



Year 5 – Curriculum Overview – 2026-27

	<u>Autumn 1</u>	<u>Autumn 2</u>	<u>Spring 1</u>	<u>Spring 2</u>	<u>Summer 1</u>	<u>Summer 2</u>
Reading RWI Literacy Shed+	Guided Reading is taught daily through whole class VIPERS sessions.					
Writing	Persuasive letter Diary entry Biography Poetry – Windrush Poetry	Fantasy Narrative Journalistic Writing – Newspaper article Adventure Narrative	Persuasive leaflet Letter Writing (informal)	Poetry—Performance Poetry Balanced argument Debate	Flashback narrative Suspense narrative Recount	Poetry—Sonnets Narrative – writing a prequel Writing to summarise
		UK Parliament Week		British Science Week		World Environment Day
Maths White Rose Education	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division A Fractions A		Multiplication and Division B Fractions B Decimals and Percentages Perimeter and Area Statistics		Shape Position and Direction Decimals Negative Numbers Converting Units Volume	
Science	Living Things and Their Habitats	Properties and Changes of Materials	Earth and Space	Forces	Animals, including Humans	
History	<u>Anglo Saxons:</u> What are the main changes that took place in Anglo Saxon England?			<u>Ancient Islamic Civilisation:</u> What was life like in early Islamic cities compared to Saxon Britain?		
Geography			How has Harrow changed?			How can we make our local area more sustainable?
Art and DT KAPOW	Art: Drawing Depth, Emotion and Movement	DT: Mechanical Systems Making a Pop-Up Book	Art: Painting and Mixed Media Portraits	DT: Digital World Monitoring Devices	Art: Sculpture and 3D Interactive Installation	DT: Cooking & Nutrition Developing a Recipe
Computing Purple Mash	1. Word Processing (L1-6)	1. Micro:Bit (L1-4) 2. Databases (L1-3)	1. Databases (L4) 2. Game Creator (L1-5)	1. Concept Maps (L1-4)	1. Coding (L1-6)	1. Quizzing (L1-5)
PE PE Hub	Netball Rounders	OAA Hockey	Badminton Gymnastics 1	Dance 1 Basketball	Athletics Handball	Cricket Dodgeball
RE KAPOW	Why do people have to stand up for what they believe in?	Why doesn't Christianity always look the same?	What happens when we die (Part 1)?	What happens when we die (Part 2)?	Who should get to be in charge?	Why are some places in the world significant to believers?
PSHE Jigsaw	Being me in my world	Celebrating differences	Dreams and goals	Healthy me	Relationships	Changing me
Music	Ukulele Magic (Level 3)	12 Bar Blues	Music Theory with Keyboards (Level 5)		African Drumming (Level 3)	
MFL Mr French	Review of Year 3/4 Emotions	The Body At the Doctor	Countries and Cities Travel around the World	French across the World Nationalities	Numbers 50-100 Money	At the Supermarket



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