

Term: Autumn 1 2026-2027

	Week 1 31/8/26	Week 2 7/9/26	Week 3 14/9/26	Week 4 21/9/26	Week 5 28/9/26	Week 6 05/10/26	Week 7 12/10/26	Week 8 19/10/26
English: writing	The Depth of the Lake and the Height of the Sky – Jihjun Kim			Beowulf – Michael Morpurgo				
	Retelling a story. Haiku			Non-fiction: fact files.		Writing a story.		
Spelling	Review	-ous suffix	-cious suffix	-tious or -cious suffix?	-cial or -tial suffix?	Adding suffixes to fer (e.g. refer, referring, referee)	Statutory words	Assess and review
	Review statutory words from earlier years then begin to learn the Year 5/6 statutory words.							
Guided Reading <i>Dragon Mountain – Katie and Kevin Tsang</i>	We are working on: Vocabulary Have you noticed anything special about the way language is used in this book? Inference Why did this character react in this way? Prediction How do you think the story will end? Explaining Why did this happen? Retrieval What was the name of the town in which she lived? Summarising What is the main theme of this paragraph?							

Maths	<u>Number and Place Value</u> Revise Year 4 place value knowledge to 10,000. Recognise the value and position of each digit in numbers to 100,000.	Read, write, order and compare numbers to at least 1 000 000 and determine the value of each digit.	Read and write five- and six-digit numbers. Count forwards and backwards in steps of powers of 10. Partition and recombine numbers up to 1,000,000.	Compare and order numbers to 1,000,000. Estimate where numbers to 1,000,000 would lie on a number line. Round numbers to the nearest 100,000 10,000, 1000, 100 and 10.	Consolidate place value. End of unit assessments.	<u>Calculation: Addition and Subtraction</u> Add and subtract numbers mentally with increasingly large numbers. Add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, including using formal written methods (columnar addition and subtraction).	Add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, including using formal written methods (columnar addition and subtraction). Use rounding and inverses to check answers.	Solve multi step problems involving addition and subtraction and a combination of these. Solve missing number problems.
	Awesome Alps: Would you like to live in the Alps?							
Geography	Where are the Alps? WALT: Locate the Alps on a map?	What is it like in the Alps? WALT: locate the key physical and human features of the Alps	Why do people visit the Alps? WALT: describe the physical and human features of Innsbruck.	What is there to do in our local area? WALT: investigate why people visit our local area.	How are the Alps different to our local area? WALT: Make comparisons between an alpine region and our local area			
	How do we use search engines?							

Computing	What is a computer system?		How do computer systems help us?		How can I search effectively?		Why do some searches return more results than others?		How does a webpage's content influence its ranking?	
	WALT: explain that computers can be connected together to form systems		WALT: recognise the role of computer systems in our lives		WALT: experiment with search engines		WALT: describe how search engines select results What are web crawlers? WALT: understand how search engines return results		WALT: explain how search results are ranked and recognise why the order of results is important, and to whom	
Art	Self portraits: What is mixed media?									
	Can a poem become a portrait? WALT: explore how a drawing can be developed		How can a background change the finished effect of my drawing? WALT: combine materials for effect		What is the purpose of a self-portrait? WALT: identify the features of self-portraits What will my mixed media self-portrait say about me? WALT: develop ideas towards an outcome by experimenting with materials and techniques			How does my choice of medium match my idea? WALT: apply knowledge and skills to create a mixed media self-portrait		
Music	What is blues music and how can I play it?									
	What is blues music? WALT: explore the history of the blues.		How can I play a chord? WALT: play chords on tuned percussion.		How can I play a melody including chords? WALT: play the 12-bar blues.		What is a scale? WALT- play the blues scale on a tuned instrument.		How can I improvise? WALT: improvise with notes from the blues scale.	
	What is a Force? (Fair Test)									

Science	What is friction?	What is air resistance?	How can I plan a fair test?		What is water resistance?	What is gravity?
	WALT – investigate the properties of materials	Scientific enquiry WALT – carry out a scientific experiment and record findings/ data in table	WALT – recognise and control variables in a comparative test		WALT – Plan a fair test taking into consideration variables	Scientific enquiry
RE	What influence does believing in The Trinity have on Christian World Views?					
	For many Christians, what is the Trinity? WALT explore what Christians mean when they talk about God and the Trinity.	What can many Christians learn about the Trinity by reading the New Testament? WALT explore how many Christians find evidence for the Trinity in the New Testament.	How else might many Christians find out about the Trinity? WALT explore how Christians and Jewish people can have different ideas from the same texts.	How are ideas of the Trinity expressed in art? WALT explore how Christians try to creatively show the idea of the Trinity.	How do different Christians respond to ideas about the Holy Spirit? WALT explore how different groups of Christians act based on their beliefs about The Trinity.	What are our personal ideas about God and the Trinity? WALT consider how our personal views affect how we respond to Christian beliefs.
PE	How can I improve my skills at invasion games? Sports Coaches					
	How can communication improve teamwork? WALT: To develop team work through communication	Can I use tactics to attack and defend? WALT: To understand, choose and apply a range of tactics and strategies for defense and attack	Can I show sportsmanship as well as teamwork? WALT: To understand how it feels to win and lose	What is spatial awareness? WALT: To pass a ball towards a space for a team mate to receive	Can I apply tactics into game situations? WALT: To understand, choose and apply a range of tactics and strategies or defense and attack	Can I play an invasion game and display teamwork? WALT: To develop team work through communication To play games competitively
	How can I develop leadership skills in outdoor and adventurous activities? EP					

	What is the country code and why is it important? WALT remember the country code.	How does teamwork help to solve challenge? WALT communicate and cooperate.	How can I pace myself? WALT demonstrate endurance and problem solving.	What is good leadership? WALT solve simple problems and challenges as leaders	How do compasses work? WALT to follow compass directions.	Can I read a map? WALT develop map reading skills.	Can we work as a team? WALT apply orienteering skills in challenges around the school grounds.
French	As-Tu Un Animal? (Do You Have a Pet?): How can I say which pet I have/don't have in French?						
	What are the words for different pets in French? WALT: Read, recognise and use the nouns and indefinite articles for 8 common pets in French.	How can I ask and answer questions about which pets I have? WALT: Ask 'Do you have a pet?' in French and answer using 'J'ai' (I have) WALT: use 'et' to extend sentences.	How can I state what my pets are called? WALT: use 'qui s'appelle' to say what our pets are called.	How can I state which pets I don't have? WALT: state which pets we do not have using 'Je n'ai pas de...'	How can I extend my sentences in French? WALT: use the conjunction 'mais' (but) to extend our sentences.	What have I learnt this term? How would I evaluate my learning and progress? WALT: consolidate our skills in listening, speaking, reading and writing (assessment).	
PSHE	Me and My relationships: What makes a great relationship?						
	How can I work collaboratively? WALT: Describe the attributes needed to work collaboratively.	What does it mean to compromise and negotiate? WALT: Compromise and solve problems.	What qualities make a good friend? WALT: Demonstrate how to respond to a wide range of feelings in others;	Is this relationship healthy? WALT: Identify what things make a relationship unhealthy	Why do I need to be assertive? WALT: Identify characteristics of passive, aggressive and assertive behaviours;		