



# English Whole School Overview

Nursery						
	Autumn 1 Colours	Autumn 2 Space	<b>Spring 1</b> Materials	<b>Spring 2</b> Fantastic Forest	<b>Summer 1</b> Minibeasts and Maxibeasts (dinosaurs)	Summer 2 Oceans
Texts, Language and Writing opportuniti es	Brown Bear, Brown Bear what do you see? (literacy shed)	Whatever Next (Literacy shed) (Literacy shed) (Literacy shed) (Literacy shed)	Three Wolf's Little Pancake	The gruffalo (Literac y shed)	The very Hungry caterpilla r (Literacy shed) shed) shed) shed) shed) rs (Literacy y shed)	Tiddler (literacy shed) Juddler Only One you
Focus Book focus Phonics focus Mark making focus	Repetitive language Listening for environmental sounds Mark making - lines	Using imagination Making voice sounds Mark making-circles	Re-telling familiar stories Rhyming words Mark making - zigzags	Talking about characters Aliteration Mark making – begin to form letters	Use of fantastics talking about the words in stories. Initial sounds and blending Mark making – beginning to write names	Using book vocabulary Initial sounds and blending Mark making – writing names and initial sounds of words.





Reception	Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spr	ing 1	Spriu	ng 2	Sum	ner 1	Sum	mer 2
	All Abo	All About Me		Light and Dark		Explorers	New	- Life	Growing	j Things	Under	the Sea
Genre	Narrative Story Time for	Narrative Story Funny	Narrative Story How to catch	Nonfiction Letter Hurry, Santa	Narrative Story Lost and	Non-fiction Factfile Penguins by	Non-fiction Leaflet Supertato by	Narrative Story What the	Narrative Story Jack and the	Nonfiction Instructions Katie and	Naraive Story The	Nonfiction Postcard The Snail
Text	School No Worries by Lara Ede & Rosie Greening (Literacy Shed)	FURINY Bornes by Allan Ahlberg (Literacy Shed)	a Star by Oliver Jeffers (The Write Stuff/ Literacy Shed)	by Julia Sykes (Literacy Shed)	Found by Oliver Jeffers (The Write Stuff/ Literacy Shed)	National Gography (The Write Stuff)	Sue Hendra (Literacy Shed)	ladybird heard by Julia Donaldson (Literacy Shed)	Jack and the Jellybean Stalk by Rachael Mortimer (The Write Stuff)	Kaule unit the Sunflowers by James Mayhew (The Write Stuff)	Rainbow Fish by Marcus Pfister (The Write Stuff/ Literacy Shed)	and the Whale by Julia Donaldson (The Write Stuff)
Focus	Introduce RWI Set 1 sounds Drawing & labelling Ordering letters of my name Writing my name		awing & labelling ering letters of my name Identifying initial sounds Tricky red words Writing initial sounds		Tricky i Writing Writing C Writing	RWI Set 1 special friends Tricky red words Writing CVC words Writing CVCC words Writing captions Writing lists		Writing simple phrases with Set 1 sounds Tricky red words		RWI Set 2 sounds Completing sentences		g RWI Set 2 Inds sentences





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Year	Autu	mn 1	Au	umn 2	Spr	ing 1	Spriu	Spring 2		ner 1	Sum	mer 2
1	Being a Geographer		Му	My History		Arctic		Grace Darling		ignificant duals	Hot and Cold Places	
Genre	Narrative: Descriptio n	Poetry; List Poem	Information text	Narrative Stories	Narrative Stories	Persuasive Leaflet	Traditional tales	Biography	Poetry Patterns and Rhyme	Recount	Report	Narrative
Text	Wombat Goes Walkabout (The Write Stuff) Wombat Gee Walkabout	On fireworks night (The Write Stuff)	Seasons (The write stuff)	Stick Man (Ed Shed)	The way back home (The Write Stuff)	Ice Planet	Pinocchio	Bold women in Black History (The write stuff)	When I am by Myself (The Write Stuff)	Our trip to the woods (The write stuff)	Toys from the past (The Write Stuff)	Last stop on market street (The Write Stuff) Last stop on MARKET STREET
Focus	Change the setting to woodland animal goes walkabout	Write a Beach poem	Write a leaflet for c theme park		Reinvent the story with the boy and the alien meeting another alien.	Information text about the arctic	Create a different adventure for Pinocchio Different versions of traditional tales	Biography of Grace Darling	Rhyming couplets and words	Report on our favourite toys	Recount our trip to Beamish Travel	Finish the story





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2					Lơn	don	Tulum (Mexico)		Thunburg							
Genre	Narrative Traditional Tales with a twist	Non- Fiction Questions and answers	Narrative Adventure	Non-fiction Postcard	Non-Fiction Diary entry	Poetry Free Verse	The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch	Persuasve Letter	Biography	Narrative	Non- chronological report	Narrative				
Text	Little Red Reading Hood	I am Neil Armstrong	The Owl who was afraid of the Dark	Meercat Christmas	The Great Fire of London	If I were in charge of the world JUDITH VIORST	THE CONSECUTION OF THE CONSECUTI	The Day the Crayons Quit	Malala's Magic Pencil Maria Pencil Maria Pencil Maria Pencil	Milo Imagines the World	Pirates	Stardust Stardust				
Focus	Children rewrite the story changing the main character.	Children write interview questions and answers on a famous figure.	Children write a continuation of the plot.	Children write their own postcards as the main character.	Children write a diary entry as Samuel Pepys.	Children write their own 'In Charge of' poem.	Write a story from the viewpoint from the seagulls	Children write their own persuasive etter	Write a biography on Greta Thunburg or Rosa Parks	Same character different plot.	Children write their own non- chronological report	Continuation with plot: Write another story about the girl. She asks her Grandad for advice. What do they do together? What does he tell her?				





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Genre	Poe Non try chron report	Persuasiv e advert	A Inform: instructions	Je Narrative: Adventure	Persuasiv e letter	Non- chronol ogical report	Letter	Magazine article Narrative: Traditional Tales with a twist	Narrative:	Magazine article	Narrative: suspense	Instructions	Narrative: adventure	
Text	This is Autumn (write stuff) Street beneath our feet (write stuff)	Christma s dessert social media post (write stuff)	How to wash a woolly mammoth (Plan B)	Stone Age Boy (Write Stuff)	Kapok letter (plan B)	Lost in rainfo (Plan I The Garda (Write S Genetic Entropy Pro-	rest Bee) ener Stuff)	Egyptian Cinderella (Plan B)	I asked the boy who couldn't see (Write stuff)	Climate action (Write Stuff)	Wolves in the Walls (Write Stuff)	How a robot dog works (write stuff)	The Secret of Black Rock Stuff (Write Stuff)	
Focus	Create a poem Write a non- chronologica l report	To create a persuasiv e advert	Create a set of instructions	To write their own narrative including historical accuracy	Persuade for change	A repo infor A lette infor	m r to	Write their own narrative focusing on sequence of events	Descriptive poetry	To educate and inform about climate change	Suspense story	Create a set of detailed instructions	Descriptive writing/ adventure story	





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4	Romans		Italy and Campania		Ancient Greece		Water		WW2		Land Use	
Genre	Narrative-	Diary	Persusive Holiday Brochure	Narrative Film	Narrative Picture book	Poetry	Narrative	Newspaper Report	Non Fiction	Chocolate Performance poetry	Non Chronologica l Report	Balanced argument
Text	Feast	Diary of Illiona DIARY DIARY JO THE	Sicily Holiday Brochure	The Present: Short Disney Film (LS+)	Journey	The River	Charlie and the chocolate factory	The Creature	Biography Nikola Tesla	Chocolate Poems.	Dragons	Article- ban on social media for under 13- year olds. (WS)
Focus	Adventure story using description	Diary entry	To write a persuasive brochure	Story from another point of view	Continuation of the plot	Write their own weather poem	Writing from another point of view	To write a newspaper article	To write a biography	To write a Performance Poem	Same character different plot	To write a balanced argument





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r 5	My Re	Region and Brazil Anglo-Saxons vs Scot		is vs Scots	Riv	vers	Anglo-So Viki		What Are Biomes?		Early Islam vs Early Britain		
	Fiction	Non-Fiction	Fiction	Non-Fiction	Fiction	Fiction	Fiction	Fiction	Non-Fiction	Fiction	Poetry	Fiction	Non-Fiction
Genre	Narrative - Mystery	Biography	Poetry	Persuasive Letter	Narrative - descriptive writing	Narrative	Journal	Anglo Saxon Battle Speech	Non Chronologic al Report	Narraitve	The Malfeasan ce	Narrative	Balanced argument
Text	The Nowhere Emporium	David Attenbrough	The most dangero us animal in the world	Kick Mitch Johnson MITCH JOHNSON	A Christmas Carol	One Small Step Taiko Studios	Mars Transmission	Anglo-Saxon Battle Speech	The Emperor Penguins	Zoo By Anthony Browne	Poetry using metaphore	Continuation of plot	Screen Use
Focus	Continuatio n of the plot. Write next 4 plot points. What happens next to Daniel? Who does he tell about the mystery shop?	Writing to inform biography. Relative clauses and parenthesis – commas, dashes, brackets	Writing their own poem in this style.	Write their own persuasive letter	Write the story from the perspective of one of the ghosts.	Story from another viewpoint.	Writing their own journal transmission from Mars	Writing their own battle speech	Non chronologic al report	story as stimulus. Read another Anthony Browne story and retell using new writing skills.	Write their own poem based on a metaphor	Continuation of the pliot	To write a balanced argument





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6	Conflict t	hrough ti	me – a brea	dth study	Economi	c activity of	SATs⁄		Newcastle	e through	Fieldwor	k project.
U					the UK				the ages			
Genre	Biography	Narrative Adventure Story	Narrative Poetry	Newspaper report:	Recount Diar	Narrative: Suspense writing	Narrative: Dystopian adventure story	Balanced Argument	Narrative Alma	Non Fiction: Non Chronologi cal report: Hitory of Newcastle	Narrative: diary entry	Persuasion: Should Zoos Exist?
Text	How to train a dragon. CRESSIDA COWELL DRAGON DRAGON	Kensuke kingdom JC	Stay where you are and then leave Stay where you are and then	Stay where you are and then leave	Street child	A monster calls. JC MONSTER CALLS PATRICK NESS	Tyger JC	Tyger JC	Alma (2009)		Wonder Literacy Shed	
Focus	Biography on School staff and Auto biography.	Writing own adventure story based on Kensuke kingdom	Armistice poetry	Newspaper	Write a diary from the point of view of Jim Jarvis.	writing	dystopian adventure story	Should SATs Exist	Using figurative language and narrative styles	Write a report on Newcastle through the ages	Writing with shifts of formality.	Persuasive language Formal Language