

Writing Curriculum Text Overview

Year Group	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Reception	Fiction Texts:	Fiction Texts:	Fiction Texts:	Fiction Texts:	Fiction Texts:	Fiction Texts:
	Bringing the Rain to	Naughty Bus, The	Look Up, Astro	The Tiny Seed, The	The Queens Hat, So	Little Red, The
	Kapiti Plain, Super	Night Pirates	Girl, How The Stars	Enormous Turnip,	Much!	Magic Paintbrush
	Milly and The Super		Came to be	The Extraordinary		
	School Day			Gardener	Non-Fiction	Poetry:
			Non-Fiction		Texts: Kings and	Nonsense Poetry
			Texts:	Non-Fiction	Queens	
			Space	Texts:		
				Farming & Food		
Year 1	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Non-Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:
	Man on The Moon	The Dark	One day on our	Wild	The See Saw	The Story Tree
			blue planet			
	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:		Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Poetry:
	Beegu	The Snail and The		Where The Wild	Lost and Found	Poems to perform
		Whale		Things Are		
Year 2	Non-Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:
	A Walk in London	The Jolly Postman	We are Water	How to Find Gold	The Bear and The	Zeraffa Giraffa
		-	Protectors		Piano	
	Fiction Text:			Poetry:		Fiction Text:
	Rosie Revere –			The Puffin Book of	Poetry:	The Storm Whale
	Engineer			First Poems	Riddles	
Year 3	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Non-Fiction Text:	Non-Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:
	Leon and The	Ug, Boy Genius of	The Lost Happy	The Story of	The Pebble in my	Flotsam
	Place Between	the Stone Age	Endings	Tutankhamun	Pocket	



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		Fiction Text:		Fiction Text:		Poetry: A Nest Full of Stars
		The Tin Forest		The Last Garde		
Year 4	Fiction Text: Tar Beach	Fiction Text: FArTHER	Fiction Text: Cinnamon	Fiction Text: The Lion and The Unicorn	Fiction Text: The Baker By The Sea	Fiction Text: The Miraculous Journey of Edward
	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:			Tulane
	Varmints	The Iron Man	Frindleswylde	Non-Fiction Text: Zoo	Non-Fiction Text: Shackleton's	
		Poetry:			Journey	
		The Puffin Book of		Poetry:		
		Utterly Brilliant		I am the seed that		
		Poetry		grew the tree		
Year 5	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Poetry:	Film Unit	Fiction Text:
	The Adventures of Odysseus	Floodland	Robot Girl	The Highway Man	Dream Giver	The Sleeper and The Spindle
			Fiction Text:	Poetry:		
			The Man who walked between the towers	The Jabberwocky	Fiction Text: Macbeth	Fiction Text: Firebird
Year 6	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Non-Fiction Text:	Fiction Text:	Film Unit
	The Arrival	Suffragette: The Battle for Equality	Night Mail	Can we save the tiger?	The Princess Blankets	Alma
	Fiction Text:		Fiction Text:			
	Windrush Child	Fiction Text:	Romeo and Juliet	Fiction Text:		Fiction Text:
		Stonewall		The Hidden Forest		Grimm Tales

Year 7 Expectations

Writing

Pupils should be taught to write accurately, fluently, effectively and at length for pleasure and information through: writing for a wide range of purposes and audiences, including:

• well-structured formal expository and narrative essays

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- stories, scripts, poetry and other imaginative writing
- notes and polished scripts for talks and presentations
- a range of other narrative and non-narrative texts, including arguments, and personal and formal letters
- * summarising and organising material, and supporting ideas and arguments with any necessary factual detail
- *Applying their growing knowledge of vocabulary, grammar and text structure to their writing and selecting the appropriate form
- *Drawing on knowledge of literary and rhetorical devices from their reading and listening to enhance the impact of their writing

Plan, draft, edit and proof-read through:

- *Considering how their writing reflects the audiences and purposes for which it was intended
- * amending the vocabulary, grammar and structure of their writing to improve its coherence and overall effectiveness
- * paying attention to accurate grammar, punctuation and spelling; applying the spelling patterns and rules set out in English Appendix 1 to the key stage 1 and 2 programmes of study for English.

Grammar and Vocabulary

Pupils should be taught to:

- *Consolidate and build on their knowledge of grammar and vocabulary through:
- *Extending and applying the grammatical knowledge set out in English Appendix 2 to the key stage 1 and 2 programmes of study to analyse more challenging texts
- * Studying the effectiveness and impact of the grammatical features of the texts they read
- * Drawing on new vocabulary and grammatical constructions from their reading and listening, and using these consciously in their writing and speech to achieve effects
- * Knowing and understanding the differences between spoken and written language, including differences associated with formal and informal registers, and between Standard English and other varieties of English
- * Using Standard English confidently in their own writing and speech

Spoken English

Pupils should be taught to speak confidently and effectively, including through:

- * using Standard English confidently in a range of formal and informal contexts, including classroom discussion
- * giving short speeches and presentations, expressing their own ideas and keeping to the point
- * Participating in formal debates and structured discussions, summarising and/or building on what has been said
- * Improvising, rehearsing and performing play scripts and poetry in order to generate language and discuss language use and meaning, using role, intonation, tone, volume, mood, silence, stillness and action to add impact.