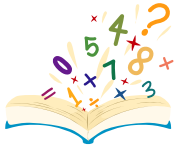
Year 5 Curriculum Map - Autumn 2 2026

Why would you come to Leeds?

Maths

In Year 5, we are on Addition and Subtraction up to four digits - with exchanges!
On Thursdays, we will also be focussing on how to tackle tricky arithmetic questions.



Reading Texts

We will look at a range of texts this half term, both fiction and non-fiction. Our end of day book (core book) is 'Room 13,' and we are linking our descriptive piece of writing to our core book, too!

Writing

Our main piece of writing is a setting description, with a focus on techniques to build suspense (alliteration, personification and similes).

PE

In PE, we are swimming again this half term on a Tuesday, and on Wednesdays we are learning about fitness.



Geography

In Geography, we are looking at why people might want to visit Leeds. We are learning about the physical features and human features that we might see and what a map of Leeds looks like.

Design Technology

Our inventor in focus this half term is Thomas Edison. We will be making a house with an electrical circuit inside to make it light up!



PSHE

In PSHE our focus this half term is 'celebrating differences' where we will be learning about what racial differences are, what the different types of bullying behaviours are and some features of other cultures.



Extracurricular Clubs

Hockey Club - Mondays after school

Rugby Club - Tuesdays after school

Enterprise Club - Tuesdays after school

NB60 & Trips / Visits

Our NB60 for this half term is litter picking! We are linking our litter picking activity to Geography.



