

Year 5/6 Curriculum Bulletin Summer 2026

As we hurtle through the Summer term we have our final topics for the year.



Space: A Multi-Sensory Journey

Pupils explore the solar system through Science, Holst's "Planet Suite" in Music, and ethereal Art.



Practical Skills & "On the Go" Food

Students are researching and designing food for travel in DT, supported by home-based measuring.

English

Year 5 are currently reading *The Explorer* by Katherine Rundell and producing some very high quality writing inspired by it. Year 6 are reading *Holes* by Louis Sachar and it is one of the most gripping texts to enjoy! Watch out for some budding authors!

Maths

Continuing with the year 5 or year 6 curriculum - if you can spend any time helping your child on things like x tables, measuring (an excuse to do some baking!) and telling the time would help support your child in school.

Science

Space - finding out how our solar system works and the role gravity has to play plus how the planets differ.

Linked also to music and art.

Computing

Developing quizzes followed by understanding spreadsheets.

<p>DT On the go food: researching, designing and creating food for when you are out and about.</p>	<p>Music Learning about Gustav Holst's Planet Suite and his composition of a piece for each planet.</p>	<p>French Learning how to say musical instruments in French and talk about them.</p>	<p>RE Sacred places related to Buddhism followed by trees as a symbol within the Christian faith.</p>
<p>PE Indoor: Balances and learning how to work together in a team. Outdoor PE is athletics - the summer is almost here so we are honing our skills in preparation for KS2 sports day (Tuesday 30th June).</p>	<p>PSHE Continuing with our My Happy Mind unit as well as RSE week: learning about our bodies and the changes that puberty brings about.</p>	<p>Art After half term we will be doing space themed ethereal art - get ready to be transported into the solar system!</p>	<p>Dates for your diary SAT's week begins 11th May Forest Week 19th-21st May Great Big Green Week mufti day Friday 12th June (wear green and bring a £1)</p>



SATs Week & Forest Week
SATs begin on 11th May, followed by Forest Week from 19th-21st May.



Forest Week



KS2 Sports Day