

English Writing Overview

2018-19

English Modules - Year 1

	Term 1 (Autumn)		Term 2 (Spring)		Term 3 (Summer)	
Narrative	Adventure story (2 weeks)	Fable (2 weeks)	Traditional Tales - Myths (2 weeks)	Stories with recurring language (2 weeks)	Traditional Tales - Fairytale (2 weeks)	Adventure story (2 weeks)
Suggested final written outcome	Set in London using Paddington for inspiration	Chn to write their own fable in the same style of Rudyard Kipling's Just So Stories	Character description based around Brazilian mythology	Chn to write their own version of Oliver Jeffer's 'The Way back home'.	Hansel and Gretel	Chn to write a story imagining they had a pet dinosaur
Non-Fiction	Newspaper report (2 weeks)	Non-chronological report (2 weeks)	Instructions (2 weeks)	Recount (2 weeks)	Explanation (2 weeks)	Information (2 weeks)
Suggested final written outcome	Great fire of London	Tigers - using the tiger who came to tea	Brazilian dish	Alien crash landing	Chn to write an explanation piece on hibernation	Fact file about a dinosaur
Poetry	Shape (2 weeks)		Acrostic (2 weeks)		Riddle (2 weeks)	
Suggested final written outcome	Fire		Carnival		Woodland animal	
Big-Write		Christmas Big Write (2 weeks) The Christmasurus				Tuesday- David Weisner (2 weeks) Retell the story

English Modules - Year 2

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	Term 1 (Autumn)		Term 2 (Spring)		Term 3 (Summer)	
Narrative	Stories with familiar settings (2 weeks)	Adventure story (2 weeks)	Fairytales (2 weeks)	Traditional tales (2 weeks)	Book review (2 weeks)	Fantasy (2 weeks)
Suggested final written outcome	Chn to retell a pirate story e.g. the night pirates	Chn to write their own story in the style of Jack and the beanstalk	Chn to create their own version of the Steadfast Tin Soldier	Chn to retell the story of the Frog Prince	Bee & me by Elle J. McGuinness	Entering a tunnel - could use Anthony Browne's 'The Tunnel' as inspiration
Non-Fiction	Information text (2 weeks)	Instructions (2 weeks)	Newspaper report (2 weeks)	Recount (2 weeks)	Guidebook (2 weeks)	Letters (2 weeks)
Suggested final written outcome	Pirate ships/Captain Cook	Caring for a plant/bulb or seed	Grand Old Duke of York	Memorable experience	A guide to a successful mini beast hunt	Letter of complaint Three Billy Goats Gruff/Bridge crossing
Poetry	Acrostic (2 weeks)			Free verse (2 weeks)	Diamantes (2 weeks)	
Suggested final written outcome	Poem about the sea/			Chn to write a poem about their favourite sport	Mini beast	
Big-Write		Christmas Big Write (2 weeks) The Christmasaurus				Tuesday- David Weisner (2 weeks)

English Modules - Year 3/4

	Term 1 (Autumn)		Term 2 (Spring)		Term 3 (Summer)	
Narrative	Historical narrative (2 weeks)	Fantasy (2 weeks)	Playscript (2 weeks)	Traditional Tales - Myths (2 weeks)	Adventure story (2 weeks)	Historical narrative (2 weeks)
Suggested final written outcome	Pompeii	Girl and robot (taken from Literacy Shed)		Chn to write their own Greek Myth	20,000 leagues under the sea	Battle of Hastings
Non-Fiction	Newspaper report (2 weeks)	Explanation text (2 weeks)	Information text (2 weeks)	Diary entry (2 weeks)	Persuasive writing (2 weeks)	Fact file (2 weeks)
Suggested final written outcome	Real life natural disaster e.g. 2004 Tsunami, Hurricane Katrina	Friend for the Iron Man	About their favourite popstar/muscian	From the point of view of Icarus or Daedalus	Plastic in the ocean/protection of the great barrier reef	One of the contenders to be king
Poetry	Shape Poetry (2 weeks)		Free verse poetry (2 weeks)		Ballad (2 weeks)	
Suggested final written outcome	Volcanoes		Poetry in the style of Roger McGough's 'The sound collector'		Keiko the whale	
Big-Write		Christmas Big Write (2 weeks) The Christmasurus				Tuesday- David Wesiner (2 weeks) Newspaper report/alternative ending