

English Writing Long Term Plan 2023 – 2024

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Poetry



	Autumn 1 Homes Through History 7 weeks 3 days	Autumn 2 There's No Place Like Home (Erdington) 7 weeks	Spring 1 History Heroes 5 weeks	Spring 2 All Change 5 weeks	Summer 1 Seaside Adventures 7 weeks	Summer 2 Let's Go on Holiday 7 weeks
Year 1	Oral retelling Familiar settings 2 weeks Cody the Cautious Caterpillar / Aarrgghh, Spider!	Oral retelling Simple stories 2 weeks Liz's Hat - Grammarsaurus	Setting Description Familiar settings 2 weeks Little Red Riding Hood Grammarsaurus	Character description Familiar settings 2 weeks Text chosen by teacher from Grammarsaurus	Fairy tales 2 weeks Mary and the 12 Months Sean Taylor (Wordsmith text)	Story retelling 2 weeks Escape at the Zoo - Grammarsaurus
	Oral retelling Familiar settings 2 weeks Who's Our New Teacher Jeanne Willis (Wordsmith text)	Oral retelling Simple stories 2 weeks Teacher's choice of text (for comparison to previous text)	Setting Description Familiar settings 1 week Teacher's choice of text (for comparison to previous text)	Character description Familiar settings 1 week Teacher's choice of text (for comparison to previous text)	Fairy tales 2 weeks Teacher's choice of text (for comparison to previous text)	Setting / character description 2 weeks Teacher's choice of text (for comparison to previous text)
	Alliterative List Poem 1 week Alphabet Poem – Michael Rosen Pineapple – Vyanne Samuel	Acrostic Poem 1 week Fireworks – Gervais Phinn Christmas - Gervais Phinn	History Biography Florence Nightingale 2 weeks	Geography Instructions 2 weeks	Riddle 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus	Performance Poetry 1 week Hands – Julia Donaldson Queue for the Zoo – Clare Bevan
	History Information Text 2 weeks	Geography Informal letter Sequence of ideas 2 weeks			History (Victorian holidays) A postcard 2 weeks	Geography A poster to advertise a holiday destination 2 weeks
	Visual Literacy – Bubbles (Literacy Shed+)					

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Year 2	Autumn 1 Transport through Time 7 weeks 3 days	Autumn 2 Around the World 7 weeks	Spring 1 Magnificent monarchs 5 weeks	Spring 2 Amazing Australia 5 weeks	Summer 1 The Great Fire of London 7 weeks	Summer 2 Let's Explore London 7 weeks
	Character Description 2 weeks Gorilla Anthony Browne	Stories from other Cultures 2 weeks Diwali story	Traditional tales 2 weeks Jack and Beanstalk	Familiar settings 2 weeks Operation Night Monster Paul Shipton	Different stories by the same author 2 weeks Silly Billy / Will the Wimp Anthony Browne	Dilemma Stories 2 weeks Paddington Bear Bear Gets Lost! Grammarsaurus
	Character Description 2 weeks The Giant (Grammarsaurus)	Stories from other Cultures 2 weeks Teacher's choice of text (for comparison to previous text)	Traditional tales 1 week Maximus and the Beanstalk Damien Harvey	Stories with a familiar setting 1 week Teacher's choice of text (for comparison to previous text)	Different stories by the same author 2 weeks Teacher's choice of text (for comparison to previous text)	Familiar settings 2 weeks Don't Read This Book Jill Lewis (Wordsmith text)
	Diamante Poem 1 week Cat / Changes Grammarsaurus	Haiku Poem 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus	History Biography 2 weeks	Geography An informal letter 2 weeks Meerkat Mail Emily Gravett	Riddle 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus	Acrostic poem 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus
	History Explanation text 2 weeks	Geography Instructions 2 weeks			History Diary entry/recount 2 weeks	Geography Persuasive leaflet 2 weeks
	Visual Literacy Something Fishy – Literacy Shed+					

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	Autumn 1 Stone Age to Iron Age 7 weeks 3 days	Autumn 2 Earthquakes and Volcanoes 7 weeks	Spring 1 Roman Empire 5 weeks	Spring 2 Somewhere to Settle 5 weeks	Summer 1 Railway Revolution 7 weeks	Summer 2 Rivers and Mountains 7 weeks
Year 3	Setting and character description 2 weeks The Wolves in the Walls	Mystery Stories 2 weeks Ottoline and the Yellow Cat – Chris Riddell	Fantasy stories 2 weeks The Magician’s Nephew – book 1 of the chronicles of Narnia – C S Lewis	Dilemma Stories 2 weeks Storm – Kevin Crossley-Holland	Dialogue through stories 2 weeks The Primrose Railway Children – J Wilson	Fantasy stories 2 weeks Harry Potter Chamber of Secrets
	Setting and character description 2 weeks Stone Age Boy Grammarsaurus	Mystery Stories 2 weeks Literacy Shed+	Fantasy stories 1 week Harry Potter Philosopher’s Stone	Dilemma Stories 1 week Text chosen by teacher from Grammarsaurus	Dialogue through stories 2 weeks Text chosen by teacher from Grammarsaurus	Adventure stories 2 weeks Text chosen by teacher from Grammarsaurus
	Haiku 1 week Butterflies & Wind - Grammarsaurus	Clerihew 1 week Little Miss Muffet	History Recount 2 weeks	Geography Formal letter 2 weeks	Limerick 1 week There Was An Old Man With A Beard	Nonsense poems 1 week Jabberwocky Lewis Carroll
	History Non chronological text 2 weeks	Geography Explanation text 2 weeks			History Non-chronological 2 weeks	Geography Explanation text 2 weeks
	Visual Literacy The Present – Literacy Shed+					

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Year 4	Autumn 1 Ancient Civilisations 7 weeks 3 days	Autumn 2 The Amazing Amazon 7 weeks	Spring 1 Ancient Egypt 5 weeks	Spring 2 Let's Explore Egypt 5 weeks	Summer 1 The Tudors and Stuarts 7 weeks	Summer 2 Aston Hall local study 7 weeks
	Stories from other cultures 2 weeks The Girl Who Stole An Elephant Nizrana Farook	Spooky stories 2 weeks Stinetinglers – R L Stine (or similar)	Fantasy stories 2 weeks Spiderwick Chronicles - Wordsmith text	Dilemma story 2 weeks Christophe's story – Nicki Cornwell	Science Fiction 2 weeks The Iron Man – Ted Hughes	Adventure stories 2 weeks Model text from Grammarsaurus
	Stories from other cultures 2 weeks Text chosen by teacher	Spooky stories 2 weeks Text chosen by teacher from Grammarsaurus	Fantasy stories 1 week Text chosen by teacher	Dilemma story 1 week Text chosen by teacher	Science Fiction 2 weeks Text chosen by teacher	Adventure stories 2 weeks Model text from Grammarsaurus
	Kenning Poem 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus	Kenning Poem 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus	History Diary entry 2 weeks	Geography Persuasive text (a webpage) 2 weeks	Tetractys 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus	Tetractys 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus
	History Non-chronological report 2 weeks Martin Luther King Jr Grammarsaurus	Geography Persuasive letter 2 weeks			History Biography 2 weeks	Geography Explanation text (tour guide) 2 weeks
Visual Literacy: Tuesday by David Wiesner						

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Year 5	Autumn 1 Ancient Greece 7 weeks 3 days	Autumn 2 Let's Explore Greece 7 weeks	Spring 1 Anglo-Saxons and Vikings 5 weeks	Spring 2 South America 5 weeks	Summer 1 Crime and Punishment 7 weeks	Summer 2 Our Changing World 7 weeks
	Creek myths 2 weeks Medusa Grammarsaurus	Science fiction 2 weeks World of Pandora – Literacy Shed+	Literary Heritage/Fantasy 2 weeks The Tempest William Shakespeare	Adventure stories 2 weeks The Lost Jungle City Grammarsaurus	Stories from other cultures 2 weeks Oranges In No Man's Land (Wordsmith text)	Stories from familiar authors 2 weeks Friend or Foe Michael Morpurgo
	Creek myths 2 weeks Text chosen by teacher	Science fiction 2 weeks The Blood in the Snow Grammarsaurus	Literary Heritage 1 week Romeo and Juliet	Adventure stories 1 week Text chosen by teacher	Stories from other cultures 2 weeks Text chosen by teacher	Stories from familiar authors 2 - 3 weeks Text chosen by teacher
	Haikus 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus	Senryus 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus	History Chronological report 2 weeks	Geography Diary entry 2 weeks	Nonsense limericks 1 week Edward Lear	Renga 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus
	History Non-chronological report 2 weeks	Geography Persuasive leaflet 2 weeks (possibly 3)			History Newspaper report 2 weeks	Geography Formal letter 2 weeks
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Year 6	Autumn 1 The Ancient Mayans 7 weeks 3 days	Autumn 2 Protecting our Planet 7 weeks	Spring 1 WW2 5 weeks	Spring 2 Trading Across the World 5 weeks	Summer 1 Industries in Birmingham and the World 7 weeks	Summer 2 Wonderful Water 7 weeks
	Stories with flashbacks 2 weeks Eye of the Wolf Daniel Pennac (Wordsmith text)	Fantasy stories 2 weeks The Lion, The Witch and The wardrobe C S Lewis	Stories with flashbacks 2 weeks Carrie's War Nina Bawden	Horror / sci-fi stories 2 weeks Fantastic, Funny, Frightening A collection of short stories	Revision for English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling Evidence for writing assessments	Graphic novel 2 weeks Salamander dream Hope Larson (Wordsmith text)
	Stories from other cultures 2 weeks The Hero Twins Grammarsaurus	Fantasy stories 2 weeks Text chosen by teacher	Stories with flashbacks 1 weeks The Piano Aiden Gibbons/ Grammarsaurus	Horror / sci-fi stories 1 weeks Text chosen by teacher	English literature 3 weeks Macbeth William Shakespeare RSC resource Evidence for writing assessments	Drama/Play script 3 weeks A Midsummer Night's Dream William Shakespeare Grammarsaurus
	Ottava Rima 1 week Grammarsaurus - Tiger	Iambic Pentameter 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus	History Newspaper report 2 weeks	Geography Balanced argument 2 weeks	Evidence for writing assessments	Iambic Pentameter 1 week Model text from Grammarsaurus
	History Explanation text 2 weeks	Geography Balanced argument 2 weeks			History Chronological report 2 weeks	Geography Biography 2 weeks
	Visual Literacy The Piano by Aiden Gibbons – Literacy Shed+					