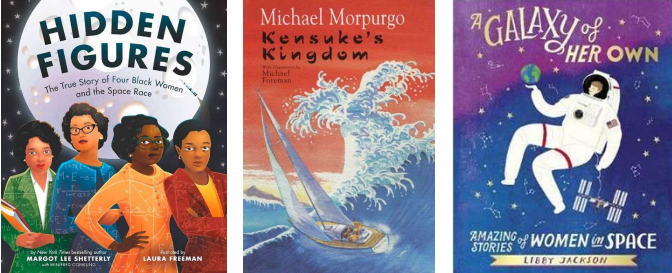




Year 5 Curriculum Map – Autumn 1 2026

How did Michael Marks and Thomas Spencer help shape Leeds yesterday, today and even tomorrow?

English	Humanities	Art and Design Technology
- In Writing, we will be writing using our lived experience, such as creating a recount of the M&S archives trip. We will also be learning to write engaging memoirs using recently gained knowledge about important historical figures linked to the text 'Hidden Figures.' - In Reading, we will be reading 'Kensuke's Kingdom' by Michael Morpurgo. We will be reading for a range of different purposes, identifying themes in texts and comparing them as well as further investigating the impact of vocabulary on the reader.	- In History, we will learn all about Marks and Spencer and its origin as a stall in Kirkgate Market. We will study and produce a biography. We will study changes and adaptations throughout the years, using various primary and secondary sources to inform our learning. - In Spanish, we will cover the topic 'presenting myself'. We will build upon the vocabulary we have already learned, focusing on asking questions and providing accurate answers.	In Art/DT, we will be experimenting with photography and collage using work by the artist Maggi Hambling to draw upon. We will build on skills previously learned in our spiral art curriculum.
Quality Texts	STEM	Personal Development
	- In Mathematics, we will continue to study place value, addition and subtraction. Alongside this, we will practise our times tables regularly. We will be exploring statistics, geometry, division, problem solving and reasoning as well as Roman Numerals. - In Science, we will be exploring the solar system in the unit 'Earth and Space' and hosting an exhibition based on what we have learned about our Solar System and beyond. - In Computing, we will learn more about the use of systems such as search engines and their role and use in modern life.	- In PSHE, we will be covering 'Being me in my world' where we will learn about the rights and responsibilities we have as a citizen and we will explore the impact of an individual's behaviour on a group. - In RE, we will explore the symbols and values that are important to Sikhism. We will study Sikh teachings and commitment. - In PE, we will continue to build on our Rugby and Hockey skills. Rugby will be taught by a specialist coach, and the children will develop on their skills learned last year.
New Bowerley 60 Experiences	Trips & Visits	Extracurricular Clubs
- We will visit a museum. - We will visit a market. - We will travel on public transport. - We will learn to swim (5 Johanneson this term, 5 Hepworth will commence later in the year)	- Kirkgate Market trip - M&S Archives visit  	- Lunch time choir - Check Arbor for after-school clubs on offer!