

Whole School English Long Term Planning 2023-2024

Year Group		Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
6	Text/Resource (Linked to curric topic)	Shackleton's Journey – William Grill The Ice Trap – Meredith Hooper	Letters from the lighthouse – Emma Carroll	Goodnight Mister Tom – Michelle Magorian Information texts about the Blitz/Air Raids	Way Home – Libby Hathorn The Arrival – Shaun Tan Until I met Dudley – Roger McGough	Alma – Literacy Shed	The Listeners Poem
	Genre for writing Fiction Non-Fiction Poetry	Diary entry of Shackleton's journey Non-Chronological report - Antarctica Poetry – Rescue mission	Balanced Argument Letter	1 st person narrative Instructional text - How to survive an Air Raid	Setting description Narrative Explanation – magic machines invention	Narrative - suspense Persuasive writing Moderation pieces	Narrative Poetry
	Curriculum Topic	Topic – Explorers	History – WW2	History – WW2	PSHE Local Area	Spain	Mayans
5	Text/Resource (Linked to curric topic)	How to Train Your Dragon by Cressida Cowell Who Let the Gods out by Maz Evans	The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis	The Highway Man by Alfred Noyes Romeo and Juliet by William Shakespeare (Tony Ross version)	The Great Kapok Tree by Lynne Cherry Deadly 60 by Steve Backshall	The Jabberwocky by Lewis Carroll Harry Potter by J.K Rowling	The Nowhere Emporium by Ross Mackenzie The Clangers
	Genre Focus for writing Fiction Non-Fiction Poetry	Non-chronological report Adventure story	Setting description Newspaper Report	Monologue Diary entry	Persuasive speech Fact file	Poetry Information pamphlet	Prologue Playscript – dialogue focus
	Curriculum Topic	Anglo Saxons	Vikings	Rivers	Rainforests	Space	USA
4	Text/Resource (Linked to curric topic)	I am the seed that grew the tree: A nature poem for every day of the year – Fiona Walters Aladdin & the enchanted lamp - Phillip Pullman	Charlie & the chocolate factory - Roald Dahl	Fizzlebert Stump: The boy who ran away and joined the circus – AF Harold	Tadeo Jones - Literacy Shed The story of Tutankhamun – Patricia Cleveland-Peck	Dreamgiver – Literacy shed A Roman Soldier's Handbook – Lesley Sims	The boy who grew dragons – Andy Shepard
	Genre Focus for writing Fiction Non-Fiction Poetry	Haiku Poetry Story retelling	Persuasive Letter Setting description	Prologue Newspaper report	Adventure story Instructions	Diary entry Non-chronological report	Balanced argument Explanation text

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	Curriculum Topic	Plants and Animals	Brilliant Bodies	Industrial Revolution	Egypt	The Romans	Food
3	Text/Resource (Linked to curric topic)	Soar (Literacy Shed) Pompeii	The Lighthouse (Literacy Shed) The Christmas Truce	How to wash a Woolly Mammoth (M. Robinson) Taking Flight (Literacy Shed)	Tin Forest (Helen Ward) The Flower (Literacy Flower)	Marshmallows (Literacy Shed) Poetry Styles	Orion and the Dark (Emma Yarlett)
	Genre Focus for writing Fiction Non-Fiction Poetry	Character Description 1st person recount	Newspaper Report Diary entry	Instructions Fantasy story retelling	Setting Description Explanation	Non-Chronological Report Poem – Kenning/Shape Olympics	Persuasive Letter Persuasive Holiday Brochure (AFOREST) Shadows – Light and Dark
	Curriculum Topic	Volcanoes	Victorians	Stone Age	Plants		
2	Text/Resource (Linked to curric topic)	The magic box The Great Fire of London (E. Adams)	Dear Dinosaur The Great Explorer	Hermelin the Detective Mouse Varmints (youtube video)	Dish & Spoon - Mini Grey Great Women who Changed the World	Until I Met Dudley My Crazy Inventions Sketchbook Non-Fiction books (Africa)	The Jolly Postman The Day the Crayons Quit Non-Fiction books (seaside)
	Genre Focus for writing Fiction Non-Fiction Poetry	Poetry Setting description	Diary Entry as a dinosaur Information Leaflet	Instructions Comparative description	Narrative-alterative ending Newspaper report	Explanation Non-Chronological Reports	Persuasive letter Recount
	Curriculum Topic	Poetry Setting description	How the world has changed over time, looking at dinosaurs and other continents.	Great Britain	Inspirational People	Africa	Seaside Topic
1	Text/Resource (Linked to curric topic)	1. Ruby's Worry (T. Percival) 2. Man on the Moon (Simon Bartram) 3. Beegu (A. Deacon) Literacy Shed + Resource (it is a book too)	1. Room on the Broom (J. Donaldson) 2. Hansel and Gretel (Lit + Shed available) 3. Stickman (J. Donaldson)	1. Tiger Who Came to Tea (J. Kerr) 2. What the ladybird heard (various versions - TBC) (Julia Donaldson) 3. How to hide a lion (H. Stephens)	1. Owl Babies (M. Waddell) (Lit shed + video available) 2. Meekat Mail (E. Gravett) 3. Rumble in the Jungle (G. Andrea)	1. Little Red Riding Hood 2. Three Little Pigs 3. The Big Book of Blooms (Y. Zommer)	1. You can't take an elephant on a bus (P Cleveland-Peck) 2. Journey (A. Becker) 3. Emma Jane's Aeroplane (K. Haworth)
	Genre Focus for writing Fiction Non-Fiction Poetry	1. Narrative – Sequencing 2. Setting description	1. Instructions 2. Report 3. Poetry	1. Non-chronological report 2. Recount 3. Narrative	1. Explanation Text 2. Setting description 3. Fact File	1. Descriptive writing (Wanted Poster) 2. Narrative – alternative ending	1. Diary Entry 2. Adventure story 3. Leaflet (Advert)

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		3. Character description				3. Experiment write up (Explanation)	
	Curriculum Topic	Ourselves	His - Old and new Science – Humans and animals	Humans and animals	Seasons and weather	Plants	Transport
Reception	Text/Resource (Linked to curriculum topic)	Core text- Riley can be anything Traditional tale- The 3 little pigs	Core text- The Gruffalo Traditional tale- The Gingerbread Man	Core text- The magic hat Traditional tale- Goldilocks and the three bears	Core text- Peter Rabbit Traditional tale- Jack and the beanstalk	Core text- Caveman Dave Traditional tale- The 3 billy goats gruff	Core text- Mad about minibeasts Traditional tale- The ugly duckling
	Genre Focus Fiction Non-Fiction Poetry	Name writing	Letter (To Santa)	Instructions (Recipe for magic potion)	Diary entry (weather diary)	Recount (Teach Rex experience)	Postcard (To Handa)
	Curriculum Topic	PSED- all about me	UTW (Geography)- woodland	UTW (Science)- magic potions	UTW (Science)- life cycles	UTW (History)- dinosaurs	UTW (Geography)- country comparison
Nursery	Text/Resource (Linked to curriculum topic)	You be you -Incredible You -Fantastic Families -The boy with Flowers in his hair -Dear Zoo	The colour monster -How do you make a rainbow? -In My Heart: A Book of Feelings. -Brown Bear, Brown Bear -The Leaf Thief	The naughty bus -Whatever Next -Clothesline Clues to Jobs People Do -We're going on a Bear Hunt -All the nonsense in my teeth.	The Odd Egg -Chicken Licken -Jaspers Beanstalk -The Hungry Caterpillar	That's not my pirate -On a Pirate Ship -Shark in the Park -Tickly Octopus -Octopants -Sharing a shell -Ten Little Pirates	One smiling Grandma -Family and Me -Around the world in a Bathtub -Slowly, slowly, slowly said the Sloth -The Leopard's Drum -Mama Panyas Pancakes
	Genre Focus Fiction Non-Fiction Poetry	Mark Making from Baseline	Mark making with different colours	Writing my name	Recording about the chicks/ducks	Pirate treasure maps	Shopping list
	Curriculum Topic	Marvellous Me!	Paint a rainbow	Terrific travel/ people who help us	Extraordinary Eggs/Roots Shoots and Muddy Boots	Splash, splash, splish	Around the world