



Poulton St Chad's Church of England Primary School  
Curriculum Overview for Year 5  
Academic Year 2024/2025



	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
<b>Science</b>	Forces	Earth and Space	Properties and the Changes of Materials (Brunel)		Living Things and Their Habitats	Animals, including Humans
<b>Religious Education</b>	How and why do Christians read the Bible? <i>Link to World Faiths: Why are sacred texts so important to people of faith? (Judaism/Hinduism)</i>	Christmas: How do our celebrations reflect the true meaning of Christmas?	Jesus: Why do Christians believe Jesus was a great teacher?	Why do Christians believe that Easter is a celebration of Victory?	Loss, death and Christian hope <i>Link to World Faiths: How do people of World Faiths and non-religious world views mark the end of life?</i>	St Paul
<b>Computing</b>	Online Safety	Coding	Coding	Game Creator	3D Modelling	Concept Maps

<b>History</b>	The Tudors Significant turning point in British history		The Great Plague Significant turning point in British history		Mayan Civilisation A non-European society that provides contrasts with British history	
<b>Geography</b>	Rivers and Mountains Focus on key topographical features, such as coasts, rivers, hills and mountains and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time. Physical Geography: rivers, mountains		Map Skills – Countries of the Americas Locate the World’s countries, using maps to focus on North and South America, concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries and major cities. Use maps, atlases, globes and digital mapping to locate counties and describe features studied. Physical Geography: climate zones		The Water Cycle Physical Geography: water cycle Human Geography: water and minerals.	
<b>Music</b>	Composition Notation Theme: Ancient Egypt	Blues	South and West Africa	Composition to represent the festival of colour Theme: Holi festival	Looping and Remixing	Musical Theatre
<b>Physical Education</b>	Gymnastics and Swimming	Invasion Games – Rugby and Swimming	Dance and Swimming	Invasion Games – Hockey and Swimming	Athletics	Orienteering
<b>Art</b>	Drawing – experimenting with lines	Painting - Wassily Kandinsky	Textiles - William Morris	Laura Oldfield - mixed media/carbon images of Blackpool	Digital Media – New York landmarks	Collage – in the style of Gustav Klimt

<b>Design Technology</b>	Cooking and Nutrition – Tudor biscuits/bread		Textiles – cross stitch sampler		Mechanical Systems - pulleys – 3D printing	Structures - building bridges
<b>MFL</b>	Getting to Know You	All About Ourselves	That's Tasty	Family and Friends	School Life	Time Travelling
<b>PSHE</b>	Get HeartSmart	Don't Forget to Let Love In	Too Much Selfie Isn't Healthy	Don't Rub It In, Rub It Out	Fake is a Mistake	'No Way Through Isn't True'