

Subject	Learning	Resources, Trips and Visitors
RE	In year 5, the children will receive 2.5 hours of religious education every week where we welcome, respect and appreciate other faiths in order to gain a deeper understanding of the world around us. In the autumn term, we will be exploring 'Ourselves' where the children will highlight their own and other's qualities and talents. They will then learn about 'Life choices' and discuss their responsibilities, moral choices and pathways. The children will define the meanings of hope and expectation by understanding what it means to be hopeful and compare this to the stories of Jesus.	Ideas for the weekend: Visit your local church on a Sunday
English	In English, we will be exploring a new scheme of work - Literacy counts. The children will be engaged within a book called 'Henry's freedom box' which explores themes surrounding slavery, refugees and American history. They will begin immersing themselves into the book through drama, book talk and comprehending the text before learning a model text - a diary entry. An exciting hook at the beginning of the scheme of work will most definitely inspire and stimulate the children's imaginations! The children will learn how to use a semi colon, colon and dashes correctly and be able to explain the appropriateness of each. They will learn how to use bullet points and hyphens correctly. In English basic skills lessons, the children will also have a deeper understanding of expanded noun phrases and learn how to effectively use modal verbs, passive verbs and the perfect form of verbs. After half term, they will be able to recognise vocabulary and structures that are appropriate to formal speech and writing. The children will also learn and understand relative clauses and how to use hyphens and commas to avoid ambiguity or to clarify meaning. As well as this, we will be reviewing previous objectives from year 4 throughout the autumn term.	Ideas for the weekend: visit your local library and sign up for a pass, it's free! Visit the local museums in Liverpool to see an exhibition on refugees – you could see how similar or different it is to Henry's story.
Maths	In the Autumn term, the children will continue to broaden their knowledge of number and place value by reading, writing and recognising numbers up to 1,000,000 as well as being able to compare and partition numbers into place value columns. We will also develop our skills around addition and subtraction by being able to mentally add and subtract with increasingly large numbers. This is something that we will continue to strive to achieve over the academic year. After half term, our focus will be on multiplication and division. We will be able to identify multiples and common factors of two or more numbers and find factor pairs of two digit numbers. We will have a good understanding of the terms multiple, factor, and prime, square and cube numbers. We will be able to use this mathematical vocabulary well in order to construct equivalent statements.	Ideas for the weekend: encourage your children to help you pay for you're shopping at the weekend and calculate your change. They could also exchange money and become familiar with the value of it. Resources: a great resource for the children is to wear a watch to encourage them to tell the time and not to rely on technology.
Science	Our first science topic of the year is Forces. The children will thrive based on the exciting experiments and the planning of their own scientific enquiries which will enable them to answer questions. They will be able to recognise and control variables of a scientific enquiry.	Trip: Visit the Catalyst Museum for a 'Forces' workshop Ideas for the Weekend: Visit your local museum, there are lots of free workshops!



Geography	In Geography, we will be discovering and exploring The United Kingdom. By the end of	Trip: visit to the river Mersey
	year 5, the pupils will be able to follow routes on maps and use the index and contents	
	page of an atlas and use 4 and 6 figure co-ordinates to locate features. The children	Resources:
	will be able to align a map with a route and use 6 -figure grid references. They will	An OS map
	be able to make sketch maps of an area using symbols and a key and design a plan for	Google Maps
	a specific purpose.	Atlas
		Globe
		Ideas for the weekend: plan out your trip to the park/shop/around the city by using
		google maps.
History	In the autumn term, year 5 will be learning about the Ancient Greeks - a fantastic	
· · · · · ·	link to the novel 'The Adventures of Odysseus'. They will be able to choose reliable	Ideas for the weekend: visit the Liverpool museum, most of the workshops are free!
	sources of information to find out about the past, to give reasons as to why changes	
	may have occurred backed up by evidence as well as describing how historical events	Resources: history books, encyclopaedias. The children in year 5 also love to read horribl
	have affected and influenced life today. From the perspective of the characters in	histories books as well as watching the videos online, it is a great tool for gaining
	the book, the children will be able to make links to the changes in society through	historical knowledge!
	recounts such as a diary entry.	
ICT/Computing	Across the autumn term, year 5 will learn about robotics and how to use spheros in	Ideas for the weekend: ask your children to create safe passwords for any child-friend
	computing lessons. They will also learn about the importance of passwords in order to	accounts that they might have.
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	their product by understanding the principles of healthy eating. In order to engage the children in the topic, we will be visiting a bakery where they will gain an insight into the preparation and making of bread as well as understanding how design technology impacts the world of production. After this, the children will then apply these skills to be able to make their own product where they will accurately use tools for shaping and finishing. Finally, they will consider their friend's views to be able to improve and evaluate their own finished product.	products too! Trip: to visit a local bakery to find out how bread is made.
PE	In year 5, with the PE coach, the children will learn how to play tag rugby. The children, with Miss Hall, will become more familiar with gymnastics and dance skills. In gymnastics, they will learn how to do a cartwheel, headstand, part rotation jump as well as sitting, standing and lying to support their shapes. In dance, we will be looking at three different types which are the twist, disco and street.	Ideas for the weekend: try and create your own dance routines at home with friends and family and encourage each other to evaluate in order to improve. Also, you could join a football team or a dance class.
Music	In music, with Mr Larkin, the children will have a focus on Rock music through Livin' on a prayer and also on Jazz. They will learn how to breathe well and pronounce words, change pitch and show control in singing. They will also explain and evaluate how musical elements, features and styles can be used together to compose music	Ideas for the weekend: practise your instrument at home. Also, it is useful to research famous musicians to see their skills and to be able to suggest improvements for yourself This could also broaden your knowledge of great music!
PSHE	The children in year 5 will learn about law and order, UN rights and minority groups in the autumn term. The children will also take part in 'life skills' sessions for one half term.	Visitor: police to talk about law and order and UN rights. Ideas for the weekend: talk to your children about the importance of the law and the consequences you may face. This is extremely important for the children to know about during adolescence.
Spanish	At the beginning of the term, the children will be reinforced with what they learnt in year 4 in order to ensure their understanding of the language. They will then learn numbers to 1000 and be able to give their personal information in Spanish. They will be able to speak in the tense of the 3 rd person and learn about different nationalities. The children will understand and learn how to compass directions to others as well as learning weather expressions. They will listen to spoken Spanish and pick out key words as well as being able to speak for a short period of time about a familiar topic with somebody else. They will learn how to read a small text of familiar vocabulary and write a short text	Ideas for the weekend: visit a Spanish restaurant. You could even try ordering your food in Spanish!
	on a familiar topic, with or without help. The children will se songs and rhymes to help learn new vocabulary.	

* Not all subjects are taught in every term