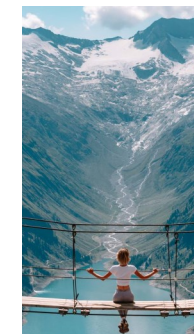
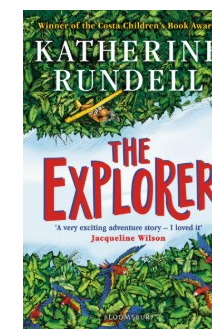
Maths, English and spelling/handwriting. Homework continues to be set on Atom Prime online. It is set on a Wednesday and is due in the following Wednesday Homework club is Mon-Weds.

Any other work on spelling shed/times table rock-stars/reading at home that you do will help your child greatly at this point of Year 5.

Year 5



Summer Term 2026



Year 5—Summer term

Read on to find out what we will be learning about in the Summer term!

Mathematics

The focus this term is on shape, decimals, position, negative numbers and volume!

Times tables also continue to be rehearsed but we encourage pupils to be learning these at home regularly too—this is very important!

Art and DT

In Art, the children will be working on designing and creating their own installation. In DT, the children will be looking at bridges and what makes them such reliable structures, before creating their own bridge out of wood.

English

Reading:

Whole class guided reading lessons this term will focus around our English text—the explorer. They will have the opportunity to use their retrieval, prediction, inference and explanation skills during these lessons. Children should continue to read at home or 10 minutes each night to build fluency and develop a love of reading for pleasure.

Writing:

In English lessons this term, the children will study key texts; The Explorer and Macbeth. Pupils will have the opportunity to create narratives, recounts, Information texts, letters and poems based on these, while also practicing Y5 grammar throughout the units. Regular spelling lessons will also take place, focusing on a key spelling rule each week.

Humanities

In the first half term in history, children will be studying the Ancient Greeks. We will be learning about the Greek Gods and what role they played. Learning how the Greeks lived and what they invented, using different sources.

Science

Our topic this term is ‘properties and changes of materials—children will be learning about how to separate mixtures, reversible and irreversible changes and carrying out lots of experiments involving these!

Computing

The children will be micro bits this term, using them to code different images and patterns onto a switchboard, which will light up! They will finish the year by doing a skills showcase of different things they have learnt through Year 5.