



St John the Baptist Catholic Primary School

Curriculum Information: Spring Term 2026

Year 5

Religious Education	English	Maths	Science	RHSE
<p>Christmas Revelation Lent Holy Week</p>	<p><u>Texts:</u> Son of the Circus Monster Slayer Goodnight stories for rebel girls Gravenhunger</p> <p>Transcription: Secure legible, joined handwriting Application of spelling rules and patterns taught so far</p> <p>Sentence structure: Vary the position of clauses within a sentence.</p> <p>Grammar Relative clauses beginning with an omitted relative pronoun</p> <p>Composition: Use dialogue to convey character Evaluate the effectiveness of their writing and edit</p>	<p><u>Place Value</u> I can round decimals with two decimal places to the nearest whole number.</p> <p><u>Addition and Subtraction</u> Add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits including using formal written methods (columnar addition and subtraction).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add and subtract mentally with increasingly large numbers <p><u>Multiplication and Division</u> Multiply and divide numbers mentally drawing upon known facts.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. 	<p><u>Making Substances</u> In this topic, the children will explore how observing irreversible changes, such as baking bread or the rusting of iron, helps us understand how chemical reactions alter materials in permanent ways.</p> <p><u>Space and Gravity</u> In this topic, we'll explore how gravity keeps planets in orbit and discover the wonders of space, gravity and our solar system.</p>	<p><u>Personal Relationships</u> The effect of pressure and how we can use self-talk and build others up.</p> <p><u>Keeping Safe Online</u> This unit explores the consequences of sharing too much online as well as cyberbullying.</p> <p>We also look at types of abuse and making healthy life style choices.</p> <p><u>Safeguarding Curriculum:</u> Clever Never Goes Undressed Safer Internet Day (Feb) NCPC Day Smoking Gender Pressures Sexualised Online Bullying</p>



- Multiply and divide whole numbers and those involving decimals by 10, 100 and 1000.
- Solve problems involving multiplication and division, including using their knowledge of factors and multiples, squares and cubes.
- Solve problems involving multiplication and division, including scaling by simple fractions and problems involving simple rates.

Geometry

I can identify properties of geometric shapes.
can estimate and compare angles using key facts.

Fractions

- Recognise the percent symbol (%) and understand that percent relates to the number of parts per hundred, write percentages as a fraction with the denominator hundred and as a decimal fraction.
- Solve problems which require knowing percentage and decimal equivalents of 12, 14, 15, 25, 45 and those with the denominator of digit 10 or 25.



		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify, name and write equivalent fractions of a given fraction, represented visually, including tenths and hundredths. Read and write decimal numbers as fractions (e.g. $0.71 = \frac{71}{100}$). <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Measurement</u></p> <p>Convert between different units of metric measure (e.g. grams/kilograms; millilitres/litres)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand and use equivalences between metric units and common imperial units such as inches, pounds and pints. Use all four operations to solve problems involving measure (mass and capacity) using decimal notation including scaling. 		
History/Geography	D.T./Art	Music/French	P.E.	Computing
<p><u>(Spring 1) Geography – Brazil</u> In this topic, children will explore the country Brazil and the continent of South America.</p> <p><u>(Spring 2) History – The Mayans.</u> In this topic, children will explore the beliefs, achievements, and daily life of the ancient Maya civilisation. They will investigate where and when the Maya lived, examine their</p>	<p><u>DT – Breads around the world.</u> In this topic, children will explore the origins of different types of bread, including those from their own home country. They will then plan and create their own sweet or savoury bread roll. This learning also links to our science work on irreversible changes.</p>	<p><u>Exploring key and time signatures and the introduction of chords.</u> In this topic, children will explore key and time signatures to understand how composers organise pitch and rhythm in music.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>French – School Life</u></p> <p>Children will learn vocabulary related to their school, such as the</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Net and Wall games</u></p> <p>Across the term, the children will develop their skills in net and wall games by learning how to strike, serve, and return a ball with control and accuracy. They will explore tactics such as positioning, aiming for space, and anticipating an opponent's movements.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Spring 1 (Internet Safety Day)</u></p> <p>Children will spend a day exploring how we can be safer online.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Spring 2 (Digital Networks)</u></p> <p>In this topic, children will learn how digital networks allow computers and devices to connect and share information.</p>



writing, number systems, and calendars, and learn about their farming methods and traditions.

subjects they learn. They will continue to practise speaking, reading, listening, and writing in French.

Homework:

Due and given on a Friday – given on paper and on Juniper.
Spellings to be completed at home each night after learning two words a day at school.

Important Dates/Events:

20th January – Year 5/6 Celebration of the Word @ 3:15pm.
30th January – Y5 Dance Performance at 9:30.
6th March – Y5 Gym Performance at 9:30.
10th March – Year 4 and 5 join the Parish Mass.

How to help at home:

RHSE Parent Portal: <https://www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-portal/> Username: st-johnb-sp10 Password: floral-10
BBC Bitesize (maths): <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zykwvsg>