

Long term English plan  
Year 5 and Year 6  
2017 - 2018

	<b>Autumn 1</b>		<b>Autumn 2</b>	
<b>Topic</b>	Americas in Colour: North America		America in Colour: South America	
<b>Main text type</b>	Story	Brochure	Newspaper	Book Review
<b>Duration</b>	3 weeks	3 weeks	3/4 weeks	3/4 weeks
<b>Application/ Purpose</b>	Story - character, plot and setting	Inform and persuade	Persuade	Review
<b>Audience</b>	Parents	Holiday makers	Parents	Year 7 Children
<b>Key text</b>	Indian in the Cupboard	North America Information Texts	Holes	The Firework Makers Daughter
<b>Other types of writing covered</b>	Description	Information texts Persuasive writing Adverts	Description Character profile Timelines - linked to Native Americans	Description Character profile Timelines
<b>Other texts to include</b>	Legends, myths and folktales	Magazines Newspapers Adverts	Letters - Persuasion	Adventure Book review examples
<b>Class reader</b>	Cosmic by Frank Cottrell Boyce		Skellig by David Almond	

	Spring 1	Spring 2	
<b>Topic</b>	The Polar Regions	Europe	
<b>Main text type</b>	Creative Writing	Discussion	Narrative
<b>Duration</b>	5 weeks	3 weeks	3 weeks
<b>Application/Purpose</b>	Entertain and describe	Review and Inform	Entertain
<b>Audience</b>	Parents	Year 7 children	Teachers
<b>Key text</b>	Stormbreaker by Anthony Horowitz	Goodnight Mr Tom	Paperman by Gallagher Lawson
<b>Other types of writing covered</b>	Descriptive writing Story - fiction	Playscript Letter	Poetry - figurative language
<b>Other texts to include</b>	Alex Rider by Anthony Horowitz	The Magic Faraway Tree by Enid Blyton	
<b>Class reader</b>	Street Child by Berlie Doherty	The Garbage King by Elizabeth Laird	