Grateley Primary School

Long Term English Plan Year 5 and Year 6 2018 – 2019



	Autumn 1 (7 weeks) Eureka! - The Greek Legacy		Autumn 2 (8 weeks) Buzz	
Topic				
Main text	Narrative - Diary	Myths	Fiction story	Explanation
type				
Duration	4 weeks	3 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks
Application/	Entertain and recount	Entertain	Entertain	Inform and explain
Purpose				·
Audience	Year 6 at another school	Governors	Year 7 children	Parents
Key text	Wonder by RJ Palacio	Greek Mythology Books	Boy Overboard by Morris	Scientific books - non-
	·		Gleitzman	fiction
Other types	Story	Fables	Settings	Creative Writing
of writing	Poetry		Scripts / Drama	Poetry
covered	Character Analysis			
Other texts	Wonder 2 by RJ Palacio	Orchard Greek Myths	Girl Underground by	Oscar and the Bird by
to include	·	·	Morris Gelitzman	Geoff Waring
Class reader	Wonder by RJ Palacio		Boy Overboard by Morris Gleitzman	

	Spring 1 (6 weeks) Water, Water, Everywhere		Spring 2 (6 weeks) Innovation Station	
Topic Main text				
	Persuasive Writing	Information Text	Fiction	Balanced Argument
type				
Duration	3 weeks	3 weeks	3 weeks	3 weeks
Application/	Persuade	Inform	Entertain	Inform
Purpose				
Audience	Local community	Teachers	Author	Headteacher
Key text	Water Tower by Gary	Floodland by Marcus	Miss Peregrine's Home for	Victorians non-fiction
·	Crew	Sedgwick	Peculiar Children by	books
			Ransom Riggs	
Other types	Creative writing	Explanation	Characterisation	Balanced argument
of writing		Fiction	Description	examples
covered				
Other texts	The Stamp Collector by	The Secret Under my	Jane Eyre	Inventions by Marcia
to include	Jennifer Lanthier	Skin by Janet		Williams
		McNaughton		
Class reader	Water Tower by Gary Crew		Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children by Ransom	
		Rigg		ggs

	Summer 1 (5 weeks)	Summer 2 (7 weeks)		
Topic	Learning from our past	Courage to Soar - Taking fl	Courage to Soar - Taking flight	
Main text	Non-chronological report	Play-script	Creative Writing	
type	Letter - formal			
Duration	5 weeks	4 weeks	3 weeks	
Application/	Report	Entertain - Drama	Entertain	
Purpose	Inform			
Audience	Main character	Parents	Children	
Key text	The Man Who Walked between the Towers	Performance - Rehearsal	The Bubble Boy	
Other types	Description - picture / art	Story	Poetry	
of writing		Setting description	·	
covered				
Other texts	Oranges in No-Man's Land	The Eddie Dickens Trilogy	Fruit and Nutcase by Jean	
to include			Ure	
Class reader	The Man Who Walked between the Towers	The Bubble Boy		