



English Curriculum Overview 2023 - 2024

	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
Reception	Ourselves	Celebrations!	People Who Help Us	Animal Magic!	Pirates/Around the World	Growing
	See separate Reception Long term plan					
Year 1	Travel and Transport Information texts Fantasy stories	Our Local Area Senses poetry Recounts Familiar stories	Homes Traditional tales Stories with familiar settings	We are the UK Information texts Letters Instructions	Toys Rhyme/pattern poetry Fantasy stories	Wonderful World Recount Stories from another culture Poems on a theme
Year 2	Journeys Around the UK Stories with familiar settings Letters/Postcards Fact files	Fire Fire! Diaries Non- chronological reports Shape poetry Instructions	Nurses Information texts Descriptive writing Letters	Sensational Safari Adventure stories Stories from different cultures Letters Poetry	Memory Box Fantasy stories Diaries Instructions	Seaside Stories from the same author Instructions Poetry
Year 3	Narrative, letters, debate, role-play, diaries, instructions, poetry and non-chronological reports. Pebble in Your Pocket, Stone Age Boy and How to Wash A Woolly Mammoth.		Narrative, Persuasive letters, poetry, and non- chronological reports. The Great Kapok Tree		Playscripts, letters, narrative, diary writing and non-chronological reports. The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane The Boy Who Biked the World.	
Year 4	Letters, narrative, myths, non-chronological reports, diaries, debate Escape from Pompeii The King who Banned the Dark		Narrative, character description, letters, non- chronological reports, role-play The Story of Tutankhamun The Firework Maker's Daughter		Instructions, poetry, letters, newspapers, character descriptions, instructions, non- chronological reports. Egyptian Cinderella The Night Flower I am The Seed That Grew the Tree	
Year 5	Writing links to our history topic of Victorians. Middle/lower – Tom's Midnight Garden. Top – Street Child. Looking at a range of text types including; information texts, discussion texts and narrative writing. Grammar, punctuation and spelling.		Links to Science and Geography topic for non- fiction text. A range of text types, grammar punctuation and spelling.		Greek myths, Aztec stories, Ancient World non- chronological reports and story writing. Grammar, punctuation and spelling, speaking and listening.	
Year 6	Narrative, letter writing, non-chronological reports Wonder Shackletons Journey Grandpa's Great Escape Goodnight Mr Tom A Christmas Carol		Narrative, playscripts, persuasive texts, diary writing Huckleberry Finn The Railway Children		Narrative, poetry, non-chronological reports Rudyard Kipling Just So Stories Kaspar: Prince of Caps The Arrival, graphic novel	