

Scorpions Curriculum Overview Cycle B (2025-2026)

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Topic	History - Were the Vikings raiders, traders or something else?	Geography - Why does population change?	History - British history 5: What was life like in Tudor England?	Geography - Why do oceans matter?	History - What was the impact of World War 2 on the people of Britain?	Geography - Can I carry out an independent fieldwork enquiry?
Science	Science - Energy: Circuits, batteries and switches (Y6)	Science - Energy: Light and Reflection (Y6)	Science - Living things: Classifying Big and small (Y6)	Science - Living Things: Evolution and inheritance (Y6)	Science - Imbalanced Forces (Y5)	Science - Making Connections (TBC)
Computing	Programming 1: Music	Stop Motion Animation	Computing Systems & Networks: Search Engines	Data Handling 1: Big Data 1	Data Handling 2: Big Data 2	Programming: Intro into Python
Art/DT	DT - Electrical doodlers	Art - Making my voice heard	Art - Portraits	DT - Pop-up books	DT - Developing a recipe	Art - Making memories
PSHE	PSHE - Family and relationships (Y6)	PSHE - Health and Wellbeing (Y6)	PSHE - Safety and the changing body (Y6)	PSHE - Citizenship (Y6)	PSHE - Economic Wellbeing (Y6)	PSHE - Transition RSE lessons from Safety & Changing Body topic
RE	Why does religion look different around the world? (Part 1)	Why does religion look different around the world? (Part 2)	Why is it better to be there in person?	Why is there suffering? (Part 1)	Why is there suffering? (Part 2)	What place does religion have in our world today?
PE	Football & Gym	Basketball & Dance	Gym & Hockey	Multi-Skills & Tennis	OAA & Athletics	Multi-Skills & Cricket

	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Cycle B	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Goodnight Stories for Rebel Girls by Elena Favilli	The Explorer by Katherine Rundell	Odd and the Frost Giants by Neil Gaiman	The Last Wild by Piers Torday	When We Were Warriors by Emma Carroll	African Tales: A Barefoot Collection by Gcina Mhlophe and Rachel Griffin

Pathways to Read (Guided Reading)

Pathways to Write (Literacy)

	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Cycle B	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Text	Queen of the Falls Chris Van Allsburg	The Lost Happy Endings Carol Ann Duffy	Manfish (Jacques Cousteau) Jennifer Berne	Island Jason Chin	Star of Fear, Star of Hope Jo Hoeslandt	Arthur and the Golden Rope Joe Todd-Stanton
Writing outcome	Diary entry Newspaper Report	Narrative with dialogue to advance action Winter forest poetry	Biography Persuasive speech	Non-chronological report Narrative	Narrative with flashback Letter	Information text Narrative: Myth