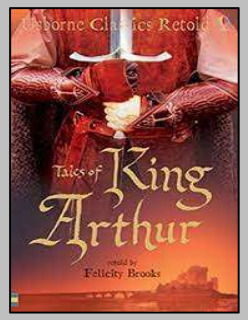
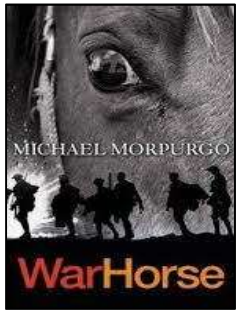
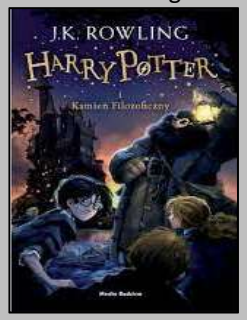
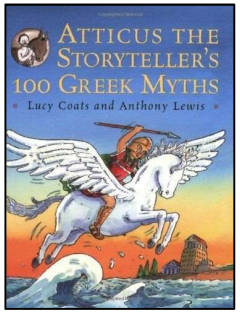
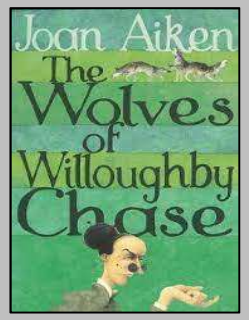
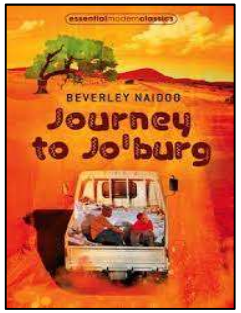
BEEHIVE LANE COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL: YEAR 5 CURRICULUM

	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
THEME	**Who has the power?**	**In the Trenches**	**Out of this World**	**It's all Greek to me!**	**Active Planet**	**South Africa**
VALUES Every child should …	Understand the importance of democracy and how it came to be in our country	Understand the sacrifices some make to ensure the rest of us are safe	Understand that not all children begin life with equal opportunities	Understand the importance of criticism – the positive role it can have in improving our knowledge and understanding of the world	Understand the importance of helping others, no matter how far aware they are	Understand the value of what we can learn from other cultures
DEBATE OPPORTUNITIES	- Is there a place for a monarchy in modern Britain? - Are there times when rights shouldn't be equal?	Should you be forced to fight for your country?	Is it right that around the world enormous amounts of money are spent on space ventures when many still live in poverty?	Should the Elgin marbles be returned to Greece?	Should those who choose to live near areas to natural disasters expect help when the worst occurs?	Do you ever change or are you always the same person? Should everyone experience living in another culture?
HALF TERM END POINT	Debate: Do we still need monarchy in the modern age?	Class Assembly	Showcase demonstrations of day/night		Presentation to an audience of how volcanoes, earthquakes and tsunamis are formed	Quiz of South Africa *(link to Computing skills)*
EDUCATIONAL VISITS	The Tower of London		Harry Potter World			Junior Music Festival

FOCUS TEXTS	King Arthur, Felicity Brooks 	War Horse, Michael Morpurgo  The Piano, Aidan Gibbons 	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone, JK Rowling 	Greek Myths, Lucy Coats and Anthony Lewis 	The Wolves of Willoughby Chase, Joan Aiken 	Journey to Jo'burg, Beverley Naidoo 
Related reading opportunities	Robin of Sherwood, Michael Morpurgo	Farm Boy, Michael Morpurgo	Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets, JK Rowling	Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets, JK Rowling	Black Hearts in Battersea, Joan Aiken The Whispering Mountain, Joan Aiken	Chain of Fire, Beverley Naidoo Out of Bounds, Beverley Naidoo No Turning Back, Beverley Naidoo
ENGLISH: Writing Outcomes	F: Setting description NF: Biography NF: Newspaper Report	F: Scenes story NF: Non-chronological report NF: Diary viewpoint P: Poems on a theme	F: 'Rags to Riches' story NF: Explanation NF: Mixed Genre (non-chronological report & character description)	F: 'Defeating the Monster' story NF: Explanation NF Persuasion	P: Narrative poetry NF: Newspaper Report F: Portal Story	F: Finding story NF: Discussion P: Nonets
MATHEMATICS	- NUMBER: Place Value - NUMBER: Addition and Subtraction - NUMBER: Multiplication and Division (A) - NUMBER: Fractions (A)		- NUMBER: Multiplication and Division (B) - NUMBER: Fractions (B) - NUMBER: Decimals and Percentages - MEASUREMENT: Perimeter and Area - STATISTICS		- GEOMETRY: Shape - GEOMETRY: Position and Direction - NUMBER: Decimals - NUMBER: Negative numbers - MEASUREMENT: Converting units - MEASUREMENT: Volume	

SCIENCE	Properties of Materials	Animals including humans *(Changes from birth to adulthood)*	Earth and Space	Forces and Mechanisms (Gears, Levers and Pulleys)	Materials: Changes and Separation	All Living Things *(Life cycles and plant reproduction)*
HISTORY	Monarchy: Change of power over time	World War I		Ancient Greeks		
GEOGRAPHY			Time Zones		Physical Geography and impact on Human Geography: Volcanoes	Physical and Human Geography: South Africa
COMPUTING	Sharing information	Video editing	Selection in physical computing	Flat-file databases	Vector drawing	Selection in quizzes
PSHE	- Family and Friendships: *Peer influence* - Safe Relationships: *Physical contact and feeling safe* - Respecting Ourselves and Others: *Recognising prejudice and discrimination*		- Belonging to a Community: *Protecting the environment* - Media Literacy and Digital Resilience: *Online targeting* - Money and Work: *Job interests and aspirations*		- Physical Health and Mental Wellbeing: *Sleep habits, sun safety, vaccinations, allergies* - Growing and Changing: *Personal identity* - Keeping Safe: *Emergencies, First Aid*	
ART	Drawing: Portraits			Sculpture: Greek pottery	Drawing and Painting: Texture and Vibrancy Artist Comparison: Joseph Wright of Derby and Andy Warhol	
DT		Cooking: WW1 rations	Textiles: Cushions			Mechanical systems (Cams)
MUSIC	RBO: Opera	ENO: Opera	Charanga: Make You Feel My Love	Charanga: Jazz 1	Charanga: Dancing in the Street	Singing: Junior Music Festival
RE	Multi Faith / Humanist: Is believing in God reasonable?	Christian / Muslim: How has belief in Christianity / Islam impacted on music and art through history?	Buddhist / Christian: What can we learn about the world / knowledge / meaning of life from great philosophers?	Christian: What difference does the resurrection makes to Christians?	Buddhist: How do Buddhists make sense of the world?	
PE	- Games: Football - Gymnastics	- Games: Netball - Dance	- Games: Hockey - Gymnastics - Games: Tennis		- Athletics - Games: Cricket - Games: Rounders	
MFL (German)	Talking about us, School subjects and opinions	In the city	Healthy eating – going to the market	Clothes	Out of this world	Going to the seaside