Holy Cross English Progression Map (Yr 1 – 6)

YEAR 1 Writing Units – Progression map



Autumn Term						
Writing Root (Unit)	Naughty Bus Jan Oke and Jerry Oke	Astro Girl Ken Wilson-Max	I Want My Hat Back Jon Klassen	Send for a Superhero Michael Rosen & Katharine McEwan		
Outcomes	Letters Diaries Sequels Non-chronological reports	Writing in role Commands Letters	Questions Speech bubbles Letters Lists	Posters Letters Lists Speech bubbles Emails Diaries Character descriptions		
Main Outcome	Own version narrative	Fact-files	Narrative sequel	Own version narrative		
Audience/ Form	 Letter to Naughty Bus explaining school rules Diary entry in role as Naughty Bus Sequel about Naughty Night Bus All About Toys – non-fiction guide Own story based on adventures of another naughty toy 	Thought bubbles in role as Astrid Guide for how to train to be an astronaut Letter to Astrid Fact-file about being an astronaut	 Questions about mystery hats Speech bubbles between Bear and Rabbit Letter of advice for Rabbit - how to get his friend back Packing list for Rabbit's journey Narrative sequel – I want my friend back	Wanted poster to find baddies Letter to ask for help List of superhero accessories Speech bubble conversation Email to mayor Diary entry in role 1st person character description of new superhero		
Purpose	Inform Persuade Recount Entertain	Reflect Instruct Inform	Inform Persuade Entertain	Own version superhero tale Inform Persuade Reflect Describe Entertain		
Word	naming and spelling the days of the week	Alphabetical order	ing suffix -un prefix Syllables	-y suffix with adjectives plurals with -s and -es suffixes -ed and -ing suffixes -ful and -less		
Sentence	adjectives to describe* using 'and' and but* to join ideas	adjectives to describe nouns* commands* subordinating conjunction because* coordinating conjunctions (and, but*, so*) questions statements*	join clauses using and, but*, so* questions	adjectives to describe* subordinating conjunction 'because'* coordinating conjunctions (and, but*, so*) noun phrases to describe* questions		
Punctuation	capital letters capital letters for proper nouns / I full stops	capital letters full stops question marks	capitals for proper nouns exclamation marks question marks	capital letters full stops personal pronoun question marks		

Text	sequencing sentences to form short	nf / f formats and layouts questions as	sequencing sentences to form short	sequencing sentences to form short
	narratives writing in 1st person	subheadings	narratives	narratives

		Spring Term			
Writing Root Unit	Beegu Alexis Deacon	Leo and the Octopus Isabelle Marinov	Stanley's Stick John Hegley and Neal Layton	Dinosaurs and all that Rubbish Michael Foreman	
Outcomes Writing in role Information reports Adverts Formal letters		Information reports Letters Adverts Labels		Letters Instructions Posters Retellings	
Main Outcome	Own version narrative	Fact-file	Narrative	Information booklet	
Audience/ Form	Character description of Beegu How to look after an alien Letter of advice to Beegu Nonsense rhyming poetry Dictionary of Beegu's language Retelling a section of Beegu focusing on senses Non-fiction report about Own alien Own version alien narrative	How to look after an alien Letter of advice to Beegu Nonsense rhyming poetry Dictionary of Beegu's language Retelling a section of Beegu focusing on senses Non-fiction report about • Letter of advice for Leo • Information labels about an octopus • Logbook of the week's events Speech bubbles in role • Transcript for nature documentary Non-fiction report for the London Aquarium.		Letter to describe how the world has changed Instructions for making the world beautiful again Poster showing who the world belongs to Narrative retelling of the story Pamphlet on how to look after the world	
Purpose	Describe Inform Instruct Entertain Persuade	Inform Persuade Recount Reflect	Recount Describe Entertain	Describe Instruct Persuade Inform Entertain	
Word	-ing suffix use of pronouns	suffixes -s and -es for plurals past tense -ed suffix technical vocabulary	-ed suffix for past tense -ly suffix with adverbs*	adverbs suffix -ing superlatives with -est suffix*	
Sentence	adjectives to describe* command sentences* imperative verbs* introduction to but* questions and statements use of 'and'	adjectives for feelings and description* exclamations*, statements*, commands* and questions noun phrases* use of when* use of conjunction and verbs are and have	noun phrases*	adjectives* commands* imperative verbs* noun phrases* nouns statements* use of but*	
Punctuation	capital letters full stops	capital letters capital letters for names and days of the week full stops pronoun '	I' capital letters commas in lists* full stops	possessive apostrophe*	
Text	heading / subheadings to organise pronouns to avoid repetition * paragraphs to group material	first person irregular verbs subheadings and bullet points*	adverbs to sequence* paragraphing sequence sentences to form short narratives	adverbs to sequence* present progressive subheadings*	
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Writing Root Unit	Lost and Found Oliver Jeffers	Yeti and the Bird Nadia Shireen	Pig the Pug Aaron Blabey	Dadaji's Paintbrush Rashmi Sirdeshpande	

Outcomes	Character descriptions Retellings	Lists Letters Postcards Character	Character comparisons Shared	Labels and captions Character	
	Advice Instructions Non-	descriptions	poem Fact sheets Letters in role	comparisons Thought and speech	
	chronological reports		Narrative	bubbles Letters Leaflets	
Main Outcome	Own version narrative	Own version narrative	How to guide	Own version narrative	
Audience/	First person reaction to seeing rats	Setting description of the city	Postcard to a friend	• Short news report about a message in a	
Form	Information report about rats	Letter of advice to Livia and Tranio	Logbook entries to describe findings	bottle	
	Advert for a rat-catcher	Thought bubble of a character	Report about types of camera	Diary entry for Rhodopis	
	Persuasive letter to the Mayor	Description of volcano eruption	Message in a bottle letter to find a	• Description of new 'Cinderella' character	
	Own version myth	 Newspaper report of volcano eruption 	scientist	Lonely hearts advert	
			Mystery narrative sequel	Own version traditional tale	
Purpose	Reflect	Describe	Inform	Inform	
	Inform	Persuade	Describe	Reflect	
	Persuade	Reflect	Entertain	Describe	
		Inform		Persuade	
				Entertain	
Word	word classes *	adverbs with -ly *	-sub prefix	figurative language – simile / metaphor /	
	adverbs with -ly *	modal verbs *		abstract	
	-sion / -tion suffix			nouns -ment / -ness suffix	
	modal verbs *			imperative verbs	
Sentence	noun phrases with 'of'* conjunctions – as,	statements / questions *	conjunctions - but, so *	commands *	
	because, but, although, so	preposition phrases conjunctions – because,	conjunctions of time and cause – because,	conjunctions of time / place / cause	
	sentence types *	since, as conditionals – if / when	as, since	expanded noun phrases	
	conditional sentences – if questions *	expanded noun phrases adverbial phrases	adverbial phrases fronted adverbials *	adverbs of time / place / cause	
	adverbial phrases		expanded noun phrases		
D		wasting gradie * glassi / gradies	prepositions – of, with, through, around, on		
Punctuation	question marks *	question marks * plural / possessive	comma after fronted adverbials *	sentence ending punctuation *	
Tout	handing / subhandings to suppoin-	apostrophes * inverted commas for speech	na na na na ha ta ana na n	anneat antest	
Text	heading / subheadings to organise	present progressive *	paragraphs to group material	present prefect	
	pronouns to avoid repetition *	headings / headlines	pronouns to avoid repetition	paragraphs to group material	
	paragraphs to group material	paragraphs for chronology			

YEAR 2 Writing Units – Progression map

		Autumn Term			
Writing Root (Unit)	Goldilocks & the Three Bears Lauren Child	Wolves Emily Gravett	The Journey Home Frann Preston-Gannon	We Are Water Protectors Carole Lindstrom	
Outcomes	Character descriptions Wanted posters Letters Narrative retellings Speech bubbles			List poems Fact-files Non-chronological reports Chronological reports Warning signs	
Main Outcome	Sequel	Non-chronological leaflet	Persuasive letter	Environmental campaigns	

Audience/ Form	Description of Goldilocks Wanted poster to find Goldilocks Retelling of traditional version Letter of apology to bears Speech bubble conversation between Goldilocks and bears Retelling from alternative perspective Sequel to	Character description of a wolf Factual sentences about wolves Captions about wolf artefacts Leaflet about wolves	Missing poster to find lost animal Fact- file about extinct animals Postcard to recount events Wanted poster to catch hunters Persuasive letter to save an endangered animal	List poem about water Fact-file about water pollution Non-chronological report about animals Water cycle report Warning signs to oil company Environmental campaign to save water
Purpose	Goldilocks Describe Inform persuade entertain	Describe Inform	Inform Recount Persuade	Entertain Inform Persuade
Word	singular / plural -s and -es*	use of -er suffix with adjectives adjectives	-e and -es for plural nouns	adjectives with -ous and -tion alliteration
Sentence	subordination (because) statements adverbials of time* coordinating conjunctions (but)) noun phrases subordination (so that, because, in order to, by) statements questions	noun phrases statements questions exclamations commands coordinating conjunctions (and, but, so, or) commas in a list	subordination (as, because, if) coordinating conjunctions (and, but, so, or) statements exclamations questions
Punctuation	capital letters full stops	capital letters full stops question marks	capital letters full stops questions marks exclamation marks	capital letters full stops questions marks exclamation marks
Text	sequencing sentences to form short narratives*	* subheadings* paragraphs to group material*	subheadings* present progressive verbs simple past tense	present progressive verbs correct and consistent tense

		Spring Term				
Writing Root Unit	THE Bear Under the Stairs BEAR CNDER THE STAIRS BEACCUP THE STAIRS	ROALD The Minpins DAHL Roald Dahl	Tadpole's Promise Jeanne Willis	Grandad's Camper Harry Woodgate		
Outcomes	Personal reflections Letters Narrative retellings Own version narratives	Danger posters Setting descriptions Character descriptions Narrative retellings Information reports Postcards	Simple explanations Speech bubbles Setting descriptions Thought bubbles Own version narratives	Labels Memory poems Interviews Photo album captions Postcards		
Main Outcome	Non chronological report	Narrative	Explanation	Sequel		
Audience/ Form	Reflections about fears Letter from William to a friend Letter in reply Retelling of narrative Own-version narrative Non-chronological report about bears	Danger poster about entering the woods Character description of a monster Contrasting character descriptions of boy / Minpin Retelling of short section Report about the Minpins Postcard home from the boy Own version narrative adventure	Description of a change Setting description of the river Thought bubble of the frog Speech bubble conversation Own version narrative Explanation of the lifecycle of a frog	Labels for items in a box Memory poem about a special occasion Interview questions Captions for photos in an album 'Wish you were here' postcard Sequel story		
Purpose	Reflect Entertain Inform	Inform Describe Entertain	Describe Reflect Entertain Explain	Inform Reflect Describe Entertain		
Word	homophones graphemes for phoneme / air/ -ment and -ness	adjectives contrasting adjectives -er -est suffixes	alliteration *	a / an before consonant or vowel* simple / expanded noun phrases modal verbs – could, should, would		
Sentence	statements questions exclamations commands coordination (and, but, or) adverbials of time	* noun phrases commands coordination (and, or, but) questions exclamations subordination (because, as, when, while	adverbials of time* noun phrases adverbial phrases* subordination (because, so that)	subordination (because, as) coordination (and) simple prepositions* questions adverbials of time		
Punctuation	full stops capital letters questions marks exclamation marks	questions marks exclamation marks possessive apostrophe	possessive apostrophes apostrophes for contraction intro to inverted commas for speech	commas in lists questions marks		

Text	sequencing sentences to form short narratives*	simple past -ed past progressive -ing subheadings* present tense verbs	verb choices sequencing sentences in chronological order	past progressive simple past -ed irregular past tense verbs sequencing sentences to form short narratives*						
	Summer Term Summer Term									
Writing Root Unit	The Dragon Machine Helen Ward	Toys in Space Mini Grey	The Great Fire of London Emma Adams	Rosie Revere, Engineer Andrea Beaty OR A Walk in London Salvatore Rubbino						
Outcomes	Dragon guides Letters of advice Encyclopaedia entries Explanations Shopping lists Descriptions	Found posters Diary entries Speech bubbles Notes of advice Space logs Invitations Fantasy setting descriptions Character descriptions	Persuasive posters Comparisons Warning posters Speech bubbles Diary entries Letters of advice Certificates	Short explanations Writing in role Reports Adverts Labels						
Main Outcome	Own version narrative	Fantasy narrative	Information booklet	Leaflet						
Audience/ Form	A guide to spotting dragons Letter of advice to George Encyclopaedia entry about dragons Description of dragon machine Own version dragon narrative	Found poster to find toys' owners Diary entry in role Speech bubbles for main characters Letter of advice to help Hoctopize Spaceship captain's space log Party invitation to Hoctopize Description of fantasy planet Fantasy character description Own version fantasy world narrative	Visit London - persuasive poster Comparisons of London then and now Comic book speech bubbles Diary entry of a London tradesperson Letter / speech giving advice to the King Certificate from the King Information booklet about the Great Fire of London	Short explanation of bridge design Thought bubbles for Rosie Rosie's school report Advert for Tower Bridge (or similar) exhibition Diagram labels Leaflet for a local landmark						
Purpose	Inform persuade entertain describe	Inform Reflect Persuade Recount Describe Entertain	Inform Reflect Persuade instruct	Inform Reflect Persuade						
Word	-un prefix modal verbs – could, should, would* -ment / -ness suffix	-er suffix modal verbs – could, should, would* adjectives with -ing suffix	technical vocabulary imperative verbs -ing suffix superlatives -est	-ment / -ness suffix -ing suffix						
Sentence	simple prepositions* coordination (and, but, or) subordination (because, when, if, that) commands statements questions simple / expanded noun phrases adverbials of time*	coordination (and, so) subordination (because) questions expanded noun phrases statements simple prepositions* exclamations commands adverbials of time*	questions exclamations comparative conjunctions (but, and) commands statements subordination (because) adverbials of time*	subordination (when) expanded noun phrases statements exclamations commands questions						
Punctuation	Question marks commas in a list	capital letters for proper nouns apostrophes for contraction question marks exclamation marks	capital letters for proper nouns apostrophes for contraction question marks exclamation marks	possessive apostrophe apostrophes for contraction exclamation marks questions marks						
Text	simple past -ed sequencing sentences to form short narratives*	present progressive regular / irregular past tense verbs future tense sequencing sentences to form short narratives*	regular / irregular past tense verbs present progressive subheadings	present progressive questions as subheadings*						

YEAR 3 Writing Units – Progression map

Writing Root (Unit)	Leon and the Place Between By Mordicai Gerstein	The First Drawing By Angela McAllister	The Tear Thief By Carol Ann Duffy	The BFG By Roald Dahl	
Outcomes	Persuasive posters Reviews Setting descriptions Thought bubbles / diary entries Dialogue	Imaginary scenarios Character descriptions Diary entries 'Recounts	Diary entries Shared poem Persuasive posters Letters of explanation Discussion	Character descriptions Wanted posters Instructions Dream scenarios Diary entry recounts New Chapters Letters	
Main Outcome	Own version narrative	Own version narrative	Newspaper article	Own version narrative	
Audience/ Form	 Persuasive poster invite to the magic show Audience member review of the show Setting description inside the tent Conversation between the children Own version fantasy narrative 	 Imaginary Stone Age scenarios Diary of a Stone Age boy Description of a woolly mammoth First person recount First person historical narrative 	 Diary entry in role as the Tear Thief Shared group / class poem Letter to the Tear Thief from the girl Posters about importance of crying Letter of advice to the girl Newspaper article about stolen tears 	 Character description of the giant Wanted poster for a giant Recipe instructions for 'Revolting Recipes' book Dream scenarios New chapter called 'The Plan' Letter to the BFG Own version 'child and giant' story 	
Purpose	Persuade Inform Describe Entertain	Reflect Describe Entertain	Recount Entertain Inform	Recount Describe Persuade Entertain Inform	
Word	abstract nouns word classes vocab choices for effect modal verbs*	modal verbs* regular* / irregular plural nouns	noun phrases expanded with 'of' simile / metaphor	word classes noun / verb / adjective choices for effect compound words * -sion / -cian / -tion suffix	
Sentence	range of sentence types * expanded noun phrases adverbs / adverbial phrases conditional sentences – if	subordination – because, as, since* conditional sentences – if noun phrases expanded with 'with'* fronted adverbials	range of sentence types * conditional sentences – if conjunctions – because / when	adverbs / adverbial phrases similes with 'like' or 'as' commands * conditional sentences – if / when cause and effect conjunctions – because, as, whilst	
Punctuation	intro to inverted commas question marks *	exclamation marks * question marks * inverted commas for speech apostrophes for possession / omission *	apostrophes for possession * adverbial phrases begin to use commas after fronted adverbials * inverted commas for speech	begin to use commas after fronted adverbials * inverted commas for speech	
Text pronouns for cohesion * paragra consistent use of tense *		paragraphs to group material	verbs in progressive form * present perfect tense bullet points to organise * paragraphs to group material	headings – recipe writing paragraphs to group material consistent use of past tense	

Writing Root	The Pied Piper of Hamelin	Escape from Pompeii	DAVID WIESNER Flotsam	Cinderella of the Nile		
Unit	By Michael Morpurgo	By Christina Balit	By David Weisner	By Beverley Naido		
Outcomes	Writing in role	Setting descriptions	Postcards	Short news reports		
	Information reports	Diaries Letters	Setting descriptions	Diary entries		
	Adverts	Thought bubbles	Non-chronological reports	Character descriptions		
	Formal letters	Volcano descriptions	Informal letters	Adverts		
Main Outcome	Own version myth / legend	Newspaper report	Sequel	Own version narrative		
Audience/	First person reaction to seeing rats	Setting description of the city	Postcard to a friend	Short news report about a message in a		
Form	Information report about rats	Letter of advice to Livia and Tranio	Logbook entries to describe findings	bottle		
	Advert for a rat-catcher	Thought bubble of a character	Report about types of camera	Diary entry for Rhodopis		
	Persuasive letter to the Mayor	Description of volcano eruption	Message in a bottle letter to find a	• Description of new 'Cinderella' character		
	Own version myth	Newspaper report of volcano eruption	scientist	Lonely hearts advert		
	,		Mystery narrative sequel	Own version traditional tale		
Purpose	Reflect	Describe	Inform	Inform		
	Inform	Persuade	Describe	Reflect		
	Persuade	Reflect	Entertain	Describe		
		Inform		Persuade		
				Entertain		
Word	word classes *	adverbs with -ly *	-sub prefix	figurative language – simile / metaphor /		
	adverbs with -ly *	modal verbs *		abstract		
	-sion / -tion suffix			nouns -ment / -ness suffix		
	modal verbs *			imperative verbs		
Sentence	noun phrases with 'of'* conjunctions – as,	statements / questions *	conjunctions - but, so *	commands *		
	because, but, although, so	preposition phrases conjunctions – because,	conjunctions of time and cause – because,	conjunctions of time / place / cause		
	sentence types *	since, as conditionals – if / when	as, since	expanded noun phrases		
	conditional sentences – if questions *	expanded noun phrases adverbial phrases	adverbial phrases fronted adverbials *	adverbs of time / place / cause		
	adverbial phrases		expanded noun phrases			
			prepositions – of, with, through, around, on			
Punctuation	question marks *	question marks * plural / possessive apostrophes * inverted commas for speech	comma after fronted adverbials *	sentence ending punctuation *		
Text	heading / subheadings to organise	present progressive *	paragraphs to group material	present prefect		
	pronouns to avoid repetition *	headings / headlines	pronouns to avoid repetition	paragraphs to group material		
	paragraphs to group material	paragraphs for chronology				
		Summer Term				
Writing Root	The Mysteries of	The Tin Forest	Jim, A Cautionary Tale	Our Tower		
Unit	Harris Burdick	Helen Ward	Hilaire Belloc	Joseph Coelho		
	Chris Van Allsberg					
		Secretary of the Secret	THE WAS BROOK BOOK BOOK BOOK BOOK BOOK BOOK BOO	OUR TOWER.		
Outcomes	Diary entries Dialogue Setting descriptions	Persuasive posters Information leaflets	Warning posters Warning announcements	Poems Setting descriptions Diary entries		
3 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	Captions and titles	Postcards Diary entries Wishes Setting	Letters of apology Alternative endings	Dialogue Letters of thanks		
		descriptions	Performance poetry	- Indiana		
Main	Mustory porreting	<u>'</u>		Futonded securation		
Outcome	Mystery narrative	Persuasive leaflet	Narrative poem	Extended narrative		
Audience/	Atmospheric setting description Diary entry	Persuasive poster to encourage recycling	Warning poster about consequences of	Sound poem of a walk to the park Setting		
Form	of girl with caterpillars New titles for	Informative leaflet for getting rid of rubbish	actions Tannoy announcement to warn Jim	descriptions Conversation between children		
			actions runney announcement to warmann descriptions conversation between			

	illustrations Captions to accompany new titles Short mystery story Mystery story based on a photograph	Postcard to offer advice to Old Man Diary entry in role as Old Man Wish to the Moon Setting description of forest Information leaflet about protecting the local environment	Letters of apology from Jim to Nurse Alternative ending to Jim story Performance of Jim poem Own version cautionary narrative poem	and Tree-Grown Man Diary entry of one child Letter to the Tree-Grown Man Extended fantasy narrative	
Purpose	Describe inform entertain	Persuade inform reflect describe	Inform Reflect Entertain	Inform Reflect Entertain describe	
Word	ing suffix (gerunds) -un prefix * similes	alliteration strength of adjectives	rhyming words -ly adverbs	Onomatopoeia	
Sentence	questions / statements * noun phrases with 'of' * prepositions of place adverbs of time	noun phrases * expanded noun phrases with 'with' * range of sentence types * subordinating conjunctions – although, whilst, because, since modal verbs * preposition phrases	range of sentence types * adverbial phrases conditional sentences – if/then order of clauses *	prepositions – in, of expanded noun phrases range of sentence types * conjunctions - but, although, before, after, while adverbials of time order of clauses *	
Punctuation	questions marks * inverted commas for speech	question marks * exclamation marks *	question marks * exclamation marks * commas between clauses *	inverted commas for speech apostrophes for contraction * bullet points to organise	
Text	present / past perfect paragraphs to group material	past perfect tense future tense – will paragraphs to group material headings	rhyming couplets present progressive verb forms * simple past tense *	present perfect simple past tense * paragraphs to group material	

YEAR 4 Writing Units – Progression map

				Autumn Term				
Writing Root (Unit)	TAR BEAUTY	<i>Tar Beach</i> Faith Ringgold	B	<i>Varmint</i> s Helen Ward	FARTHER	FArTHER Grahame Baker Smith	Until I Met Dudley	Until I Met Dudley Roger McGough and Chris Riddell
Outcomes		criptions Formal letters	•	comparisons Retellings Setting	_	Recounts (postcards) Setting	Explanato	ory posters Letter Short informal
	Dialog	ue (scripts)	(descriptions Poetry	descrip	ptions Labels Diary entries Instructions		explanations
Main Outcome	Retelling as a script			Explanation	Sequel story		Explanation text	
Audience/	Poem about freed	dom First person setting	Contrasting	setting descriptions Description	Postcard from the boy to his best friend Poster to explai		to explain an invention Letter to	
Form	· ·	New York City Formal	, ,	in landscape Retelling from the		pe setting description Technical		
	•	o the Union Dialogue as a ative retelling as a play		ve of a varmint Poems about planation of the life cycle of a	, 3			graph about how a refrigerator Extended informal explanatory
		script		plant	son Sequel with the boy as the new main character		paragrap	oh Two explanation texts – formal and informal
Purpose	Entertain po	ersuade describe	Ente	ertain persuade inform	Recount In	form Describe Instruct Reflect		Inform Reflect Explain
Word	ing suffix	* un- prefix *	per	sonification metaphor	ing verbs as nouns personification			rocabulary differences in formal /
Sentence	modal verbs * co	njunctions to explain *	noun pl	nrases with -ing adjectives	modal ver	bs * conjunctions to explain *	prepo	sitions to explain – for, with
		anded with preposition onal sentences – if *		g conjunctions – whilst, but, espite fronted adverbials multi-		* noun phrases with abstract entence order * multi-clause	,	ions to explain * modal verbs * * cause and effect conjunctions

		clause sentences sentence order * causal conjunctions – when, before conditional sentences – if/then*	sentences prepositions to extend noun phrases – with, for, to adverbial phrases	multi-clause sentences adverbials of time relative clauses *
Punctuation	commas to mark clauses * apostrophes for	commas after fronted adverbials commas to	question marks * commas after fronted	question marks * commas to mark clauses *
	contractions * possessive apostrophes, inc.	mark clauses *	adverbials	possessive apostrophes
	for plural nouns brackets – stage directions			
Text	present progressive * play script	paragraphs to organise around a theme	present perfect tense * conjunctions for	pronouns to avoid repetition
	construction tense consistency	subheadings * adverbials for cohesion *	cohesion *	

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		Spring Term	T. 1: 14 1:	T. M. (11. 5)		
Writing Root Unit	Frindleswylde Natalia O'Hara & Lauren O'Hara	Cinnamon Neil Gaiman	The Lion and the Unicorn Shirley Hughes	The Matchbox Diary Paul Fleischman		
Outcomes	Letters Voting slips Dialogue Poetry Setting descriptions Persuasive speeches	Diary entries Informal letters Dialogue Adverts Limericks / other poetry	Letters Diary entries Character descriptions Setting descriptions Non-chronological reports	Dialogue Diary entry Retelling Mini- autobiography Fact file		
Main Outcome	Narrative Sequel	Own version of mythical tale	Own historical narrative	Biography		
Audience/ Form	Letter to Granny Voting slip Conversation between Cora and Frindleswylde Poem about Frindleswylde Birds-eye view description Persuasive speech in role as Frindleswylde Sequel to Frindleswylde	Advert to help the family Formal letter to the family Poem about the tiger Limerick about story character Diary entry for Cinnamon Conversation between Cinnamon and tiger Own version mythical tale	Letter to Lenny's dad Conversation between Lenny and mum Diary entry for Lenny Letter home from Lenny Description of the garden Report to Headteacher Instructions for leaving the house Historical narrative	Conversations between family members Diary entry of greatgrandfather Retelling section of story Autobiography of three objects Fact file of a landmark Biography of the main character		
Purpose	Inform Entertain Describe Persuade	Persuade Inform Entertain Reflect	Inform Reflect Describe	Reflect Entertain Inform		
Word	simile / personification un-, mis-, dis- prefix * synonyms / antonyms	similes	phoneme /u/ when spelt ou regular / irregular plurals * homophones in context Standard English verb forms	use forms of a or an * homophone		
Sentence	conjunctions to justify – because, since, as expanded noun phrases modal verbs * fronted adverbials (of place)	contrasting conjunctions cause and effect conjunctions noun phrases expanded with preposition phrases range of sentence types * expanded noun phrases	multi-clause sentences multi-clause sentences subordinating conjunctions noun phrases expanded with preposition phrases order of clauses * commands	modal verbs * subordinating conjunctions comparative conjunctions / adverbs range of sentence types * expanded noun phrases multi-clause sentences		
Punctuation	inverted commas for speech other speech punctuation commas after fronted adverbials	inverted commas for speech other speech punctuation	inverted commas for speech apostrophes for contraction* apostrophes for plural possession	inverted commas for speech other speech punctuation commas to separate clauses apostrophes for contraction		
Text	adverbials for cohesion * paragraphs to organise around a theme pronouns to avoid repetition	paragraphs to organise around a theme	present perfect tense * paragraphs to organise around a theme adverbials for cohesion *	paragraphs to organise around a theme conjunctions for cohesion * subheadings *		
		Summer Term				
Writing Root Unit	Weslandia Weslandia Paul Fleischman	Shackleton's Journey William Grill	The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe C. S. Lewis	Jabberwocky Lewis Carroll		
Outcomes	Retellings Character descriptions Book reviews	Packing lists Letters (formal and informal) Setting description Interviews Diary entries	Poems Eyewitness reports Imaginary conversations Writing in role	Performance poetry Explanatory descriptions		

Main Outcome	Non chronological report	Newspaper Report	Own version narrative	Nonsense poems
Audience/ Form	Character description for Wesley Retelling of Weslandia story Non- chronological report about own 'land'	Packing list with justifications Telegram to family member First person setting description Diary of a crew member Letter to Shackleton Conversation between crew members Newspaper report of Shackleton's Journey	Poems about sweets Eyewitness reports Conversation between Edmund and Aslan Own version fantasy narrative	Group choral performance of poem Explanatory description of creature from poem Nonsense poem about an imagined creature
Purpose	Describe Entertain Inform	Inform Describe Reflect	Entertain Inform	Entertain Explai
Word	-ous suffix -tion suffix	-ous suffix	-ture suffix figurative language rhyme	forms of a or an suffixes / prefixes to identify word class figurative language
Sentence	adverbial phrases causal conjunctions multi- clause sentences fronted adverbials conditional sentences – if questions	questions * cause and effect conjunctions adverbial phrases opposing conjunctions fronted adverbials	relative clauses * modal verbs * expanded noun phrases questions * subordinating conjunctions	expanded noun phrases exclamatory sentences * portmanteau to create nonsense vocabulary
Punctuation	commas after fronted adverbials question marks *	question marks inverted commas for speech other speech punctuation	commas for clauses * question marks * inverted commas for speech	exclamation marks * sentence ending punctuation
Text	paragraphs to organise around a theme	present perfect tense * subheadings	* paragraphs to organise around a theme	rhyming verse

YEAR 5 Writing Units – Progression map

		Autumn Term			
Writing Root (Unit)	The Man Who Walked Between the Towers Mordicai Gerstein	Robot Girl Malorie Blackman	HIDDEN Hidden Figures Margot Lee Shetterly	The Tempest William Shakespeare	Percy Jackson Rick Riordan
Outcomes	Fact files Journalistic writing Setting descriptions Letters of advice Persuasive speeches	Discussion Debate Dialogue Character comparisons Reviews	Non-chronological reports Job adverts Formal persuasive letters Informal letters Diary entries Character descriptions Opinion pieces	Setting descriptions Character descriptions / comparisons Diary entries Dialogue	Poetry (ode) Soliloquy Setting descriptions Diary entries Additional chapters Non- chronological reports
Main Outcome	Biography	Science-fiction narrative	Memoir	Play script	Adventure story
Audience/	Fact file about twin towers Letter	Discussion about data / intelligence	Report about NASA Recruitment	Informal letter describing a	Ode from point of view of Percy
Form	of advice to Philippe Diary entry as Philippe Interview transcript Persuasive speech to a judge Biography of Philippe Petit	Balanced argument Comparison of Claire and Maisie Section of narrative with dialogue Contrasting character descriptions Book review Science-fiction narrative	advert for NACA or NASA Formal letter to the judge Letter from Katherine to her daughters Diary entry of Dorothy Vaughan Opinion piece about women's achievements Memoir of one of the 'hidden figures'	setting Character descriptions Diary entry of the tempest Missing play scene Character comparisons Desert island play script	Soliloquy for Percy Description of a new character Description of Came Half-Blood Diary entry as Percy Additional chapter Non- chronological report about a Greek god/goddess Own version mythical narrative
Purpose	Inform Persuade Reflect	Recount Discuss Entertain Describe	Inform Persuade Reflect Discuss Recount	Describe Reflect Entertain	Entertain Describe Reflect Inform
Word	-ing words as adjectives figurative language *	synonyms / antonyms for comparison	-er, -ologist, -cian, -ist suffixes un- / in- prefixes most / -est superlatives	converting verbs into adjectives / nouns	-ness / -ment to create abstract nouns

Sentence	modal verbs conjunctions to	subjunctive form * multi-clause	conjunctions to link ideas * range	relative clauses range of relative	adverbial phrases * modal verbs
	explain * range of sentence types *	sentences conjunctions to explain /	of sentence types * abstract noun	pronouns / omitted relative	range of sentence types *
	multi-clause sentences order of	compare * relative clauses modal	phrases subjunctive form *	pronouns adverbial phrases of	expanded noun phrases *
	clauses expanded noun phrases *	verbs	conditional sentences – if * fronted	manner * modal verbs multi-clause	preposition phrases * multi-clause
	relative clauses formal adverbials of		adverbials conjunctions to extend	sentences	sentences relative clauses
	time and place		ideas *		subjunctive form *
Punctuation	sentence ending punctuation *	bullet points to list information	sentence ending punctuation *	parenthesis punctuation use of	hyphens to avoid ambiguity *
	apostrophes for contraction * use		apostrophes for contraction *	colons	commas to clarify meaning
	of colons dialogue punctuation * *		bullet points to list information *		
			parenthesis		
Text	Subheadings * pronouns to avoid	tense choice for cohesion	subheadings * paragraphs to	present perfect tense * adverbials	cohesive devices within a
	repetition * present perfect tense *		organise around a theme *	to link ideas	paragraph repetition / ellipses to
	tense choice for cohesion		adverbials of time for cohesion		link paragraphs * paragraphs to
	paragraphs to organise around a				organise
	theme *				

		Spring Term			
Writing Root Unit	The Lost Thing Shaun Tan	The Island Armin Greder	The Lizzie and Belle Mysteries J.T. Williams	Freedom Bird Jerdine Nolen	The Sleeper and the Spindle Spindle Neil Gaiman and Chris Riddell
Outcomes	Diary entries Formal letters Explanations Adverts Character descriptions Setting descriptions Non-chronological reports	Welcome guides Descriptions Letters of advice Analysis Comparisons Diary entries Imagined conversations	Posters Diary entries Case notes Letters Dialogue Character descriptions Fact files Persuasive speeches	Writing in role Thought bubbles Dialogue Postcards Recounts Poems	Warning poster Diary entry Dialogue Setting description Character description Missing narrative Book review
Main Outcome	Own version narrative	Narrative sequel	Biography	Biography	Fairy tale reworking
Audience/ Form	Diary entry of the boy Formal letter of advice Explanation of how to look after a lost thing Advert for the Department of Odds and Ends Lost & found tags Own version fantasy narrative based on original story	Welcome guide for a new arrival Description of 'normal' island life Letter of advice to the fisherman Text analysis Diary entry of the man Conversation between Andrew and the man Narrative sequel from an alternative perspective	Theatre advert for Othello Diary entry for Lizzie Crime scene case notes (ongoing throughout) Letter to Belle / Lizzie Character profile for Ignatius Sancho Fact file on the Somerset Ruling Poster and speech to fight for a cause Biography of Ignatius Sancho	Writing in role about dreams Thought bubbles of the children Dialogue for a scene Postcard to Millicent and John Recount of children's escape Biography of Harriet Tubman	Warning poster about crossing the mountains Diary entry for the princess Dialogue between dwarfs and queen Estate agent's description of a castle Character comparisons Missing scene of narrative Description of woman Book review Fairytale sequel or prequel
Purpose	Reflect Persuade Inform Explain Entertain	Inform Describe Persuade Discuss Reflect Entertain	Persuade Reflect Inform	Persuade Reflect Entertain Describe Discuss	Persuade Describe Recount Reflect Entertain
Word	synonyms / antonyms for effect * shifts in formality	idioms	vocabulary for formal writing adjectives ending -ous	homophones comparatives / superlatives synonyms / antonyms for effect *	alliteration -ful / -less suffix * superlatives dis- / de- / mis- / over- / reprefixes idioms
Sentence	multi-clause sentences order of clauses subordinating conjunctions subjunctive form * modal verbs range of sentence types * relative clauses / pronouns noun phrases expanded with prepositions *	modal verbs difference between formal / informal structures * question tags * passive voice * subjunctive form * subordinating clauses / conjunctions expanded noun phrases *	multi-clause sentences subordinating conjunctions range of sentence types * expanded noun phrases * modal verbs adverbs / adverbial phrases * relative clauses question tags * subjunctive form	noun phrases expanded with prepositions * relative clauses adverbs / adverbial phrases * clause order for effect modal verbs subordinating conjunctions subjunctive form * passive voice *	modal verbs subjunctive form * relative clauses abstract noun phrases sentence order adverbial / prepositional phrases

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Punctuation	sentence ending punctuation *	commas for clarity dialogue	parenthesis punctuation dialogue	dialogue punctuation * commas for	use of hyphens dialogue
	parenthesis	punctuation	punctuation * bullet points to list	clarity parenthesis punctuation	punctuation
			information		
Text	paragraphs to organise around a	* present perfect * dialogue to	switch in tense paragraphs to	cohesive devices to move time /	tense choice for cohesion
	theme * past progressive tense	advance action cohesive devices	organise around a theme * layout	place / action n	
		consistency of tense for cohesion *	devices * noun phrases to avoid		
			repetition		
Writing Root	Children of the Benin	Alte Zachen	Origami Yoda	Curiosity	
Unit	RENN KINGDOM Kingdom	Ziggy Hanaor	Tom Angleberger	Markus Motum	
	Dina Orji				
	- may			CURIOSITY The Story of a Marx Rever	
Outcomes	Informal letter Contrasting diary	Character descriptions Flashbacks	Instructions Persuasion	Proposals to NASA Information	
	entries Survival guides Eyewitness	Diary entries Short autobiographies	Diary entry	labels Short explanations NASA logs	
	reports Summaries	,	, ,	News report	
Main	Nonchronological report	Analytical essay	Discussion text	Expanded explanation	
Outcome	Tronding of order	, mary treat essay	Discussion text	Expanded explanation	
Audience/	Letter from Papa Eze to Ada	Character analysis of Bubbe	Diary entry as Nik or Norva	Instructions to make an origami	
Form	Contrasting diaries of Mama	Flashback in role as Bubbe Diary	Murder investigation manual	Yoda Diary entry in role as Tommy	
	Ginika / children Jungle survival	entry in role as Bubbe Thought	Description of a police cordon	Diary entry for Dwight Discussion	
	guide Eyewitness report to the	bubbles for Benji and Bubbe	Article for Cloud News Letter to	about predicting the future	
	Chief Summary of a section of	Autobiography as Bubbe	the police Extended detective		
	story Non-chronological report	Analytical essay about learning	narrative		
	about the Benin Kingdom	from older generations			
Purpose	Reflect Inform Recount	Describe Discuss Reflect Recount	Describe Reflect Recount Inform	Instruct Reflect Discuss	
		Discuss	Persuade		
Word	synonyms / antonyms formal	synonyms / antonyms for contrast	technical vocabulary figurative	-ate / -ise / -ify suffixes	
	vocabulary	dis-/ mis- prefix	language		
Sentence	modal verbs contrasting	modal verbs + contractions	modal verbs conjunctions to justify	imperative verbs * sentence	
	conjunctions * multi-clause	question tags * noun phrases	* order of clauses passive voice *	openers to contrast adverbs /	
	sentences order of clauses relative	expanded with prepositions *	command sentences * adverbial	adverbial phrases * clause order	
	clauses / pronouns passive voice *	conjunctions to justify * adverbial	phrases * relative clauses		
	*	phrases * sentence order	subjunctive form * fronted		
		exclamatory sentences * range of	adverbials *		
		sentence types			
Punctuation	postrophes for contractions *	apostrophes for contractions * use	parenthesis punctuation dialogue	bullet points to list information *	
	dashes for parenthesis use of single	of hyphens dashes for parenthesis	punctuation *	use of semi-colons	
	dash bullet points to list				
	information *				
Text	future tense adverbial phrases to	cohesive devices - tense choice,	short sentences formal speech	paragraphs to organise around a	
	link ideas paragraphs to organise	adverbs /adverbial phrases,	vocabulary tense choice for	theme * cohesive devices - adverbs	
	around a theme * subheadings *	pronouns subheadings * paragraph	cohesion	/adverbial phrases, pronouns,	
		structure		formal tone	

		Autumn Term		
Writing Root (Unit)	The Arrival Shaun Tan	Windrush Child Benjamin Zephaniah	Can We Save the Tiger? Martin Jenkins	The Last Bear Hannah Gold
Outcomes	Letters Character descriptions Diaries Short playscripts Short report	Thought bubbles Informal letters Poems Diary entries Advice	Letters Explanations Persuasive posters Animal description Persuasive speeches Simple poems	Character profile Figurative descriptions Dialogue Monologue Logbook entry Scientific report
Main Outcome	Narrative writing	Persuasive pitch	Discussion	Newspaper article
Audience/ Form	Retelling sections of story Diary entry in role as little girl Poster to describe The New World Playscript for a scene Scenes with a flashback Leaflet for looking after a pet Retelling in third person (man's journey to another country)	Thought bubble in role Letter from Leonard to dad Diary entry in role as Leonard Advice to another child Informal speech to mother Persuasive pitch to the local council	Letter to express an argument Persuasive poster to look after endangered animals Description of an animal Simple explanation about endangered animals Persuasive speech to save an endangered animal Simple poem based on The Tyger Discussion text about why animals are endangered	Logbook entry as April (multiple entries) Figurative description of the island Conversation between April and the bear Monologue in role as April Report about polar bears Newspaper article about April's mission
Purpose	Entertain reflet describe inform	Reflect Inform Persuade	Inform Persuade Describe Explain Entertain	Recount Reflect Describe Entertain Inform
Word	effect of verb / adjective choices in context idioms	-ty / -sion / -tion suffixes synonyms to avoid repetition vocabulary appropriate for formal speech	dis- / de- / mis- over- / reprefixes * figurative language vocabulary appropriate for formal speech	figurative language differences in formal / informal vocabulary emotive verbs / adjectives
Sentence	modal verbs * subordinating conjunctions order of clauses adverbial phrases * multi- clause sentences passive voice noun phrases expanded by preposition/adverb phrases conditional sentences	contrasting / explanatory conjunctions modal verbs * range of sentence types * multi-clause sentences order of clauses relative clauses / pronouns * subjunctive mood *	subjunctive form conditional sentences * multi-clause sentences order of clauses subordinating conjunctions difference between phrases / clauses preposition phrases expanded noun phrases * modal verbs * question tags	conjunctions to justify * modal verbs * question tags role of adverbials passive voice fronted adverbials *
Punctuation	use of colons brackets for stage directions use of semi-colons inverted commas for speech *	apostrophes for contractions * commas for clarity * bullet points to list information	commas to demarcate clauses * parenthesis punctuation *	commas to avoid ambiguity dialogue punctuation apostrophes for contraction * use of single dash bullet points to list information
Text	short sentences for effect change in tense to link between scenes conjunctions / adverbials for cohesion linking across paragraphs	repetition for effect (poetry) wider range of cohesive devices	short sentences for effect adverbial phrases for cohesion	repetition to link across paragraphs

	Spring Term						
Writing Root Unit	The Invention of Hugo Cabret Brian Selznick	Suffragette: The Battle for Equality David Roberts	The Three Little Pigs Project The Guardian	Boy in the Tower Polly Ho-Yen			
Outcomes	Diary entries Journalistic writing Flashback narratives Speeches Discussions Letters Film critiques	Formal letters Diary entries Balanced arguments Speeches Short news reports	News reports Persuasive speeches Narrative forms Interview scripts Diaries Debates	Warning posters Packing lists Journalistic writing Formal letters Non-chronological reports Narrative retellings			
Main Outcome	Biography	Persuasive campaign	Discussion	Narrative			

Audience/	Continuation of section of story	Letters to William Gladstone Speech as a	Short news report Further report from	Warning poster about plant invasion
Form	Journalistic report of a scene Diary entry in role as Hugo Flashback narrative of a scene Formal letter of persuasion to Papa Georges Balanced argument in response to a question Note from the automaton Biography of Georges Méliès' life	lawyer Diary entry as Christabel Pankhurst Letter from WSPU Balanced argument in response to a question Newspaper about Epsom Derby events Campaign to raise awareness	alternative perspective Defence case for the pigs Interview script for TV report Diary entry in role as one pig Debate in answer to range of questions Discussion text	Packing list with justifications News report about the Bluchers Formal letters from school to parents Wikipedia entry for a Blucher Story told from Gaia's perspective Own version apocalyptic story
Purpose	Entertain Inform Reflect Persuade Discuss	Persuade Reflect Discuss Inform	Inform Persuade Reflect Discuss	Persuade Inform Recount Entertain
Word	emotive language vocabulary of informal speech vocabulary of formal speech compound adjectives	vocabulary of formal writing	differences in vocabulary for formal / informal vocabulary language of bias	-ment / -ness / -tion suffixes -cious suffix abstract / common nouns * technical, formal vocabulary
Sentence	question tags relative pronouns / clauses * passive voice position of reporting clause adverbs of possibility * range of adverbial phrases * *	subjunctive mood subjunctive mood passive voice modal verbs * adverbial phrases	relative clauses * subordinating conjunctions multi-clause sentences passive voice	range of sentence types * modal verbs * conjunctions to justify * relative clauses * passive voice adverbials / reporting clauses
Punctuation	Apostrophes for possession / contraction * dialogue punctuation * hyphens to avoid ambiguity bullet points to list information	Bullet points to list information	dialogue punctuation * parenthesis punctuation * use of colons	parenthesis punctuation * dialogue punctuation * use of colons / semi-colons ellipsis
Text	bias in journalistic writing repetition / adverbials to link across paragraphs layout devices – subheadings present progressive tense * present perfect tense *	range of cohesive devices	layout conventions - playscripts	layout conventions – news report short sentences for effect range of past tense constructions – simple / perfect / progressive * repetition to link across paragraphs
		Summer Term		
Writing Root Unit	Grimm Tales for Young and Old Phillip Pullman	Rain Player David Wisniewski	The Unforgotten Coat Frank Cottrell Boyce Cottrell Boyce	A Beautiful Lie Irfan Master
Outcomes	Retelling from a particular viewpoint Analyses Dialogue Character development	Instructions Posters Missing scenes Diary entries Newspaper reports Debates	Diary entries Explanations Dialogue Non- chronological reports	Prologue Writing in role New chapter Journalistic writing Recounts Discussion text
Main Outcome	Traditional tale	Analytical essay	Narrative	New chapter
Audience/ Form	Impromptu fairy tale Analyses of traditional features Retelling from first person viewpoint Dialogue for a section of story Creation of characters Own version traditional tale	Instructions for Pok-ATok Recruitment poster Missing scene of dialogue Diary entry for Pik Newspaper report for Pok-A-Tok game Essay about legacy of the Maya	Imagined section of dialogue Diary entry as Chingis / Nergui Instructions for science experiment Non-chronological report about Mongolia Own version 'issues and dilemmas' narrative	Prologue to A Beautiful Lie 'A day in the life' recount for Bilal Passage from Bilal's perspective New chapter – 'putting off' story Discussion about fate News article about India New 'action' chapter
Purpose Word	Entertain Discuss genre specific language determiners / articles -ful suffix *	Instruct Persuade Reflect Recount able / -ible suffixes	Entertain Reflect Instruct Inform synonyms / antonyms metaphors	Entertain Recount Discuss Inform antonyms vocabulary of formal speech
Sentence	modal verbs * fronted adverbials * relative clauses * omitted pronouns	modal verbs * adverbial phrases * passive voice fronted adverbials * subordinating conjunctions	multi-clause sentences subordinating conjunctions passive voice adverbial phrases * range of sentence types *	fronted adverbials * abstract noun phrases multi-clause sentences
Punctuation	dialogue punctuation * commas for clarity	use of colons / semi-colons dialogue punctuation * apostrophes for contraction *	commas to avoid ambiguity dialogue punctuation * apostrophes for contraction * use of colons / semi-colon	dialogue punctuation *
Text	adverbials for cohesion	subheadings to organise perfect tense * pronouns / adverbials for cohesion	subheadings to organise * past perfect tense adverbials for cohesion progressive tense *	short sentences for effect cohesive devices – pronouns / tense / adverbials