



Excellence through
Opportunity

Woodside Academy

Spring Term Year 5

Recommended Texts

Study of the Shakespeare play being performed

Michael Morpurgo - Beowulf

Joe Todd Stanton - Arthur and the Golden Rope

Writing Units

Recount - Diary based on the play being studied

Narrative- characterising speech on the Shakespeare play being studied

Instructions - How to raid an Anglo - Saxon settlement

Narrative Arthur and the silver lasso

Science, History,
Geography, Art/DT

Science - Forces
Are there different types of forces?

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DT -
Construction -
Fairytale
Engineering -
How can we use pulleys and levers to solve a problem?

5

Geography
fieldwork -
Biomes and ecosystems -
What trees, plants and animals are in our local ecosystems?

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History - How did England change during the settlements of the Anglo Saxons

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Art - Sculpture
How flowers inspire artists?

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Comprehension Units

2a, 2b, 2c
Explanation - How are volcanoes formed?

2a, 2b, 2c
Unseen text - How are rivers formed?

2a, 2b, 2d
Poetry - The car trip

2a, 2b, 2d
Unseen Text
Chocolate cake

Comprehension crushers

2b, 2d
Narrative - the legend of Ragnar Lothbrok

2b, 2d
Unseen Text - The Blood in the Snow

2b, 2d
Playscript - Romeo and Juliet (Act 1, Scene 4)

2b, 2d
Unseen Text - Romeo and Juliet (Act 1, Scene 5)

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PSHE

How can we help in an accident or emergency?

How can friends communicate safely?

Religious Education

What are the consequences in religion today
due to the Reformation?

If God is everywhere why go to a place of worship?

Physical Education

Indoor - Dance
Outdoor - Handball

Indoor - Hockey
Outdoor - Gymnastics

Music

Swing & Jazz

African Drumming

Computing

Programming - Selection in physical computing

Data and Information - Flat file databases