

Year 5 reading overview	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Core texts	The boy at the back of the class by Onjali Rauf	Beowulf by Michael Morpurgo	The Chronicles of Narnia by C.S. Lewis	The Nowhere Emporium by Ross McKenzie	Wonder by R.J Palacio	Street Child by Berlie Doherty
Additional texts	Farther by Graham Baker Smith The Viking Invader				Shakespeare series of books	
Non-fiction	Anglo Saxons (history) Vikings and Lindisfarne (history) Planets in the Solar System (science) Mental Health (PSHE) Gravity (science)		Mountains of the World (geography) Mosques (RE) Ramadan and Eid (RE) Ordnance Survey Maps (geography)		Separating Mixtures (science) First Man on the Moon (science) Queen Victoria (history)	
Lit and Lang	Unit 1: Lit and Lang Prometheus and Pandora	Unit 2: Lit&Lang Bling by John Blake Bravery award for fire hero boy	Unit 3: Lit&Lang Goodnight Straud ‘Last night, I saw the City Breathing’.	Unit 4: Lit&Lang This is not a Fairytale Jeremy Strong-	Unit 5: Lit&Lang Dragon Slayer	Unit 6: Lit&Lang Father’s Day
Poetry	POEM Leisure by William Henry		POEM The Eagle by Alfred, Lord Tennyson		POEM I wandered lonely as a cloud by William Wordsworth	
Reading across the curriculum	Art- Leonid Afremov: The Artist of Colour and Light History- The Vikings Geography- Italy Science- Earth and Space, Forces Music- All About the Ukulele and How to Read Tablature, Samba Music and Its Amazing Rhythms DT- Understanding Electrical Circuits and Their Components		Art- What Is Concept Art? History- Early Islamic Civilisation Geography- Local Fieldwork Science- Living things and their Habitats, animals including Humans Music- What Makes Pop Music So Fun? All About Jason Mraz and His Music DT- The Digital World We Live In: A Journey Through the New-Age World of Technology		Art- William Morris: The Man Who Made Art for Everyone History- Victorians and the Industrial Revolution Geography- Biomes and Vegetation Belts Science- Materials Music- Modern Classical Music and the Composers Who Make It Magical, More Amazing Samba Rhythms DT- The Magic of Pop-Up Books, Bridges: Connecting the World	