

Long term English plan  
Year 1 and 2  
2017 - 2018

	<b>Autumn 1</b>		<b>Autumn 2</b>	
<b>Topic</b>	Fire, Fire!		The Jolly Postman	
<b>Main text type</b>	Narrative	Poetry (description and rhyming)	Information texts	Explanations
<b>Duration</b>	3 weeks	3 weeks	3 weeks	3 weeks
<b>Application/ Purpose</b>	To entertain by narrating a silent film	To entertain with poems of dragons	To inform about the 'alternative' village the post man delivers to	To explain how to stay safe on the roads
<b>Audience</b>	Others in the class	Parents	Other Postmen and women in Fairytale Land	Other children in the school
<b>Key text</b>	The Dragon Machine by Helen Ward	Puff Magic Dragon by Peter Yarrow and Lenny Lipton	The Jolly Postman	How to be a Superhero by Rachel Yu
<b>Other types of writing covered</b>	Diary entries (recount) Information captions Instructions	Riddles Letters Descriptive captions	Letters Instructions	Narratives Instructions
<b>Other texts to include</b>	Sleeping Dragon (short film)	Missing: Daisy! by James Carter	Little Red by David Roberts Big Bad Pig Helen Oxenbury Prince Cinders by Babbette Cole	Until I Met Dudley by Roger McGough
<b>Class reader</b>	Winnie the Witch picture books leading to Mini Winnie by Korki Paul and Valerie Thomas		Picture books by Allan and Janet Ahlberg leading to It Was A Dark and Stormy Night	

	<b>Spring 1</b>		<b>Spring 2</b>	
<b>Topic</b>	Frozen!		Real Life Superheroes	
<b>Main text type</b>	Letters	Narrative	Information texts	Persuasion
<b>Duration</b>	3 weeks	3 weeks	3 weeks	3 weeks
<b>Application/ Purpose</b>	To communicate and inform in role	To entertain with winter stories	To inform about the lives of heroes	To persuade people which is the best hero
<b>Audience</b>	Explorers	Parents	Library users	Year 3 and 4
<b>Key text</b>	Poles Apart by Celia Warren & Mike Terry	Rainbow Bear by Michael Morpurgo	My Mum Has X-Ray Vision...	The Great Kapok Tree by Lynne Cherry
<b>Other types of writing covered</b>	Recounts Newspaper reports Timelines	Poetry Descriptive writing Persuasion	Reports - newspapers Diaries	Information captions Debates Adverts
<b>Other texts to include</b>	Ice Trap by Hooper & Robertson	Winter's Child by Angela McAllister	Information texts on our heroes: Neil Armstrong Usain Bolt Florence Nightingale Lanoe Hawker	Have I Got A Book For You! By Melanie Watt
<b>Class reader</b>	Dinosaurs Before Dark by Mary Pope Osborne		Ralph is (not) a Superhero by Corrine Davis	

	<b>Summer 1</b>		<b>Summer 2</b>	
<b>Topic</b>	Grow Your Own		The Great Outdoors	
<b>Main text type</b>	Instructions	Narrative	Recount	Narrative
<b>Duration</b>	2 weeks	4 weeks	3 weeks	3 weeks
<b>Application/ Purpose</b>	To instruct others how to care for a plant	To entertain with stories set in a hot country	To recount our trip to Hillier's Gardens	To entertain with another saga for the Lighthouse Keeper
<b>Audience</b>	Garden Centre visitors	Parents	Mrs Dance	Writing for our next teacher
<b>Key text</b>	How to Wash A Woolly Mammoth by Michelle Robinson & Kate Hindley	Beautiful Bananas by Elizabeth Laird & Liz Pichon	Voices in the Park by Anthony Browne	Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch by Ronda Armitage
<b>Other types of writing covered</b>	Explanations	Poetry - similes and alliteration	Letters Information captions Description	Setting descriptions Instructions
<b>Other texts to include</b>	Eddie's Garden A Seed in Need	Christina Rosetti poems Handa's Surprise by Eileen Brown Pretty Salma by Niki Daly	Farmer Duck  Extracts from the Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark	Lighthouse Keeper's...  Rescue Picnic Catastrophe
<b>Class reader</b>	Charlotte's Web by E B White		That Rabbit Belongs to Me by Cressida Cowell	