

## Medium term overview - Y5 2024 Spring 1

### Language, Literacy & Communication

Wk 1/2 - Tide Singer – Story prediction, emotion graph, setting and Characters.

Wk 3 – Tide Singer Develop myth and legends, descriptive non chronological report on Mermaids and mythical sea creatures

Wk 4 – Create a Character pen portrait

Wk 5 – Develop use of speech marks developing dialogue between characters

Wk 6 - Elen's Island - Diary entry/instructions/ describe the scene

Wk 7 – Elen's island – Poetry - Dear Mother Earth poem.

Wk 8/9 – Elen's island – Letter writing/ fact-file on Puffin

WK 10 – Posters/Signs for Fair trade/Rainforest friendly coffee Afternoon

### Mathematics & Numeracy

Wk 1 – Money

Wk 2 – Data – line graphs

Wk 3 – Map coordinates and grid references

Wk 4 – Time

Wk 5 – Problems

WK 6/7 – Fractions

WK 8 – Percentages

WK 9/10 – Problems using the 4 rules.



### Topic Journey

Wk 1 – KWL grid – Wonderful World

Wk 2 – Fact file on a chosen animal.

Wk 3 – Plastic pollution -Data plastic over time.  
(Timmy the turtle/ Blue Planet)

Wk 4 – Diets -Vegans/vegetarians, land use and Fair Trade. Religious beliefs. Ramadan Muslim festive.

Wk 5 – How animals adapt and Charles Darwin theory of evolution.

### Discrete Science (only if appropriate)

Wk 6 – Plan sea water acidity experiment. (What effect does sea acidity have on shells/sea life?)  
Prediction

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Wk 7 – Set up sea water acidity experiment.

Conclusion

Wk 8 – Circuits

Wk 9 – How are islands made/ land form volcanic?

Bi-carb experiment link. Irreversible changes

Wk 10 – Natural disasters – Global warming.

### Welsh/ICT

Wk 1 - Welsh – Reinforce basic language patterns and introduce new vocab- Completed through games.

Wk 2 – ICT – Collaborative PowerPoint

Wk 3 – Welsh- St Dwynwens Day (Welsh Valentines day)

Wk 4 – ICT- Pic Collage /Seesaw peer reviews

Wk 5 – Welsh- language games.

Wk 6 - ICT - iMovie trailers Blue Planet

Wk 7 – Live lesson – Great British bird watch

Wk 8 – Create the Rainforest layers using digital technology.

Wk 9/10 – Create digital posters for our

Fairtrade/Rainforest friendly coffee afternoon.

### Home activity ideas

- MYON activities
- Mathletics activities
- Life skill – help your adult sort out the recycling. Tweet the picture to @GSPriYear5 or upload to seesaw.

### Independent tasks –

Art – Making Austin Butterfly drawings related to an animal or plants they have chosen and researched.

Cookery – Burgers (Veggie/Vegan)

STEM –Volcanic island making/ Research make a clay erupting volcano

Wood Work- Bug hotels/Keyrings

Research – Weird and wonderful creatures.

Reading – Record themselves narrating a part of David Attenboroughs Blue Planet.