

# Avanti Park School

## Medium term plan - Year 5 Cycle A



### Alchemy Island

Music



### Off with Her Head!

History



### Pharaohs

History



### Stargazers

Science



### Time Traveller

Art and design



### Sow, Grow and Farm

Geography

Planned term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Lead Texts	Wizard of Earthsea - Ursula Le Guin; Kay Nielsen - East of the Sun and West of the Moon:	Treason - Berlie Doherty; The Frog Prince, Continued - Jon Scieszka; Sheep Don't Go to School: Mad & Magical Children's Poetry	The Egyptian Cinderella - Shirley Climo; Phoenix Code - Helen Moss Visual Literacy - Tadeo Jones (Literacy Shed)	Cosmic - Frank Cottrell Boyce; Cosmic Disco - Poems by Grace Nichols; Wonder - R. J. Palacio	Tom's Midnight Garden - Philippa Pearce; The Girl of Ink & Stars - Kiran Millwood Hargrave;	The Secret Garden - Frances Hodgson Burnett; Charlotte's Web - E. B. White; Village That Vanished - Ann Grifalcon
Memorable experience	Chief Alchemist's riddle	Elizabeth I deathbed scene	Mummification scene	Visit an observatory or planetarium	Interview people of different generations	Allotment visit. [Eat the Seasons] - Seasonality
Innovate challenge	Game soundtrack	The trial of Anne Boleyn	Egyptian funeral preparations	Rocket launch	Build a time machine!	Market gardeners. [Eat the Seasons] - Seasonal soups



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English and Languages: English

Fantasy narratives; Non-chronological reports; Letter Writing

Diary Entry  
Traditional Tales  
Poetry

Stories with alternative endings. Fictional Narratives Writing to build suspense/ tension

Newspaper Report  
Poetry  
Diary Entry

Adventure narratives; Setting descriptions/Inner Monologue; Letter in role

Memoir/Diary Entry  
Newspaper Report  
Information Text

English and Languages: Spanish

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Place and Time: Geography

Map reading; Using coordinates; Human and physical features

Maps

Human and physical features of Egypt; The River Nile; Tourism

Locating physical features

Local community

Land use in the UK; Allotments; Farming in the UK; Maps; Grid references; Climate zones; Physical features of North and South America; Farming in North and South America; Food transportation



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Nature and the Environment: Computing & Technology

E-Safety  
Photography;  
Debugging programs; Gaming

Research; Data handling; Presentations

Programming; Stop motion animation

Digital portraits; Data logging; Research

Art and design

Portraits; Sketching Tudor fashions; 3-D modelling

Drawing artefacts; Headwear; Hieroglyphic amulets

Printing; Design

Photography; Great artists – Andy Warhol, Salvador Dali; Collage

Still life

Design and technology

Electrical circuits; Designing a board game

Egyptian food; Making tombs and pyramids

Selecting materials; Research; Structures; Evaluation

Selecting materials

Seasonality. [Eat the Seasons] - Cooking; Nutrition

Place and Time: History

The Tudors

Ancient Egypt

Significant individuals – Galileo Galilei, Isaac Newton; 1960s space race

Changes over the last century

Dig for Victory

Mathematics

Baseline

Statistics Number:

Number:

Spring Diagnostic

Number: Decimals

Summer



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Diagnostic  
Number: Place  
Value Number:  
Addition and  
Subtraction  
Statistics

Multiplication and  
Division  
Measurement:  
Perimeter and  
Area

Multiplication and  
Division Number:  
Fractions

Number: Fractions  
Number: Decimals  
and Percentages

Geometry:  
Properties of  
Shape

Diagnostic  
Geometry:  
Position and  
Direction  
Measurement:  
Converting Units  
Measurement:  
Volume

Craft

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Composing;  
Recording and  
editing software;  
Music; Graphic  
scores

Tudor music;  
Composing

Music; Lyrics

Philosophy, Faith  
and Belief:  
:Personal, social  
and health  
education (PSHE)

Jigsaw: Piece 1  
(Being me in my  
world)

Jigsaw: Piece 2  
(Celebrating  
differences) Caring  
for animals Rules  
and consequences

Jigsaw: Piece 3  
(Dreams and  
Goals) Moral  
issues; Customs  
and beliefs; Role  
play

Jigsaw: Piece 4  
(Healthy  
me)Speaking,  
listening and  
sharing

Jigsaw: Piece 5  
(Relationships)

Jigsaw: Piece 6  
(Changing me)  
Debating topical  
issues



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Philosophy, Faith and Belief:  
Religious Education

Buddhism - Dharma Day

Christianity - Pentecost

Hinduism - Holi

Islam - Ramadan and Eid al-Fitr

Judaism - Passover

Sikhism - Guru Arjan Gurburab

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Nature and the Environment:  
Science

Properties and changes of materials;  
Working scientifically

Earth and space;  
Forces; Working scientifically. [Why are zip-wires so fast?] - Science investigation:  
Forces. [How do rockets lift off?] - Science investigation:  
Properties and changes of materials. [How do levers help us?] - Science investigation:  
Forces. [How does the Moon move?] - Science investigation:

Animals, including humans; Living things and their habitats; Working scientifically

Food chains and webs; Life cycles; Plant reproduction; Growing plants; Modern farming

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Physical Development and Movement

Specialist Teaching Provision: Yoga and PE

Specialist Teaching Provision: Yoga and PE Project Focus:Tudor dance

Specialist Teaching Provision: Yoga and PE

Specialist Teaching Provision: Yoga and PE Project Focus:Dance

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