

Welcome to our Curriculum Outline for the coming two terms. For general information on routines and homework, please visit our year group page on the website, using the following link www.woodlands.kent.sch.uk and click on the [year group pages](#) tab.

	TERM 5	TERM 6
ENGLISH	WRITING In Term 5, we will be writing a newspaper article based on the book <i>The Tear Thief</i> . We will also be writing a story based on <i>The Lost Happy Endings</i> as a stimulus. The children will be reminded of the features of traditional tales and will be using elements of them in their writing.	WRITING In Term 6, we will be looking at persuasive texts and the unit will result in the children writing their own persuasive speech based on deforestation. We will also be writing a non-chronological report on Brazil as part of our geography focus.
	READING The children will also read Kensuke's Kingdom, by Michael Morpugo, in class and explore the themes within the book.	
	SPELLING Words that are homophones or near homophones; Words that are Homophones; Year 5/6 words	SPELLING Words with hyphens; revision of words covered during the year; Year 5/6 words
MATHS	STATISTICS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> draw, read and interpret line graphs two-way tables read and interpret timetables GEOMETRY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> classify, estimate and measure angles up to 180° draw lines and angles accurately calculate angles around a point and on a straight line lengths and angles in shapes regular and irregular 2D shapes 3D shapes MEASUREMENT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> kilograms and kilometres millimetres and millilitres convert units of length, between metric and imperial units convert units of time calculate with timetables 	NUMBER <p>Decimals</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> use known facts to add and subtract decimals within 1 complements to 1 add and subtract decimals across 1, with the same number of decimal places, and with different numbers of decimal places. efficient strategies for adding and subtracting decimals decimal sequences multiply and divide by 10, 100 and 1,000 and with missing values <p>Negative numbers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> count through zero in 1s and multiples compare and order negative numbers find the difference MEASUREMENT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> cubic centimetres compare and estimate volume estimate capacity
SCIENCE	LIVING THINGS AND THEIR HABITATS In Term 5, the children will be looking at life cycles of animals and amphibians as well as the characteristics of mammals. In Term 6, the children will be studying the lifecycles of humans, which will link to the PSHE unit on changes in humans and puberty.	

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HISTORY	ANCIENT ISLAMIC CIVILISATION During Term 5, children will be learning about Ancient Islamic Civilisation	
GEOGRAPHY		BRAZIL Children will learn all about the country of Brazil. They will learn about its location and the physical features of the land. Furthermore, they will learn about the traditions of the <i>Caboclo</i> people in this area of the world.
P E	ATHLETICS AND TENNIS	ROUNDERS AND OAA
PSHE	RELATIONSHIPS Lessons will focus on thinking about themselves as a person and what personal characteristics and qualities they have. They will be looking at how they behave online and with a social network. They will be looking at how to stay safe online and how much screen time they have.	CHANGING ME Lessons will focus on the changes that will happen during puberty. They will be able to explain how a females's body and a males's body will change over time and how to look after themselves physically and emotionally. They will learn about conception and how babies are made (this information was shared at the Information Evening for Year 5 in September).
FRENCH	NUMBERS Developing their counting and will be reciting numbers to 70.	MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS Children will learn how to say different musical instruments in French and will discuss different types of music.
COMPUTING	WE ARE ARCHITECTS Children research examples of art gallery architecture, before using Trimble SketchUp to create their own virtual gallery. Finally, they use the gallery to exhibit their own artwork.	WE ARE WEB DEVELOPERS Children learn how the school network and the internet work. They explore the HTML used to create websites and edit this using Chrome Developer Tools. They create their own website about online safety using Google Sites.
ART	ILLUSTRATIONS During Term 5, we will be looking at different illustrators linked to the picture books we are studying in English. The children will learn the skills to draw effective trees using charcoal and will create a watercolour scene.	BRAZILIAN ART During term 6, art will be linked to the topic of Brazil and we will be looking at the striking colours used in many pieces of artwork.
RE	WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MUSLIM IN BRITAIN TODAY? Children will learn in depth from different religious and spiritual ways of life about being a follower of the Muslim religion. Pupils explore the five pillars of Islam and the importance of these to Muslim believers. Pupils will gain a greater understanding of Islam and what we can learn from its beliefs, values and ideas.	
MUSIC	In Term 5 will be using Boomwhackers to continue to develop our understanding of pitch and rhythm, and following graphic scores to play melodies. In Term 6, we will be looking at djembe drumming and will have a workshop in school lead by a drummer.	