

## **English Long Term Overview**



Year Group	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Reception	Lists, Labels and Captions Storytelling	Traditional Tales Labels Greetings and Letters	Story Sequences Captions Instructions	Captions, Labels and Non- Fiction writing Lists and recounts Letters	Lists, labels and instructions Simple reports Non-fiction texts and story writing	Lists and recounts Letters and re-telling of fairy tales Descriptive writing
Year 1	Repetitive Text /Rhyme (Beah Hunt, Selfish Croc, 100 dogs/Oi Dog)	Owl Babies/Owl Afraid, Owls (N-F) Excitable Edgar Gunpowder Plot (N-F link to events in history)	Trad Tales-3 Pigs, 3 Billy, magic Paintbrush (link to Chinese New Year),	Man on the Moon Fire of London (n-f link to Events in History)	Lost & Found, The Way Back Home, Oliver's Veg/Handa's Surprise (Link to DT)	Lighthouse Keepers Lunch/Catastrophe, Tom & Land of Dino,
Year 2	You Choose by Nick Sharratt – Descriptive writing Lion in the Meadow by Margaret Mahy – Descriptive writing about settings and characters Tradition Tales – Rumpelstiltskin and The Three Little Pigs	Tiger Child by Joanna Troughton – researching, postcard and retell a story Instructional writing – non- fiction texts Christmas themed writing – letters and invitations	The Dragon Machine by Helen Ward, George and the Dragon by Chris Wormell, Paper bag Princess by Robert Munsch – Compare similar stories and write fantasy story Non-fiction – leaflets about wolves using Walk With a Wolf- Janni Howker Wolves- Emily Gavett	Traditional Tales – Baba Yaga An Alien Stole my Underpants by Brian Moses – Poetry Non-fiction – Creating a fact-file about dinosaurs Diary of a Wombat and Baby Wombat by Jackie French – Writing a diary	Dancing Tiger by Malachy Doyle – Imaginative writing Books by Anthony Browne to compare and look at themes Poetry – Kennings and Acrostic Poems	Magic Finger by Roald Dahl – Character perspectives and debate Wanted! Have you seen this Alligator? By Richard Waring – Newspaper Dolphin Boy, Fox Tale, Surfer Boy and Sand Horse by Michael Foreman and some by Michael Morpurgo – comparisons and author reviews
Year 3	Stone Age Boy Narrative – retell a story How to Wash Woolly Mammoth - Instructions	Chocolate - Non-fiction leaflet Charlie and the Chocolate Factory -story chapter	Escape from Pompeii – disaster story, newspaper article	The Journey – adventure story, poetry	Cloud Tea Monkeys – letter, recount	Leon and the Gorgon's Curse – mythological quest, fact file, poetry
Year 4	Historical Stories Recounts	Stories set in Imaginary worlds	Historical Stories Drama for Writing	Stories with Familiar Settings Persuasive texts	Stories with Issues and Dilemmas	Rainforest Information Texts Poetry
Year 5	The Sea of Tranquility Moon Landings	Firework shape poems A Christmas Carol	Greek Myths	Robin Hood (Legends)	Newspaper reporting- Far Cotton floods	The Highwayman
Year 6	Personification Poetry & Nutmeg Princess	The Christmas Miracle of Jonathan Toomey	Carrie's War by Nina Bawden		Ma'at's Feather by Juliet Desailly	Ma'at's Feather by Juliet Desailly