











Oaks Annual Overview 2024-25- Cycle A

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Key Value	Hope	Hope	Forgiveness	Forgiveness	Justice	Justice
Linked values	Aspiration	Perseverance	Compassion	Peace	Service	Courage
Faith Links	Harvest	Christmas	Chinese New Year / Ramadan	Easter		
English Core texts 	The Highwayman Walked between Towers	The Rain Player The Tempest	The Lost Thing Freedom Bird	The Sleeper and the Spindle Firebird Saviour	Benin Kingdom Anne Frank	The Last Wild Highrise Mystery
Writing - extended outcomes 	Narrative – different point of view Biography	Explanation text Playscript Poetry	Fantasy Narrative Persuasive Letter	Fairytale Narrative	Non-chronological report Newspaper report	Discussion Text Crime Narrative
Reading for Pleasure (books to be read by the class teacher) 	The Last Wild Piers Torday		The Dark Wild Piers Torday		The Wild Beyond Piers Torday	
Maths 	Yr 5: Number & place value to 1,000,000 Addition and subtractions Multiplication and Division Yr 6: Number & place value to 10,000,000 Four operations with whole numbers Negative numbers	Yr 5: Fractions Multiplication and division Yr 6: Fractions Ratio	Yr 5: Measurements Decimals Word problems Yr 6: Measurements Decimals Word problems	Yr 5: Area and perimeter Properties of shape Yr 6: Area and perimeter Algebra Properties of shape	Yr 5: Percentages Graphs Volume Position and direction Yr 6: Percentages Graphs Volume Revision Position and movement	Yr 5: Volume Roman Numerals Review and revision Yr 6: Properties of shapes Position and direction
History 	Wars of the World "Wars of the World" is a thematic unit, based on conflicts past and present, with a key focus on history and geography. Pupils will learn about the root causes of war					You're Not Invited It begins by looking at the concept of invasion, before focusing especially on the Romans, learning about

	and have an understanding of its impact, focusing on the two World Wars in particular. They will also learn about civil wars and pacifism.				important Roman figures and their reasons for invading other countries.	
Geography 			Full of Beans Location Renewable energy sources			
Science 	Bright Sparks: Light Materials		Following in Darwin's Footsteps: Evolution and Inheritance Living Things		Healthy Body, Healthy Mind: Animals Including Humans	
Religious Education 	Christianity: Why is the Gospel such good news for Christians?	Islam: What does the Qur'an reveal about Allah and his guidance?	Hinduism: What spiritual pathways to Moksha are written about in Hindu scriptures?	Judaism: What is holiness for Jewish people: a place, a time, an object or something else?	Christianity: What is the great significance of the Eucharist for Christians?	Buddhism: How did Buddha teach his followers to find enlightenment?
Physical Education 	Tag Rugby Football	OAA Dance	Badminton Gymnastics	Hockey Netball	Athletics Tennis	Cricket Rounders
Music 	Stone age: Pitch, reading and writing notation	Vikings: Pulse, rhythm and notation	Planets: Composing	Rock and Roll Singing, instruments and composition	Melodies of Divinity Listening and appraising	Animal Kingdom chords and harmonies
Art 	Drawing: I need space			Painting and mixed-media portraits		Drawing: making my voice heard
Design & Technology 		Electrical systems	Mechanical systems		Cooking and nutrition	
Computing 	Data and information: file databases	Data and information: spreadsheets	Programming: selection in physical computing	Programming: variables in games	Creating media: video production	Creating media: video production
PSHE / RSHE	Being me in my world	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Enrichment 					Trip to Colchester Castle Whole school talent show	Whole School Trip to Pensthorpe