



Cycle A | Kestrel Class | Y5&6

	Autumn 1 Geography Focus Ain't no mountain high enough	Autumn 2 Science Focus Are we still evolving?	Spring 1 History Focus Battles, Blackouts and the Blitz	Spring 2 Geography focus A Pollution Solution	Summer 1 Science Focus Is it creepy, is it crawly?	Summer 2 History Focus Greece Lightning
Literacy texts	Harriet vs the Galaxy	Call of the Wild - Jack London	Blitzed - Robert Swindell (homelessness)	The Dragon with a Chocolate Heart - Stephanie Bergis	A Shape Shifter - Feather and Fang - Ali Sparkes	Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief
Immersion Ideas & Trips/ Experiences	?planetarium visit			Book trip to a marine environment for Lesson 5 of geography unit.		
Science	Earth and Space Describe the movement of the Earth and other planets, relative to the sun in the solar system. Describe the movement of the moon relative to the Earth. Describe the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximate spherical bodies. Use Earth rotation to explain day and night due to the apparent movement of the sun across the sky.	Evolution and inheritance Recognise that living things have changed over time and that fossils provide information about living things that inhabited the Earth millions of years ago Recognise that living things produce offspring of the same kind, but normally offspring vary and are not identical to their parents Identify how animals and plants are adapted to suit their environment in different ways and that adaptation may lead to evolution.	Sound (gap filling) Identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating. Recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear. Find patterns between pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it. Find patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibrations that produced it. Recognise that sound gets fainter as the distance from the sound source increases	Electricity To compare and give reasons for variations in how components function, including the brightness of bulbs, the loudness of buzzers and the on/off position of switches. To associate the brightness of a lamp or the volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells used in the circuit. To use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram.	Living Things Describe how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences including micro- organisms, plants and animals Give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics.	Light Recognise that light appears to travel in straight lines. Use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain that objects are seen because they give out or reflect light into the eye Explain that we see things because light travels from light sources to our eyes or from light sources to objects and then to our eyes Use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them.
History		What does the census tell us about our local area? Identify the type of information the census gives about people. Use the census to make inferences about people from the past, providing	What was the impact of World War 2 on the people of Britain? Identify the causes of World War 2. Identify the different phases in the Battle of Britain.			What did the Greeks ever do for us? Describe the features of ancient Greece. Identify the key periods in the ancient Greek civilisation. Make inferences about

		supporting evidence for their statements. Make observations from the census and identify changes between periods of time. Identify the dangers of working in a textile mill. Create questions to identify the thoughts and feelings of a Victorian working child. Identify the key events of Mary's life and interpret her thoughts and feelings. Extract information from the census to recreate the lives of people who lived in a household from the local area. Extract information from the census and decide whether a family was rich or poor. Describing change throughout time.	Make inferences and deductions about a photograph. Describe how children may have felt when evacuated. Evaluate the accuracy and reliability of sources. Describe the impact WW2 had on women's lives.			Greek gods. Research a Greek god. Compare Athens and Sparta. Understand the different types of democracy. Explain how Athenian democracy worked. Explain what philosophy is. Identify the achievements of the ancient Greek philosophers. Identify the ancient Greeks' legacies and their impact.
Geography	What is life like in the <u>Alps?</u> Where are the Alps? What is it like in the Alps? Why do people visit the Alps? What is there to do in our local area? How are the Alps different from our local area? What is life like in the Alps?			Why do oceans matter? How do we use our oceans? What is the Great Barrier Reef? Why are our oceans suffering? What can we do to help our oceans? How littered is our marine environment? Data collection How littered is our marine environment? Findings	Would you like to live in the desert? What is a hot desert biome? Where are deserts located? What physical features are found in a desert? How can people use deserts? What are the threats to deserts? Would you like to live in the desert?	
Art	Drawing: I need space Understand and explain what retrofuturism is. Participate in discussions and	Craft and design: Photo opportunity Explain how a new image can be created using a	Sculpture and 3D: Interactive installation. Group images together, explaining their choices.		Painting and mixed media: Portraits Outline a portrait drawing with words, varying the size,	

offer ideas. Evaluate images using simple	combination of other images. Understand what	Answer questions about a chosen installation	shape and plac words to creat
responses, sometimes using formal elements to extend	photomontage is and recognise how artists use	thoughtfully and generate their own questions.	Try a variety of and composition
ideas.	photography.	Show that they understand	backgrounds o
Provide plausible suggestions	Select relevant images and	what installation art means.	drawings.
for how a piece was created.	cut them with confidence	Justify their opinions of	Communicate t
Comfortably use different	and a level of control.	installation artworks.	partner what I
stimuli to draw from.	Demonstrate a competent	Evaluate their box designs,	portrait they
Use past knowledge and	knowledge of effective	considering how they might	Show that the
experience to explore a	composition, discussing their	appear as full-sized spaces.	decisions abou
range of drawing processes.	ideas.	Suggest changes they could	of a drawing o
Select and place textures to	Use recording devices and	make if they repeated the	background, tr
create a collagraph plate,	available software with	activity to create a	ideas.
applying an understanding of	confidence.	different atmosphere in the	Create a succe
the material, which may be	Demonstrate a confident	space.	Use some Art
supported by testing.	understanding of Edward	Create an installation plan,	talk about and
Create a selection of	Weston's style through their	model or space.	portraits.
drawings and visual notes	artistic choices.	Describe their creations and	Identify key f
that demonstrate their ideas	Discuss the features of a	the changes they made as	website as a r
using sketchbooks.	design, e.g. explaining what is	they worked.	Explain their c
Generate a clear composition	effective about a	Describe how their space	artwork.
idea for a final piece that	composition.	conveys a particular message	Experiment wi
shows how it will be drawn.	Select a suitable range of	or theme.	and techniques
Apply confident skills to	props, considering the design	Make and explain their	adapting their
make an effective collagraph	brief and their initial ideas.	choices about materials	portraits.
print.	Use the viewfinder to set up	used, arrangement of items	Create a self-
Independently select tools	an effective composition,	in the space and the overall	aims to repres
and drawing techniques, with	thinking about the scale and	display of the installation.	about them.
some guidance.	positioning of objects.	Show they have considered	Show they hav
Demonstrate growing	Use editing software to	options for how to display	the effect cre
independence, discussing	change their image,	their installation best e.g.	choice of mate
ways to improve work.	reflecting an artist's style.	lighting effects.	composition in
	Choose a suitable painting	Present information about	piece.
	and suggest appropriate	their installation clearly in	
	ways to recreate it	the chosen format.	
	photographically with props.	Justify choices made,	
	Set up a composition and	explaining how they improve	
	think about a space that will	the viewer experience or	
	provide good lighting levels.	make it interactive.	
	Take a portrait that is		
	focused and appropriately		
	framed.		
	Draw an accurately		
	measured grid, with some		
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	support, understanding how it can support them with their drawing. Use the grid to translate a photograph to a drawn image that is mostly correctly proportioned. Create a final painting or drawing with tonal differences that create a photo-realistic effect.			
Design & Technology	Playgrounds Create five apparatus designs, applying the design criteria to their work. Make suitable changes to their work after peer evaluation. Make roughly three different structures from their plans using the materials available. Complete their structures, improving the quality of their rough versions and applying some cladding to a few areas. Secure their apparatus to a base. Make a range of landscape features using a variety of materials which will enhance their apparatus.	Waistcoats Consider a range of factors in their design criteria and use this to create a waistcoat design. Use a template to mark and cut out a design. Use a running stitch to join fabric to make a functional waistcoat. Attach a secure fastening, as well as decorative objects. Evaluate their final product.	Come Dine With me To be completed on cooking day Find a suitable recipe for their course. Record the relevant ingredients and equipment needed. Follow a recipe, including using the correct quantities of each ingredient. Write a recipe, explaining the process taken. Explain where certain key foods come from before they appear on the supermarket shelf.	Doodlers Identify simple circuit components (battery, bulb and switch) with a basic explanation of their function. Explain that a series circuit is assembled in a loop to allow the electricity to flow along one path. Describe a motor as a circuit component that changes electrical energy into movement. Provide examples of motorised products that use movement to rotate or spin different parts. Remove and replace different parts of a Doodler, as part of a team. Suggest ways to switch the configuration to amend the form or function of the Doodler. Explain, in an investigation report, each of the changes they made and the effect this had on the Doodler's ability to draw scribbles (function) and appearance (form). Develop design criteria with



Computing	Unit 5.2 - Online Safety (3) To gain a greater understanding of the impact that sharing digital content can have. To review sources of support when using technology and children's responsibility to	<u>Unit 5.6 - 3D modelling (4)</u> To be introduced to 2Design and Make and the skills of computer aided design. To explore the effect of moving points when designing.	<u>Unit 5.1 - Coding (6)</u> To begin to simplify code. To create a playable game. To understand what a simulation is. To program a simulation using 2Code. To know what decomposition	<u>Unit 5.5 - Game</u> To plan a game. To design and c game Environment. To design and c game quest.

Game creator (5)	consideration for the target user, the purpose of their Doodler, a key function and the Doodler's form and final appearance (e.g. fun, bright, soft). Explain simply why their Doodler has a certain configuration based on the findings of their investigation (e.g. I used four pens because the Doodler would fall over with two). Create a functional Doodler that creates scribbles on paper with or without a switch. Identify and list each of the required materials, tools and circuit components required to build a Doodler. Explain simply the steps to assemble a Doodler as part of a set of instructions (or storyboard). Write instructions to build a functional circuit, explaining how to identify if it is functional or not. Provide suggestions to improve a peer's set of instructions after testing how effective they are at guiding someone.
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	one another in their online behaviour. To know how to maintain secure passwords. To understand the advantages, disadvantages, permissions and purposes of altering an image digitally and the reasons for this. To be aware of appropriate and inappropriate text, photographs and videos and the impact of sharing these online. To learn about how to reference sources in their work. To search the Internet with a consideration for the reliability of the results of sources to check validity and understand the impact of incorrect information. To ensure reliability through using different methods of communication.	To design a 3D Model to fit certain criteria. To refine and print a model.	and abstraction are in computer science. To a take a real-life situation, decompose it and think about the level of abstraction. To understand how to use friction in code. To begin to understand what a function is and how functions work in code. To understand what the different variables types are and how they are used differently. To understand how to create a string. To understand what concatenation is and how it works		To finish and share the game. To self and peer evaluate.	
Religious Education	<u>Why do Hindu's want to be</u> <u>good?</u>	Why do Hindu's want to be good?	<u>Creation & Science:</u> <u>Conflict or Complimentary?</u>	<u>What did Jesus do to save</u> <u>human beings?</u>	<u>What kind of king is</u> <u>Jesus?</u>	<u>How does faith help people</u> <u>when life gets hard?</u>
PSHE - Kapow Cycle B	Families and relationships Learning that families are varied and differences must be respected; understanding physical and emotional boundaries in friendships; exploring: the roles of bully, victim and bystander; how behaviour affects others; manners in different situations and learning about bereavement	Health and Wellbeing Learning about the importance of relaxation and sleep; understanding how to cope with failure; learning how to set goals and how to achieve goals; living a healthy lifestyle; the impact of technology on mental health and wellbeing; creating resilience strategies; the benefits of immunisation; creating good	Economic Wellbeing Exploring: attitudes to money, how to keep money safe, stereotypes in the workplace, the risks associated with gambling, and career paths.	<u>Citizenship</u> Recognising the role that pressure groups play in society; learning about the value of a diverse community; considering how our food choices affect the environment; understanding how to show care and concern to others; considering how rights and responsibilities are linked; learning about how		gital consumers; understanding ld be treated the same as face how to deal with first aid and giving life support;

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Music	What shall we do with the drunken sailor?		Madina tun Nabi		Kisne banaaya
	Compose body percussion patterns to accompany a sea shanty. Write these out using rhythm grids. Keep the beat playing a 'cup' game. Sing a sea shanty expressively, with accurate pitch and a strong beat. Sing in unison while playing an instrumental beat (untuned). Play bass notes, chords, or rhythms to accompany singing. Talk about the purpose of sea shanties and describe some of the features using music vocabulary.		Sing a song in two parts with expression and an understanding of its origins. Play a drone and chords to accompany singing. Improvise freely over a drone. Listen and copy back simple rhythmic and melodic patterns. Sing a round and accompany themselves with a beat. Instrument - African Drums		Sing and play t Kisne banaaya. Sing in a four-p accompanied w ostinato. Compose a simp accompaniment instruments. Create and per own class arrar Instrument -
	Instrument - Ocarina				
Physical Education	Swimming CT OAA CT	Gymnastics Counterbalance <mark>Arena</mark> Handball CT	Dance WW2 CT	Football CT Lacrosse <mark>Arena</mark>	Athletics 5 CT
Spanish			Phonics lesson 3&4 (C)Introduce the third andfourth set of phonics sounds/ phonemes in Spanish. Thesounds introduced in thislesson are:Ga, ge, gi, go, gu, b, v, cc, qu,zThe Date (I)I can repeat, remember andattempt to spell most of thedays of the week, the	<u>Clothes (I)</u> I can repeat most of the clothes vocabulary presented to me in class with good pronunciation and attempt to spell some of these words from memory, but I work better with the vocabulary written down in front of me, with some pictures to prompt me. I can use un/una/unos/unas with improving accuracy.	<u>Healthy Living</u> I can name and least 5 foods a are considered healthy diet, po with the help o prompt me. I can also name another 5 food that are consid a healthy diet i excess. I can tell you o

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understand the concept of adjectival agreement. I am becoming increasingly	
more confident using MI and MIS.	

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