Year 5 Termly Overview – Autumn 2026 (Term 2)

Anglo Saxons & Vikings

English

Key Text: Letters From The Lighthouse

Reading: We will continue to develop our VIPER skills.

Writing: This term we will be writing a narrative and a persuasive letter. Our focus skills will be: how to ensure vocabulary chosen reflects the atmosphere of the setting (through personification), using relative clauses to give additional information about an object and how to use adverbials/modal verbs of possibility to persuade.

Maths

Unit 1: Multiplication and Division - The children will continue to explore common multiples and factors and will learn about the new concepts of prime, square and cube numbers. The children will then learn how to multiply and divide by 10, 100 and 1000 confidently using their place value knowledge.

Unit 2: Fractions – The children will develop their Year 4 knowledge of finding and recognizing equivalent fractions. They will convert between mixed and improper fractions confidently using times tables knowledge, before eventually comparing, ordering, adding and subtracting fractions.

Computing - Unit: Word Processing and PowerPoint Skills

The children ensure that they are confidently able to create, open, save and rename documents. They will edit, delete, copy and align text, use line spacing, create paragraphs and organise information clearly.
Online Safety: To describe online issues that give us negative feelings and know how to get help.

Science

Unit: Space *(See Knowledge Organiser)*

History

Unit: Anglo-Saxons and Vikings *(See Knowledge Organiser)*

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RE

Unit: Was Jesus the Messiah?

(See Knowledge Organiser)

Music

Unit: Blues *(See Knowledge Organiser)*

PSHE

Unit: Valuing Differences
In this unit, the children will learn about qualities of friendship, tolerance, respect, valuing difference in race and beliefs – linking to British Values

ART/DT

Unit: Sculpture & 3D – Interactive Installation Art

(See knowledge organiser)

PE

Unit 1: Gymnastics

(See Knowledge Organiser)

Unit 2: Football

(See Knowledge Organiser)

French

Unit: Space exploration

(See Knowledge Organiser)