

YEAR 5 ANNUAL CURRICULUM – THE MODERN YEAR

	Michaelmas term		Lent term		Trinity term	
Art	Project – to discover the findings of the early explorers History of cartography, painting an explorers map with watercolours	Project – Tudor ship building – to create an origami boat using modroc technique and painting	Project – what is a container? Ottoman empire design and focus on Iznik pottery Making a decorative thumb pot	Project – to make a coil pot and decorate it with Iznik inspired designs Pottery and glazing	World wars depicted in art and war propaganda Project – to produce a silhouette picture of the Blitz and design a war propaganda poster Watercolours, silhouettes and design	Henri Matisse before and after the war Project – to produce a Matisse inspired cut out Collage and cut outs
Latin	1st conjugation verbs 1st declension nouns – subjects and objects Negatives and conjunctions	Understanding word order Translation technique – short passages	2nd conjugation verbs Questions Vocative case	1st declension nouns – plural endings Genitive case 3rd conjugation verbs	4th conjugation verbs Dative case Ablative case	Revision of vocabulary, grammar and translation technique
Classical civilisation	Early Roman legends The foundation of the city and people	Early Roman legends Aeneas, the father of Rome	Early Roman legends Military exploits	Public life Civic architecture and public spectacle	Public life Roman entertainment	Revision of legends and entertainment

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English	<i>Prince Caspian</i> , C. S. Lewis Poems by Spenser, Masfield and Shakespeare	<i>Prince Caspian</i> , C. S. Lewis Poems by Shakespeare, Squire and Raleigh	<i>The Wolves of Willoughby Chase</i> , Joan Aiken Poems by Kipling, Chesterton and Southey	<i>The Wolves of Willoughby Chase</i> , Joan Aiken Poems by Blake, Wordsworth and Tennyson	<i>The Silver Sword</i> , Ian Serrailier Poems by Hopkins, Brooke and McCrae	<i>The Silver Sword</i> , Ian Serrailier Poems by Sassoon, Owen and Hughes
French	Telling the time, school subjects, basic daily routine, opinions of school subjects	The verb <i>faire</i> How to use “il y a”, places in town, directions The verb <i>aller</i> French Revolution	Meals in France, food and drink, fruit and vegetables, The verb <i>prendre</i> The verb <i>manger</i>	<i>aller</i> + infinitive to talk about the future Regular –er verbs Quel / Quelle / Quels French festival foods	Sport and music, leisure activities, 24-hr clock, reading for information, signs and adverts	Writing about a weekend, the concept of “on” Accents and pronunciation practice France during the Second World War
Geography	The Modern Year – voyages of discovery and the role of the sea (Francis Drake, Vasco da Gama) wars in modern times					
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map skills • Direction • Distance • Symbols • 4-figure grid references • Showing height 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coastal environments, waves and tides • Erosion, transportation, deposition • Landforms • Managing the coast • Sir Francis Drake / Vasco da Gama 	Wars in modern times Israel and Palestine 9/11 and the war against terror Iraq, Syria and the Middle East			

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History	The Age of Discovery (15th – 17th century) Discoveries in the East and the New World, Columbus	Reformation and Counter-Reformation (1517-1603) Late medieval religion, the call for reform (Martin Luther, Henry VIII, Thomas More), the arrival of the Jesuits	Causes of the First World War, the Somme and the trenches	Gallipoli, the Lusitania disaster, shell-shock	The Second World War, Versailles and appeasement, The Battle of Britain, Pearl Harbour	USA enters the war, the Pacific, Hiroshima and the aftermath
Maths	Arithmetic – fractions, decimals, percentages, ratios, pre-algebra Geometry – measurement in 3D shape, shape reasoning and transformations Algebra – the use of algebra to solve problems, use of formulae The Modern Year – the organization of numbers (Gauss, Nightingale, Cantor) Junior Maths Book 3					
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Place value • Factors • Number properties • Decimals, fractions and percentages • Fractions of quantities • Percentage • Introducing investigations • Angles • Translation • Rotation • Area (and perimeter) • 3D shapes • Gauss – summing and modular maths 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ratio and proportion • Functions • Inequalities • Decimal multiplication • Decimal division • Long multiplication • Division using factors • Line graphs • Arithmetic mean, range, mode and median • Probability • Nightingale – visualizing data 	WCCS extension topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BIDMAS • Speed-distance-time • Scale drawings and grids • Introduction to algebra • Advanced number work • Advanced number sequences • Advanced data handling • Cantor – sets and infinity 			

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Music	<p>Music 1450–1750 Byrd, Tallis, Palestrina, Bach, Vivaldi, Handel</p> <p>Music 1750 – 1900 Haydn, Mozart, Beethoven, Berlioz, Wagner</p>	<p>Jazz and Blues – historical context, listening, performing</p> <p>Composing 12-bar blues – form and structure, ICT</p>	<p>American Spirituals – Year 5 concert preparation</p> <p>Theory – compound time, minor keys and intervals, rhythm dictation</p>			
RS	<p>The Old Covenant</p> <p>The Modern Year – modern Christmas traditions, Westminster Cathedral project, modern Judaism</p>					
	<p>Understanding the Mass, God the Father, the Creator, creation, the fall, Cain & Abel, the flood, the prefigurement, the Tower of Babel, Abraham</p>	<p>Isaac, Jacob and Esau</p>	<p>Joseph, life in Egypt, the Exodus, Moses, the ten plagues, the Passover, the promised land</p>	<p>The structure of the Church, Westminster Cathedral Project – building of faith study, St John Southworth in this part of London, the restoration of the English hierarchy, a neo- Byzantine cathedral, layout of the side- chapels, significance of the marbles/ mosaics</p>	<p>The Law of God The Ten Commandments & how they are applicable in the modern age</p> <p>The Kingdom of Israel, David and Solomon, the prophets promise a new king</p>	<p>Modern Judaism</p>

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Science	Health and nutrition, John Snow & the Broad Street pump	Microorganisms, how we see things Famous scientists – Louis Pasteur (pasteurisation), Alexander Fleming (penicillin), Edward Jenner (the smallpox vaccine)	Physical and chemical changes, separating mixtures	Properties of materials, earth and space Famous scientists – Alexander Parkes (inventor of plastic), Roy Plunkett (teflon)	Conductors and insulators (electrical and thermal energy) Famous Scientists – Benjamin Franklin, Nikola Tesla, Thomas Edison (AC/DC: the Tesla- Edison feud)	Living things and their habitats Famous Scientist – Charles Darwin (adapting to habitats)