

English Spring 1 Following on from our Greek Myths last term, we will focus on Norse Myths to link with our history topic. In our writing, we will develop our knowledge of noun phrases, relative clauses and commas to clarify meaning. Autumn 2 To link with science, we will study a book about Canadian astronaut Chris Hadfield. In our writing we will understand how to use verb forms correctly and use brackets, dashes or commas to indicate parenthesis.		Science Spring 1 We will learn about Earth and its place in Space. To begin with, we will consider the order and relative sizes of the planets. Then we will learn about the orbit of the Earth and understand how day and night are created. Spring 2 After half term, we will investigate forces including air and water resistance and friction. We will also find out about the work of Isaac Newton and plan our own investigation.	Maths Spring 1 We will briefly re-visit topics from last term, particularly short multiplication and short division. Then we will move onto area and scaling. Recall of times tables facts continues to be a main focus. Spring 2 After our work understanding decimals last term, we will move onto calculating with decimals. We will also identify factors, multiples and prime numbers. Times tables continue to be crucial!	
Computing Children will learn how to search a provided database. They will sort data in different ways and create their own database linked to our science work.	Music Mr Bennett will be taking the class for music after half term.	<div> Class 5 Spring Term Overview </div>	PE The Anglo Saxons will be the stimulus for our Dance work in PE. Mr O'Reilly will teach PE after half term in addition to various outdoor pursuits at the Pioneer Centre.	RE Spring 1 Finding out what it means to be a Muslim in Britain today Spring 2 Learning about the Torah and why it is important to Jews.
Geography We will be exploring the Water Cycle and recognising the different features of Rivers. Our work looking at the River Severn will consider its particular characteristics and the increasing risk of flooding. We will learn about Offa's Dyke as a link to our history Anglo Saxon Topic.		Art In Art, we will explore the work of Gustav Klimt. We will learn about shading techniques when finishing and creating portraits of our own. We will use a range of media to create a Klimt inspired collage. Design Technology Children will develop their design and sewing skills to create an Anglo-Saxon purse.	History In history we will learn about the Anglo-Saxons and find out when and why they came to Britain and decided to settle here. We will explore different types of historical evidence and consider what it tells us. We will explore what the Anglo-Saxons believed and consider the conversion to Christianity.	