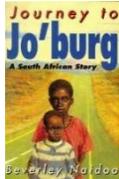
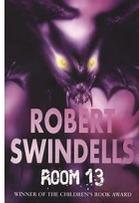
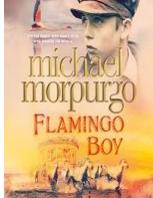
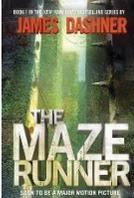
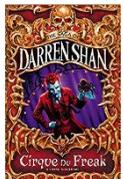
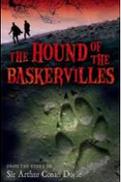




Year 5

Curriculum Overview 2019-20



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Vikings vs Anglo Saxons 	Vikings vs Anglo Saxons 	The Realm of the Khan 	In the Tomb of the Pharaoh 	Out of This World 	Out of This World 
Circle time discussions	Is it ever right to take something that doesn't belong to you?	Is lying to your friends ever ok?	Genghis Khan - great leader or murdering brute?	How important is water?	Was the moon landing real? Are we alone in the universe?	Can we justify spending money on space exploration?
Writing	At George Spicer we focus on the writing skills and we teach those through a range of fiction, non-fiction and poetry writing. Below are some examples of the pieces of writing your child may produce in this Year group. As we support a child led curriculum these could always change.					
	The Lindisfarne raid <i>(3rd Person narrative)</i> Ivar the Boneless <i>(biography)</i>	How to be a shield maiden <i>(non-chronological report)</i> The three Kings of 1066 <i>(persuasive writing)</i>	Genghis Khan kills his brother <i>(3rd Person narrative)</i> Genghis Khan: Great leader or incarnation of evil? <i>(persuasion)</i>	Mummification <i>(instruction text)</i> Uses of the Nile <i>(information texts)</i>	Conspiracy theories <i>(persuasion)</i> Should Laika the dog have been sent to space? <i>(balanced arguments)</i>	Sputnik 1 launch <i>(Newspaper report)</i> Satellite crash at GPS <i>(1st person recount)</i>
George Spicer Reads	Throughout the year, your child will be taught these specific reading skills: Retrieving, inferring, predicting, evaluating, visualising, making connections and summarising. They will be exposed to a range of exciting and inspirational books that will broaden their horizons and encourage them to read.					
	 	 	 	 	 	 

Spelling	Throughout the year your child will learn and be tested on a mixture of vocabulary. Whether that be high frequency words, topic words, homophones, spellings that follow the spelling rules or words that do not follow a pattern.					
Maths	At George Spicer we have a dual focus on arithmetic and reasoning. Throughout the year, children will have daily 'Smash the Maths' sessions designed to consolidate their basic number work and age appropriate skills (see Year Group skills on the website). The reasoning topics can be seen below:					
	Place value Addition and subtraction	Statistics Multiplication and division	Fractions	Decimals and percentages	Decimals Geometry: property of shapes	Geometry: position and direction Measurement and Shape
Science	Materials Properties of materials Mixing and separating materials	Forces Explaining gravity Air and water resistance Friction Levers pulleys and gears	Animals including humans Changes as humans develop into old age	Living Things in their Habitats Life cycles of mammals, amphibians, insects and birds Reproduction of plants and animals	Earth and Space Movement of the Earth relative to the sun Movement of the moon relative to the Earth Explaining day and night	Earth and Space Movement of the Earth relative to the sun Movement of the moon relative to the Earth Explaining day and night
Humanities Geography/ History	Timeline: When were the Anglo Saxons and Vikings around? Sequencing events on a timeline Visit to Weststow Anglo Saxon Village	Creating an Anglo Saxon map Erosion over time (lost Viking towns) Compare and contrast UK and Northern European countries	The extent of the Mongol Empire geographically and how they lived a nomadic lifestyle.	Physical features of rivers Factors effecting the water cycle Ancient Egyptians: Mummification, hieroglyphics, way of life, differences between rich and poor <i>Black History Unit: The Nubian Pharaohs</i>	The key features of Earth and how they are affected by space. Understand world time zones	Look at civilizations that investigated astronomy
RE	Buddha and his teachings	Mosque community	Christian values	Pesach	School designed unit – To understand that different religions have different beliefs	Sikh community Gurdwara (visit to a Gurdwara)
Art and D&T	Create an Anglo Saxon shield	Design and create a Viking boat	3D structures Draw and make	Cooking - ancient Egyptian food Model making	Space art – layering and overlapping	Space art – layering and overlapping
Computing	Scratch – programming and coding	Web page design	Sketchup – 3D images	Radio station – planning a podcast	Creating a Flowol – creating a flowchart and subroutine	Using and applying skills
PE	Gymnastics Dance		Gymnastics Outdoor and Adventurous Activities Invasion Games: shooting and keeping		Athletics Striking and Fielding	
PSHE	Living in the wider world		E Safety Relationships		Christopher Winter Project (SRE) – health and wellbeing	
RRS Theme for the school	Be the Best we can Be	Have our Voices Heard	Feel Safe	Be Respected for Who We Are	A Clean and Healthy School	Be Included

