

## Prep School Curriculum Overview 2023-2024

Year 6									
Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2			
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Fractions	Fractions Converting Units of Measurement	Ratio Algebra Decimals	Fractions, Decimals, Percentages Area, Perimeter and Volume Statistics	Shape Perimeter and Direction	Preparation for Y7 and Problem-Solving Projects			
English (poetry scheme runs weekly throughout the year alongside writing lessons)	Writing to set the Scene Comprehensions Skills Grammar: formal/informal language; antonyms and synonyms, direct speech Writing: Setting descriptions as a basis for a short story, followed by character description Book Study: War Horse	Exam Practice for Senior School Entrance Conflict Poetry Comprehension Skills Writing: Individual and class Poem Book Study: War Horse	Persuasive Writing Comprehension Skills Information retrieval from longer text Speaking and Listening: Debating Persuasive writing: Traditional Tales Writing: Letter Writing Book Study: Frankenstein Inferring meaning about character	Shakespeare (narrative to playscript potion recipe) Comprehension Skills Focus on language of Shakespeare – modern language Playscript features Figurative language. Use of Metaphor, simile, onomatopoeia Poetry of Shakespeare Book Study: Frankenstein	Comprehension Skills Writing: Biography Non-Fiction Texts Identifying key information from a non- fiction text. Use of technical vocabulary Short Story Writing Writing: Book reviews and non-chronological reports.	Year 6 Play Features of play scripts Writing play scripts Performance focus Literature focus linked to play			
History/Geography	The Victorians and the Industrial Revolution	The Zulu Empire	Changing Role	of Women	The Atlantic Slave Trade Rebuilding Britain (Windrush) (Windrush)				
Geography	Extreme Earth		Our Local Area		North America	South America			
Science	Body Pump	Body Health	Electricity and magnetism	The Nature Library	Scientific Enquiry				
Art	International Art - Mexican Day of the Dead Mask,  Huichal Art, Clay Relief  Christmas Cards		Pastels & Kandinsky, IAPS art competition		Portraits " This is me"				
DT	Introduction to the Workshop — Block Bots	2D Design – Introduction to CAD	CAD modelling in 3D	Food Packaging	Graphics skills	Food Technology			
ICT	Online Safety – Online Dangers and Information, Cyberbullying  Emailing	Print Advertisement  Christmas Jumper Design  - PurpleMash	Research	Cyberbullying	Coding and Algorithms	PowerPoint/Spreadsheets			
Music	Music And The Seasons Preparation for Harvest	Band Project – Learning Christmas Songs Preparation for Carol Service	Film Music	Song Writing	Year 6 Production Preparation (In partnership with Class/Drama Teachers)  Prize Day Preparation				



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E/Games/Swimming	Football	Football	Rugby	Rugby	Cricket	Cricket			
E/Games/swimming	Netball	Netball	Hockey	Hockey	Athletics	Athletics			
	Racket Sports	Health Related Fitness	Cross Country Running	Swimming	Autheucs	Aulieucs			
PSHEE	Relationships		Living in the wider world		Health and wellbeing:				
	Families and Friendships		Belonging to a community		Physical Health and Mental Well-being				
	Safe Relationships		Media literacy and digital resilience		Growing and Changing				
	Respecting ourselves and others		Money and Work		Keeping Safe				
Languages	Spanish		Spanish		Spanish				
RE	CHRISTIANITY: How is God Three – and yet One?	CHRISTIANITY: What do Christians believe about the Messiah – and why is it good news?	HINDU (SANATANA) DHARMA: What helps Hindus (Santanis) to worship?	BUDDHISM: What is the 'Buddhist way of life'?	Comparative: What is the golden rule?	Comparative: What is wisdom?			
Sustainability	Forest School - Weekly, year-round, child-led sessions in our wonderful, dedicated area. The children learn to risk sensibly and build their confidence and self-esteem through learner inspired, hands-or experiences in a natural setting.								
	Nature and Rewilding Apprenticeship - A yearlong course that aims to equip our young people to transition into a future role of becoming Earth stewards and protectors of the natural world.								
Visits									