

KS2 English Long Term Plan



Cycle B		Autumn 1 (7 weeks)	Autumn 2 (6 weeks)	Spring 1 (6+ weeks)	Spring 2 (6 weeks)	Summer 1 (6 weeks)	Summer 2 (4+ weeks)
Year 3/4							
Topic		The UK	The Egyptians	The Romans	Environment	WW1	Coast
English	Writing Text Driver	The BFG by Roald Dahl	The Story of Tutankhamun by Patricia Cleveland-Peck	Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit	The Tin Forest by Helen Ward	FARThER by Grahame Baker Smith	The Iron Man by Ted Hughes
Main outcome/ Genre		Fantasy Narrative	Biography	Newspaper Report	Persuasive Information Leaflet	Narrative	Diary
English	Reading Text	The BFG by Roald Dahl, I am the Seed that Grew the Tree by Fiona Waters	The Firework Maker's Daughter by Philip Pullman (Also look at the playscript)	The Humans: Ancient Civilisations by Jonny Marx	The Lost Spells by Robert MacFarlane (poetry)	The Story of Flight by Jakob Whitfields or Sky gazing (if still out of print)	How does a lighthouse work? By Roman Belyaev
Genre		Narrative, Poetry	Narrative, Playscript	Information Text	Poetry	Information Text	Information Text
Year 5/6							
Topic		Living Planet	The Shang Dynasty	North America	The Tudors	Volcanoes & Earthquakes	Mary Anning
English	Writing Text Driver	Curiosity: The Story of a Mars Rover by Markus Notum	The Unforgotten Coat by Frank Cottrell Boyce	The Man Who Walked Between the Towers by Modicai Gerstein	The Princess' Blankets by Carol Ann Duffy	The Three Little Pigs By The Guardian	The Lost Thing By Shaun Tan Own version fantasy narrative
Main outcome/ Genre		Expanded explanation	Issues and dilemmas narrative	Autobiography	Own version fairytale	Discussion text	Own version fantasy narrative
English	Writing Text Driver		The Promise by Nicola Davies	Freedom Bird by Jerdine Nolan	The Tempest by William Shakespeare	Eight Days by Edwidge Danticat	
Main outcome/ Genre			Sequel to cyclical story	Biography	Play script	Newspaper report	
English	Reading Text	Cosmic by Frank Cottrell Boyce	Day of the Dragon King by Mary Pope Osbourne	Poetry for Young People by Langston Hughes	My Friend Walter by Michael Morpurgo	Vacation Under a Volcano by Mary Pope Osbourne	Beetle Boy by MG Leonard
Skill		Inference	Retrieval	Vocabulary	Retrieval	Retrieval	Inference
English	Reading Text		Land of the Emperor's Great Wall by Mary Pope Osbourne	The Tiger Rising by Kate DiCamillo		Ancient Rome and Pompeii by Mary Pope Osbourne	Darwin's Voyage of Discovery by Jake Williams
Skill			Explanation	Prediction		Expalnation	Retrieval

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Year 3/4							
Cycle A		Autumn 1 (7 weeks)	Autumn 2 (6 weeks)	Spring 1 (6 weeks)	Spring 2 (6 weeks)	Summer 1 (6 weeks)	Summer 2 (4+ weeks)
Topic		The Indus Valley	Africa, Amazing Africa	Anglo Saxons	Vikings	Poles Apart	Local Geography
English	Writing Text Driver	Cinnamon by Neil Gaiman	The Legend of Sally Jones by Jakob Wegelius (Cinderella of the Nile if still out of print)	Until I met Dudley by Roger McGough and Chris Riddell	Odd and the Frost Giants by Neil Gaiman	Shackleton's Journey by William Gill	The Day I Swapped my Dad for Two Goldfish by Neil Gaiman
Main outcome/Genre		Narrative	Narrative	Explanation Text	Narrative Retelling	Newspaper Report	Diary
English	Reading Text	Tamarind and the Star of Ishta by Jasbinder Bilan	Africa, Amazing Africa by Atinuke	The Wild Robot by Peter Brown	Viking Voyagers by Jack Tite, (Arthur and the Golden Rope by Joe Todd Stanton)	The Polar Bear Explorer's Club by Alex Ball	Old Possum's Book of Practical Cats by T.S. Elliot
Genre		Narrative	Information Text	Narrative	Information Text	Narrative	Poetry
Year 5/6							
Topic		Ancient Greece	Rivers	WWII	WWII	Europe	The Space Race
English	Writing Text Driver	The Odyssey by Gillian Cross	River Boy by Tom Bowler	The Evacuees by Carolyn Sloane	Otto by Tomi Ongerer	Firebird by Saviour Pirotta	Hidden Figures by Margot Lee Shetterly
Main outcome/Genre		Epic Adventure Story	Diary	Playscript	Own version historical narrative	Fairytale narrative	Memoir of Dorothy Vaughan
English	Writing Text Driver	Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan	Floodland by Marcus Sedwick	Anne Frank by Josephine Poole	Big Tom by Jean Uresd	Beowulf by Michael Morpurgo	
Main outcome/Genre		Own version mythical narrative	Poetry	Newspaper Report	Sequel	Own version legend or missing chapter	
English	Reading Text	Mythologia by Steve Kershaw	The River Book by Brian Knapp	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis	After the War by Tom Palmer	The Invention of Hugo Cabret by Brian Selznick	Hidden Figures by Margot Lee Shetterly
Focus Skill		Retrieval	Summarise	Vocabulary	Inference	Inference	Retrieval
English	Reading Text	Who Let the Gods out? By Maz Evans	The Raging River by Anita Generi	When Hitler Stole Pink Rabbit by Judith Kerr	Poems from the Second World War by Gaby Morgan		
Focus Skill		Inference	Explanation	Inference	Summarising		