

Curriculum overview for Year 6- Oak Class 2025-2025

	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Mathematics	Place value Four operations Fractions Converting Units	Ratio Algebra Decimals Area, perimeter and volume Fractions, decimals and percentages Statistics	Shape Position and direction Consolidation and problem solving
English- Texts (large excerpts used in reading lessons)	Holes by Lois Sachar Oliver Twist by Charles Dickens Roof Toppers by Katherine Rundell Cog heart by Peter Bunzl A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens also is Around the world in 80 days Jules Verne also is In Flanders Field (Poem) John McCrae	The Highwayman Swallows and Amazons by Arthur Ransome Wind in the Willows by Kenneth Grahame Cosmic by Frank Cottrell- Boyce Northern Lights by Phillip Pullman The Tyger (Poem) William Blake	The Secret Garden by Frances Hodgson Burnett Swiss Family Robinson Wonder by R.J.Palacio 1000 year old boy by Ross Welford The Lost thing by Shaun Tan
English- Texts (used in writing lessons) Archaic texts Non-linear time sequence Complexity of the narrator Complexity of plot Resistant texts	The Promise by Nicola Davies The Unforgotten Coat by Frank Cottrell Boyce Night Mail by W H Auden (poem) Freedom Bird by Jerdine Nolen	Leila and the Fox by Kiran Millwood-Hargrave The Hidden Forest by by Jeannie Baker The Tyger poem William Blake SATS Texts	The Wind in the Wall by by Sally Gardner also resistant The Lost Thing by Shaun Tan Rain Player by David Wisniewski The Listeners- Poem
English- written outcomes	Persuasive (speech/ letter)	Report (not necessarily a newspaper)	Persuasive (speech/ letter) Non-chronological

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RE	Karma and Moksha Was Jesus the Messiah?	What would Jesus do? What difference does the resurrection make to Christians?	What might a Hindu gain from a pilgrimage to India? How does a worldview help people decide what is important?
Science	Light Electricity	Animals including humans (heart and circulatory system)	Living things and their habitats- (classification) Evolution and Inheritance
Computing	Computing systems and networks- communicating and collaborating Data and Information- Introduction to spreadsheets	Programming B- Selection in Quizzes	Creating media- Programming
Geography and History	Geography: Maps, OS maps and Contour lines Europe Transport and tourism History: Ancient Greece Mayan civilisation	Geography: Mountains North America History: Vikings and Anglo-Saxons The Kingdom of Benin	Year 6: Geography: International transportation and trade 6 Coasts, Erosion and deposition Ocean currents 6 History: WWII The Battle of Britain 6
Art & Design and Design Technology	DT- Food Celebrating culture and seasonality (including cooking and nutrition requirements for KS2)	DT- Textiles Combining different fabric shapes (including computer-aided design)	DT- Electrical Systems More complex switches and circuits (including programming, monitoring and control)
Music	Glockenspiel Year 6: Melody & Harmony 6	Glockenspiel Year 6: composing and chords 6	Glockenspiel Year 6: freedom to improvise 6

	Sing and play in different styles 6	Enjoying music styles 6	Battle of the bands 6
PHSE and RSE	Working together Let's negotiate (OPTIONAL) Solve the friendship problem Dan's day (OPTIONAL) Behave yourself Assertiveness skills (formerly Behave yourself - 2) Don't force me Acting appropriately OK to be different We have more in common than not Respecting differences Tolerance and respect for others Advertising friendships! Boys will be boys? - challenging gender stereotypes	Think before you click! It's a puzzle (OPTIONAL) To share or not to share? Rat Park What sort of drug is...? Drugs: it's the law! Alcohol: what is normal? Two sides to every story Fakebook friends What's it worth? Happy shoppers - caring for the environment Democracy in Britain 1 - Elections Democracy in Britain 2 - How (most) laws are made	Year 6: This will be your life! Our recommendations What's the risk? (1) What's the risk? (2) Basic first aid, including Sepsis Awareness Five Ways to Wellbeing project I look great! Media manipulation Pressure online Helpful or unhelpful? Managing change Is this normal? Making babies
PE	OAA Tag rugby Gymnastics Yoga	Fitness Dance Badminton Hockey	Cricket Football Athletics Tennis
French	Developing knowledge of French Phonics, grammar and vocabulary Vocabulary to describe food and give our opinions on it. Throughout the year- opportunities to investigate France and the French culture.	Developing knowledge of French Phonics, grammar and vocabulary Vocabulary to describe yourself and your family.	Developing knowledge of French Phonics, grammar and vocabulary Vocabulary to describe the places in town and give directions.