## St George's Central CE Primary School and Nursery

## **Subject Overview for English: Year 5/Year 6 2026-2027**

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Genre:	Genre:	Genre:	Genre:	Genre:	
Discussion/Debate	Newspaper	Narrative (Diary)	Narrative	Myths and Legends	
Narrative	Information text		Persuasive writing		
Text:	Text:	Text:	Text:	Text:	
HOBBIT	Varjak Paw  SF Said  This cell mark term to dight	EXPLORER  EXPLOR	KENSUKES KINGDOM	Beowulf: various authors  MICHAEL MORPURGO BEOWULF	
Audience for writing:	Audience for writing:	Audience for writing:	Audience for writing:	Audience for writing:	
Enthusiasts of the Hobbit	Readers of local newspapers	Young teenagers	Characters from the text	Children of different ages	
Purpose for writing:	Purpose for writing:	Purpose for writing:	Purpose for writing:	Purpose for writing:	
To persuade To entertain	To inform	To provide a recount of events	To persuade	To entertain	
Grammar:	Grammar:	Grammar:	Grammar:	Grammar:	
-Modal verbs	-Colons for lists	-Adverbials of time	-Expanded noun phrases	-Parenthesis	
-Commas to clarify meaning	-Punctuating bullet points	-Parenthesis	-Formal speech	-Semi-colons, colons, dashes to mark independent clauses	
-Formal speech	-Relative clauses	-Cohesion	-Modal verbs	-relative clauses	
-Adverbials of time	-Perfect form of verbs	-Conjunctions	-Adverbs	-hyphens	
-Cause and effect	-Passive verbs	-Pronouns			
conjunctions	-Direct speech				
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Poem:	Poem:	Poem:	Poems:	Poem:	Poem:
Far Over the Misty	A Journey to the Magi	Half Caste	Bright Bursts of Colour	School Bully Asleep	The Tiger
Mountain Cold	TS Eliot	John Agard	Matt Goodfellow	Brian Moses	William Blake
JRR Tolkien					

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