

Curriculum Overview

Subject: English

Year Group	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Year 1	Family Album Traditional Tales Recounts	Fire! Fire! Repetitive patterned stories Poems on a theme Range of non-fiction texts	Penguins, Possums and Pigs Stories by the same author Non- chronological reports Poems on a theme	The Great Outdoors Stories with familiar settings Non- fiction texts: booklets Traditional rhymes	Growth and Green Fingers Classic stories or stories on a theme Instructions Traditional rhymes	Robots Stories with fantasy settings Poems to learn by heart recounts
Year 2	The Place where I Live Stories with familiar settings Non-chronological reports Poems on a theme	Fighting Fit Fairy tale with a Twist Instructions	Explorers Stories by the same author Non-chronological reports	The Farm Shop Stories with familiar settings Persuasion Riddles	Wind in the Willows Animal adventure stories Recount: letters Classic poems	Buckets and Spades Story as a theme Explanations Poems on a theme
Year 3	There's No Place Like Home Folk Tales Recount Biographies	Healthy Humans Fables Poems with a Structure Persuasion: letters	Rock and Roll Story as a theme Poems on a theme Discussions	The Iron Man Novel as a theme Recount diaries	What the Greeks Did for Us Playscripts Non- chronological Reports	How does your garden grow? Classic poetry Mystery/adventure/ fantasy stories (The Faraway Tree) Explanations
Year 4	Sparks Might Fly Explanation Fantasy Stories Playscripts	The Great Plague Fairy Tales Narrative Poetry Recount (Newspapers)	The Art of Food Stories with issues / dilemmas Persuasion	Passport to Europe Novel as a theme- Gulliver Non-chronological reports	Water, Water Everywhere Stories with a theme Poems with a structure Information Booklet	Hunted Folk Tales Debate Poems on a theme
Year 5	A Kingdom United Legends Persuasion	Food, Glorious Food Stories with Historical Settings Film & Playscripts	Earthlings Science Fiction Stories Information Leaflets	Poems with Figurative Language Inventors and Inventions Narrative Limericks	Reports Stories from other cultures Myths	Magazine: Information Text Hybrid Classic Narrative Poetry
Year 6	Survival! Novel as a theme: Kensuke's Kingdom Biography Poetry	Britten's Got Talent? Classic fiction: Goodnight Mister Tom Persuasion: A formal review Poetry: Songs and lyrics	Heroes and Villains Older literature: Macbeth Information text hybrid	Super Sleuth Text: Anthology of Mystery Detective/ crime fiction Diary entry 'Roads End'	Short stories with flashbacks: Piano by Aidan Gibbons Titanic: A child survivor's story Discussion and debate	Classic Narrative Poetry Recount: autobiography Poems on a theme