



**Y5 – The Elephants  
Curriculum Overview  
Summer Term (2nd Half)**

**Literacy**

**Whole class text:**

The Explorer by Katherine Rundell

**Focus:**

Reading  
Comprehension

Non-chronological  
report writing

Letter writing

Edit & improving written  
work.

**Grammar,  
Punctuation &  
Spelling**

Expanded noun  
phrases  
Relative clauses  
Fronted adverbials  
Modal verbs  
Adverbs of possibility  
Parenthesis

**Numeracy**

Shape  
Geometry  
Measurement



**Basic Skills**

Handwriting, Mental Arithmetic, Reading  
Comprehension, Spellings, Mathematics, Times-tables

**History**

Ancient Rome

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**RE**

Buddhism

**Art/D.T**

Rainforest –  
compositions  
Wind in our sails-  
Windmill project

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**Music**

**Sing Up**

**Computing**

Purple Mash

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**P.E**

Rounders and  
Athletics  
(Mondays and Tuesdays)



**Science**

Animals including humans