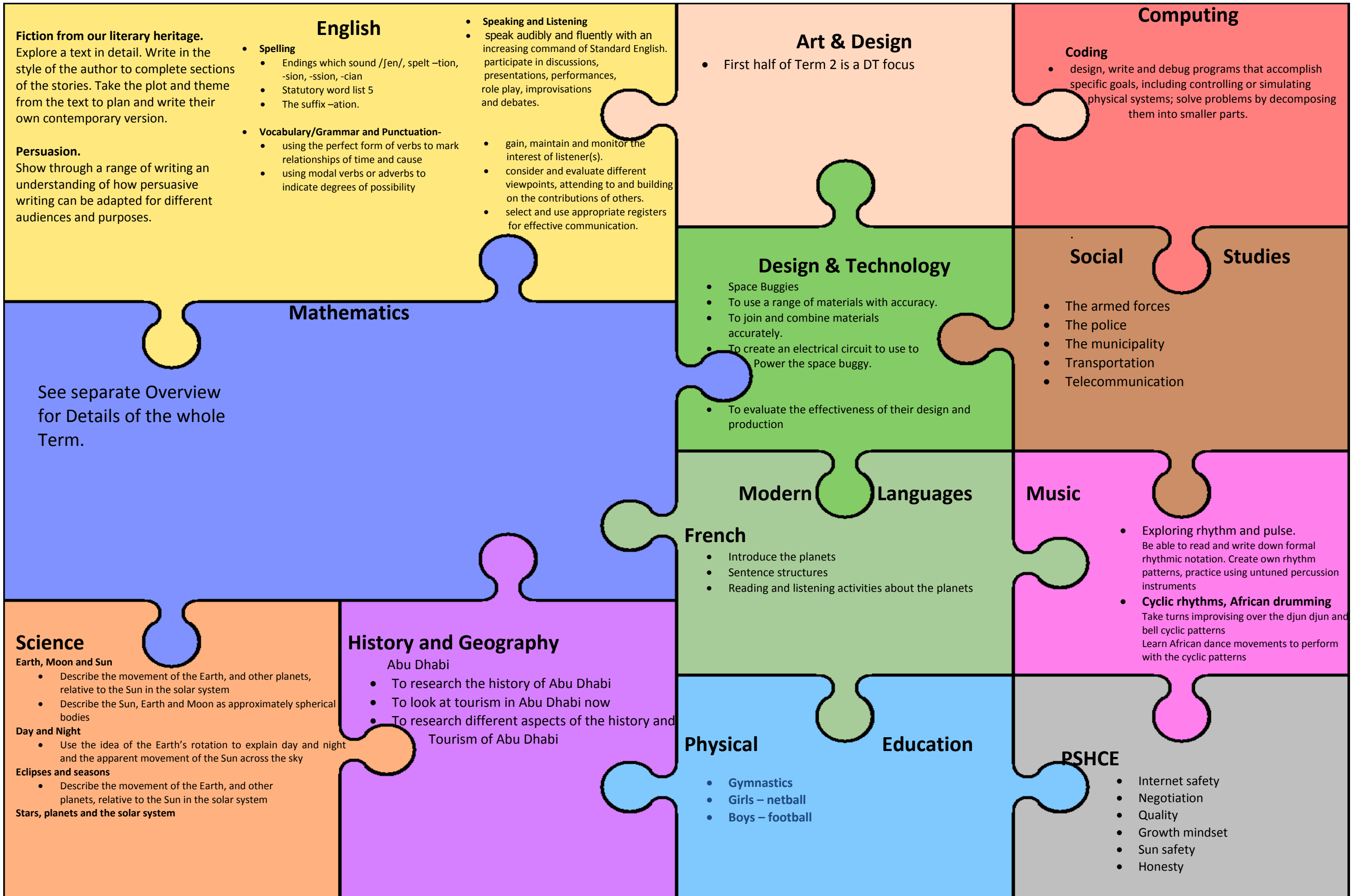


Curriculum Overview for Year 5 first half of second term 2017



English

Fiction from our literary heritage.
Explore a text in detail. Write in the style of the author to complete sections of the stories. Take the plot and theme from the text to plan and write their own contemporary version.

Persuasion.
Show through a range of writing an understanding of how persuasive writing can be adapted for different audiences and purposes.

- Spelling**
 - Endings which sound /jen/, spelt -tion, -sion, -ssion, -cian
 - Statutory word list 5
 - The suffix -ation.
- Vocabulary/Grammar and Punctuation-**
 - using the perfect form of verbs to mark relationships of time and cause
 - using modal verbs or adverbs to indicate degrees of possibility
- Speaking and Listening**
 - speak audibly and fluently with an increasing command of Standard English. participate in discussions, presentations, performances, role play, improvisations and debates.
 - gain, maintain and monitor the interest of listener(s).
 - consider and evaluate different viewpoints, attending to and building on the contributions of others.
 - select and use appropriate registers for effective communication.

Art & Design

- First half of Term 2 is a DT focus

Computing

Coding

- design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts.

Mathematics

See separate Overview for Details of the whole Term.

Design & Technology

- Space Buggies
- To use a range of materials with accuracy.
- To join and combine materials accurately.
- To create an electrical circuit to use to Power the space buggy.
- To evaluate the effectiveness of their design and production

Social Studies

- The armed forces
- The police
- The municipality
- Transportation
- Telecommunication

Science

Earth, Moon and Sun

- Describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system
- Describe the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximately spherical bodies

Day and Night

- Use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and the apparent movement of the Sun across the sky

Eclipses and seasons

- Describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system

Stars, planets and the solar system

History and Geography

Abu Dhabi

- To research the history of Abu Dhabi
- To look at tourism in Abu Dhabi now
- To research different aspects of the history and Tourism of Abu Dhabi

Modern Languages

French

- Introduce the planets
- Sentence structures
- Reading and listening activities about the planets

Music

- Exploring rhythm and pulse. Be able to read and write down formal rhythmic notation. Create own rhythm patterns, practice using untuned percussion instruments
- Cyclic rhythms, African drumming**
Take turns improvising over the djun djun and bell cyclic patterns
Learn African dance movements to perform with the cyclic patterns

Physical Education

- Gymnastics
- Girls – netball
- Boys – football

PSHCE

- Internet safety
- Negotiation
- Quality
- Growth mindset
- Sun safety
- Honesty

