Bourne Abbey C of E Primary Academy
Curriculum Map (2025-2026) Year 5

	Term One Term Title: "Workhouses and Wonders"	Term Two Term Title: "Workhouses and Wonders"	Term 3: Term Title: To Infinity and Beyond!	Term 4 Term Title: Shake, Rattle and Roll	Term 5 Term Title: "Who Let the Gods Out?"	Term 6 Term Title: "Who Let the Gods Out?"
English	**Week 1 – Handwriting focus (Nelson)** Update HW tracker **Week 2-7** PVPG Lessons Reading Spine: Street Child by Berlie Doherty	**Application Unit** – Non-chronological report – Mechanimals **Application Unit–** Recount A Day in the Life of a Street Child **Writing to Entertain** Poetry Visual literacy: Little Freak A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens Reading Spine: Cogheart	**Writing to Entertain** Description (setting) Context: Space (the fictional moon Pandora) **Writing to Inform** Non-chronological reports Context: Katherine Johnson – Fantastically Great Women who Worked Wonders by Kate Pankhurst Reading Spine: Farther by Grahame Baker-Smith There's a Boy in the Girls' Bathroom by Louis Sachar	**Writing to Discuss** Balanced Argument Context: Should phones be banned in schools? **Writing to Inform** Recount (diary and vlog) Context: Nigel Vardy's perspective whilst climbing Mt McKinley Reading Spine: There's a Boy in the Girls' Bathroom by Louis Sachar Pebble in my Pocket by Meredith Hooper	**Writing to Persuade** Job advert Context: Appointing a new member of the Zodiac Council **Writing to Entertain** Description (setting) Context: Theseus and the minotaur – the labyrinth Reading Spine: Who Let the Gods Out? By Maz Evans	**Writing to Entertain** Narrative (with dialogue) Context: Theseus and the minotaur – the labyrinth **Writing to Inform** Non-chronological reports Context: Mythological by Stephen Kershaw Reading Spine: Who Let the Gods Out? By Maz Evans
Maths	**Number** Place value Addition and Subtraction	**Number** Multiplication and division (A) Fractions A	**Number** Multiplication and division (B) Fractions (B)	**Number** Decimals and percentages **Measurement** Perimeter and area Statistics	**Geometry** Shape, position and direction **Number** Decimals	**Number** Negative numbers **Measurement** Converting units and volume
Science	**Living Things and their Habitats – "What's the buzz about bees?"** Mammal, amphibian insect and bird lifecycles The life process of reproduction in plants	**Forces – 'May the Force be with You'** Gravity, friction, air resistance, water resistance Gears, levers and pulleys	**Earth and Space – 'To Infinity and beyond!'** Movement of the Earth and planets relative to the sun Movement of the moon relative to the Earth Spherical bodies Day and night		**Properties and changes of materials – 'Material World'** Compare and group together materials based on their properties Dissolving and recovering substances from a solution Separating through filtering, sieving and evaporating Reversible and irreversible changes	**Animals including Humans** How humans change as they age
Computing	Selection in physical computing (programming A)- crumble	Computer systems and networks - Sharing information	Creating Media Spread sheets	Creating Media Spread sheets	Selection in Quizzes (programming B)- scratch	
E-Safety	September Self Image and Identity October Health, well-being and lifestyle	November Online Bullying	January Online relationships Safer Internet Day	March Online reputation	April/May Managing Online Information	Using online content and copyright rules
History	**Victorians** To understand how society changed during the Industrial Revolution Additional enrichment: Visit-Workhouse				**Ancient Greeks** A study into how Ancient Greek society developed into city states and the impact this had on society and conflict. Additional enrichment: year group assembly	
Geography		Mountains Fieldwork- Everest Base camp		Volcanoes and Earthquakes	European Region- Greece and Athens	
Art	William Morris			Islamic Art and Architecture		Style in Art
DT		**Build** Structures – Brunel Bridges (crumble)	**Sew** Bags		**Cook** Honey Cake	
PE	Swimming Wheelchairs	Swimming Dance	OAA Gymnastics	Dodgeball Basketball	Athletics Tennis	Rounders Cricket

RE	Being Human- Hinduism	Being Human- Islam	What do we mean by religious and spiritual experiences?		Philosophy	
Spanish	At the Cafe	At the Café Cultural topic – La Alhambra	Do you have a Pet?	Cultural Topic Las Fallas	The Date	My home
Music	**Spring into Harmony** Perform and compose with attention to phrasing, dynamics and accuracy of pitch	**Marvellous Melodies** Compose lyrics to match a melody and improvise using a pentatonic scale	**Winter Tales** Communicate, perform and compose music for different moods	**Travel in Style** Perform with a sense of style as an ensemble, identifying changes in timbre	**Fabulous Fanfares** Explore characteristics of various styles and traditions	**Eco Warriors** Perform, identify and compose to an audience
PSHE	Jigsaw unit: Being Me in the world	Jigsaw unit: Celebrating Differences	Jigsaw unit: Dreams and Goals	Jigsaw unit Healthy Me	Jigsaw unit Relationships	Jigsaw unit: Changing image
Eco/sustainability links throughout the curriculum	Increasing biodiversity by propagating plants	Whole School Switch off Fortnight				