

Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School

Year 5 English Overview

2024- 2025

Autumn

Spring

Summer

Core texts

- Private Peaceful
- Coming to England
- Jaz Santos vs The World
- Twas' the Night before Christmas (poem)

- Viking Boy
- The Man Who Walked Between Two Towers
- Song of the Dolphin Boy
- Alte Zachen: Old Things

- Children of the Benin Kingdom
- Julius Caesar
- High Rise Mystery
- The Listeners (performance poetry)

Objectives

- describing settings and characters
- Words with the letter string 'ough' rough, tough bought
- Using mostly correctly: capital letters and full stops, question marks and exclamation marks, commas for lists, apostrophes for contraction
- using co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions
- producing legible joined handwriting

- Words with 'silent' letters ilse, knight knife, doubt
- Words ending in '-able' and '-ible' flexible, probable
- using some cohesive devices* within and across sentences and paragraphs
- using different verb forms mostly accurately
- using co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions

- Homophones (isle/aisle, aloud/allowed, affect/effect, herd/heard, past/passed)
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- using co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions
- using some cohesive devices* within and across sentences and paragraphs