St John the Baptist - Autumn Matrix – Year 5 2026-2027

Autumn1 7wk 2days weeks Autumn 2 7 weeks	1 Inset Tue 1st Wed 2nd Sept	2 7th Sept	3 14th Sept	4 21st Sept	5 28th Sept	6 5th Oct	7 12th Oct	8 29th Oct 4 days Fri INSET	HALF TERM	1 2nd Nov	2 9th Nov	3 16th Nov	4 23rd Nov	5 30th Nov	6 7th Dec	7 14th Dec Close on Fri 18th
Behaviour Focus	**'Love One Another'** **BE A GOOD FRIEND**									**'Love One Another'** **BE KIND AND LOVING**						
RE Lighting the Path	**Branch 1 - Creation and Covenant**							THEME WEEK - TOYS	26th -30th October	**Branch 2 – Prophecy and Promise**						
English Texts	**Beowulf**									**Kensuke's Kingdom**						
English Grammarsaurus Literacy Shed	**Narrative –** alternative chapter **Poetry- Free Verse**									**Narrative –** setting description 'Shipwreck island' **Instructions –** How to survive on a desert island						
Maths INSPIRE	**Whole Numbers** INSPIRE Book 5A, Topic 1 Numbers to 10 million Interpret negative numbers in context Place and Value Comparing Numbers within 10 million Rounding to the nearest thousand and estimating.									**Fractions** INSPIRE Book 5A, Topic 3 Like and unlike fractions Adding unlike fractions Subtracting unlike fractions Fractions and division Converting fractions to decimals Adding mixed numbers Subtracting mixed numbers Word problems						
	Whole Numbers INSPIRE Book 5A, Topic 2 Multiplying by tens, hundreds or thousands Dividing by tens, hundreds or thousands Order of operations Word problems									**Fractions (1)** INSPIRE Book 5A, Topic 4 **Addition and Subtraction** Product of proper fractions Word problems and converting to decimals **Fractions (2)** Division and Multiplication						

	Add and subtract whole numbers using more than 4 digits using a formal method Multiply numbers up to 4 digits by a one- or two-digit number using a formal written method, including long multiplication for two-digit numbers Divide numbers up to 4 digits by a one-digit number using the formal written method of short division and interpret remainders appropriately for the context Read Roman numerals to 1000 (M) and recognise years written in Roman numerals. Using a calculator				Product of an improper fraction or a proper/improper fraction Product of a mixed number and a whole number Dividing a fraction by a whole number Word problems	
Science **Switched on Science**	**Earth and Space, Topic 1: 'Out of this world'** Movement of Earth, planets and moon relative to the Sun. Rotation of the Earth.				**Forces, Topic 4: 'Let's get moving'** Gravity, Air Resistance, Water Resistance and mechanisms	
History **Plan Bee**	**The Vikings** The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor					
Geography **Plan Bee**					**Scandinavia** Physical Geography, Human Geography, Climate	
DT **Plan Bee**					**Funky Furnishings** Design, make and evaluate textiles	
Art & Design **Plan Bee**	**Viking Art** To discover and improve sculpting techniques To understand the historical and cultural development of art forms.					
Music **WCIT**	**WCIT – Guitar** Improvising Composing Performing Listening				**WCIT – Guitar** Improvising Composing Performing Listening	
PE **LEA scheme**	**Athletics**	**Gymnastics** Create and evaluate a sequence with counter			**Dance** Link sequences to produce a complete,	**Invasion Games**

	Understand different running, jumping and throwing techniques.	balance/tension.			four element story dance.	To use and evaluate attacking and defending tactics
Computing **Purple Mash**	**Quizzing - NC strand – Information Technology** **Databases- NC strand - Information Technology**				**Game Creator - NC strand – Computer Science**	
PSHE **One Decision**	**Peer Pressure** Keeping/Staying safe **Smoking** Keeping/Staying healthy				**Inclusion and acceptance** A world without judgement	
Languages **French St John's Scheme**	**Time** Numbers to 60 Question words Telling the time				**Meal times** Meal vocabulary Meal times	