

The English Curriculum at Five Acres High School

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Year 7	Origins- an investigation of why	Journeys - a new journey for	Love - an examination of the
	stories are told through a selection	January 2025. Travel with Rowan	different types of love and how they
	of myths to explore the seven	and the deerfolk as they navigate	make us feel, using a range of
	different story types.	difficulties through landscapes	Shakespeare plays and poetry.
		which you might recognise, before	
		arriving at their Utopia.	
Year 8	Fear of the Unknown - What makes	The Fragile Mind - a discovery of	Identity - what makes us us and
	us feel afraid, explored through a	what can cause us stress and	more importantly, what helps us to
	range of gothic fiction and writing	distress, revealed through a	know right from wrong. These ideas
	skills.	selection of extracts and poems	are explored through the text 'To
			Kill A Mockingbird.'
Year 9	Conflict - Using the play "Journey's	Dystopia - A dark look into a society	Rhetoric and Revolution - With an
	End" and selection of war poetry we	which is ruled through a dictator,	emphasis on great speeches
	explore how conflict affects the	using close analysis of extracts to	through history, we identify
	individual.	develop language analysis and	component of successful rhetoric
		writing skills	and apply them to speech writing
Year 10	Paper 1 Language Skills Section A	Paper 2 Language Skills Section a	Lord of the Flies and PPE revision
	and B	and B, Poetry Anthology (Familial	(Language 1 & Literature ACC and
	A Christmas Carol	Love)	LOTF)
		Lord of the Flies	Completion of the Poetry Anthology
			(Romantic Love)
Year 11	Macbeth and Language Paper 2	Exam skills and revision, both for	GCSE exams
	skills Literature PPE revision - AQA	Language Papers 1 and 2 and	
	Poetry Anthology and Unseens	Literature Papers 1 and 2	