Reception English Curriculum

Reception						
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	
Outside Inside	Knowing Yourself	Talents and powers	Sowing a seed	Celebrating self	Family and friends	
Where The Wild	Look up!	The Magic	The Tiny Seed	So Much	Hairy Maclary from	
Things Are	·	Paintbrush	-		Donaldson's Dairy	
WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE STORY AND PICTURES BY MAURICE SENDAK	LOOK UPI	Magic Paintbrush Jan Bundann Jol Stant	The Cooper	O MUCH TRUST TOURT	Hairy Maclary From Danishary Dairy From Danishary Dairy	
Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Own version 'wild	Non-chronological	Own versions	Advice leaflets	Own 'So Much'	Alternative version	
thing' narratives	reports	'overcoming' tales		narrative poems	narratives	
Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	
Labels, captions, oral re-	Dialogue, diaries, re-	Thought bubbles, labels,	Labels and captions,	Past tense sentences,	Character description,	
telling, developing a new character	telling (oral dictation), mini- autobiography,	oral re-telling, writing in role, thank you letters	advice, retellings, writing in role, narrative, letter	writing in role, performance/ narrative	writing in role, letters, leaflets	
Gilaracter	ship's log	Tole, thank you letters	iii iole, narrative, letter	performance/ narrative	leallets	
Bringing the Rain to	Halibut Jackson	Super Milly and the	The Extraordinary	The Night Pirates	Oi Frog!	
Kapiti Plain BRINGING THE RAIN TO KAPITI PLAIN FOR A PRINCIPAL P	HALIBUT JACKSON	Super School Day	Gardener EXTRAORDINARY GARDENER Jan Boughton	NIGHT PIRATES	OI FROGI	
Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Tourist information	Narrative sequels	Alternative character	Narrative inspired by	'How to be a pirate'	Own version rhyming	
leaflets		version	the original text	guides	narratives	
Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	
Labels and captions,	Signs and labels,	Letters of encouragement;	Labels, letters of advice,	Writing in role, letters,	Rhyming flipbooks,	
retellings, simple	captions, invitations, thought bubbles,	a retelling; song lyrics and	instructions, narratives	labels and captions	questions, captions and labels	
explanations	advertisements, letters	job applications			lapeis	
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Year 1 English Curriculum

Year 1						
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	
Journeys and	Heroes and villains	Similarities and	Nature and	Friendship and	Imagination and	
exploration		differences	environment	kindness	creativity	
Naughty Bus	I Want My Hat Back	Beegu	Stanley's Stick	Lubna and Pebble	Iggy Peck, Architect	
Naughty	WANT MY HAT BACK ON KASIEN	Alexis Deacon BEEGU	John Hegley STANLEY STICK Neal Layres	LUBNA PEBBLE	IGGY PECKA ARCHITECT	
Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Own adventure	Story sequels	Own versions 'alien'	Own version	Own version gifting	Fact files	
stories	,	narratives	narratives	narratives		
Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	
Letters, diaries, sequels,	Questions, speech bubbles, letters, lists	Descriptions, commands, letters, nonsense-word	Retellings, descriptions, speech bubble, thought	Labels, thank you notes, speech bubbles, advice	Labels, character comparisons, character	
non-chronological reports	bubbles, letters, lists	dictionary, poems, non-	bubble, postcard	postcards, instructions	descriptions, building	
		fiction reports	babbio, pootoara	pootodi de, mondoneme	descriptions, posters	
Astro Girl	Billy and the Beast	Leo and the	Dinosaurs and all	Yeti and the Bird	The Magic Bed	
ASTRO GIRL	BILLY BEAST	Octopus OCTOPUS OCTOPUS OCTOPUS OCTOPUS OCTOPUS OCTOPUS	that Rubbish DINOSAURS and all that robbin. Michael Ferrenza	YETI AND BIRD	The Magic Bed	
Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Fact files about being	Own version 'defeat a	Fact file	Pamphlets	Own version narrative	Own adventure	
astronauts	monster' narratives			- unlikely friendships	stories	
Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	
Writing in role,	Wanted posters,	This is Me! posters, letters	Letters, setting	List of rules, letters,	Setting descriptions,	
commands, 'how to' guides	summaries, emails, character descriptions,	of advice, factual descriptions, logbooks,	descriptions, instructions, narrative retellings,	postcards, character descriptions	additional scenes, description of magical	
guides	recipes	scripts	pamphlets, posters	descriptions	piece of furniture, lists	
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Year 2 English Curriculum

Year 2						
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	
Creation and	A twist in the tale	Bravery vs. fear	Change and	Fictional worlds and	Urban metropolis	
conservation			relationships	fantasy	·	
The Journey Home	The Goldilocks Project	The Bear Under the Stairs THE BEAR UNDER THE STAIRS Helen Cooper	Lizzy and the Cloud	The Dragon Machine Dragon Machine	Rosie Revere, Engineer ROSIE REVERE, ENGINEER	
Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Persuasive letters	Sequel stories	Information texts	Guidebook for how to	Own version dragon	Explanation text	
	-		care for a cloud	stories	-	
Writing Opportunities: Posters, lists, postcards, wanted posters, information reports, short stories	Writing Opportunities: Wanted posters, letters, retellings from another point of view, lists of rules, character descriptions	Writing Opportunities: Letters, retellings, own version narratives	Writing Opportunities: Descriptions, adverts / market stall pitches, letters of advice, postcard in role	Writing Opportunities: Dragon guides & encyclopedia, letters of advice, explanations, lists, descriptions, letters	Writing Opportunities: Short explanations, adverts, advice letters, character description, invention descriptions	
Dear Earth	Wolves	The Bear and the	Last Stop on Market	Toys in Space	The Great Fire of	
Dear Earth	WOLVES Const	Piano The Dear Piano Piano Piano Piano	Street O LAST STOP ON MARKET STREET OUT OF THE PROPERTY OF T	A Oys in Space	London GRAT FIRE LONDON	
Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Informative Leaflet	Non-chronological	Own version	Own version	Own version fantasy	Information booklets	
	leaflets	narratives - bravery	narratives	narrative		
Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	
Future aspirations,	Captions, information	Letters of advice, short	Poetry, simple character	Found posters, diary,	Persuasive poster,	
instructions, poems, travel blogs/ vlogs, persuasive	writing, character descriptions and	news reports, writing in role, retellings, information	descriptions, interview questions, adverts, advice	speech bubbles, notes, space logs, invitations,	warning posters (instructional), speech	
speeches, letters	comparisons	posters	slips, letters	fantasy setting description	bubbles, letters, certificate	

Year 3 English Curriculum

Year 3						
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	
Magic and wonder	Dreams and curiosity	Hope and healing	Inspiration and	Confidence and	From mystery to	
			strength	caution	discovery	
Leon and the Place	The Barnabus	The Last Garden	Cloud Tea Monkeys	The Wilderness	The Thames and	
Between	Project				Tide Club	
LEON BETWEEN	INAPAGUE PROJUCCE	The Last Garden	CLOUD TER MONKEYS PLAN WINNEGARD	WILDERNESS	THAMES TIPE CLUB	
Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Own version fantasy	Brochures	Own version narrative	Non-chronological	A guide to enjoying	Own version fantasy	
narratives			reports	the wilderness	narrative	
Writing Opportunities: Persuasive posters, setting descriptions, thought bubbles/ diaries, dialogue	Writing Opportunities: Instructional writing, descriptions, advertisements, letters of advice, dialogue	Writing Opportunities: Setting descriptions, poster / advert, retelling, instructional flyer, social media updates, dialogue	Writing Opportunities: Descriptions, 'how to' guides (instructions), letters, discussions	Writing Opportunities: Character introductions, letters, descriptive poem, SOS message, identification label	Writing Opportunities: Persuasive letters and letters of advice, diary entries, weather reports, advertisements, dialogue	
The First Drawing	The Tear Thief	Escape from	Cinderella of the	Our Tower	Flotsam	
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Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Own historical	Newspaper articles	Newspaper reports	Own version	Extended fantasy	Sequels (mystery	
narratives	Muiting Ones and will a	Muitin - On a set on it	narratives	narratives	narratives)	
Writing Opportunities: Character descriptions,	Writing Opportunities: Shared poems, diary	Writing Opportunities: Shared poems, diary	Writing Opportunities: Descriptive passages,	Writing Opportunities: Poems, setting	Writing Opportunities: Postcards, setting	
diaries, recounts	entries, persuasive	entries, persuasive	how to guides, letters,	descriptions, diary entries,	descriptions, non-	
	posters, letters of	posters, letters of	discussions, non-	dialogue, letters of thanks	chronological reports,	
	explanation, discussions	explanation, discussions	chronological reports	_	message in a bottle letters	

Year 4 English Curriculum

Year 4						
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	
Finding Freedom	Invention and	Darkness and light	Taking courage	Unearthing	A window to the world	
	innovation			civilisations		
Tar Beach	Until I Met Dudley	The Selfish Giant	The Baker by the	Weslandia	Granny Came Here	
TAR BRACH	Until I Met	THE SELFISH GIANT	Sea BAKER BAKER	Weslandia PAUL PRESIDENTAL BOSTIANTE SE REVIN HANKES	on the Empire Windrush	
Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Narrative retelling as	Two explanation texts	Own version	Tourist brochures	Non-chronological	Factual reports	
a play script		narratives		reports		
Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	
Poetry, setting	Letters, short explanatory	Letters, first person	Job applications,	Retellings, character	Informal letters,	
descriptions, formal letters, dialogue (as a	paragraphs	recounts, diaries, letters, posters, reports	advertisements, setting descriptions, letters in role	descriptions, book reviews	statements, aspirations, postcards, diary, a	
script		postoro, roporto	decemplione, lettere in rele		speech, quotations	
Varmints	The Iron Man	The Crown	Shackleton's	The Story of	Jabberwocky	
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Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Explanations of a life	Mystery narratives	Information text for a	Newspaper Report	Tutankhamun	Nonsense poems	
cycle		'Book of Wonders'		biographies		
Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	
Diary entries, instructions, letters, descriptions,	Character descriptions, news bulletins, letters of	Descriptive labels, diary entry in role, descriptive	Packing lists (justifications), letters,	Reports, instructions, character descriptions,	Performance poetry, explanatory descriptions	
speeches	advice, diary entries,	poems, 'good news'	setting descriptions,	diaries, newspaper,	explanatory descriptions	
эрссонсэ	menus, logbook entries	poems, good news	interviews, diaries, dialogue	posters		

Year 5 English Curriculum

Year 5						
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	
Ambition and desire	Belonging and equality	Power vs. principles	Legends and folklore	Lessons from history	Mystery and truth	
Robot Girl	The Lizzie and Belle	The Tempest	The Whale	Children of the	High Rise Mystery	
Maloric BLACKMAN (Colomy Lauren 2013)	Mysteries Cizzle Belle MYSTERIES CONTROL MYSTERIES	THE TEMPEST	the whale	Benin Kingdom	HIGH RISE MYSTERY	
Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Science-fiction narratives	Biographies	Playscripts	Film pitches	Non-chronological reports	Extended stories	
Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	
Discussions, debates, dialogue, character	Posters, diary entries, notes, letters, character	Setting descriptions, character descriptions,	Reported speeches, speech/thought bubbles,	Informal letters, diaries, survival guides,	Character & setting descriptions, reports,	
comparisons, reviews	descriptions, fact files,	diaries, dialogue	descriptions, recounts,	eyewitness reports, story	dialogue, persuasive	
•	persuasive speeches	_	letters to an editor	summaries	letters	
Hidden Figures	Freedom Bird	The Odyssey	Beowulf	Anne Frank	Curiosity	
FIGURES The law flower law and a second and	Freedom Bird Bird Birding Notes Sama E Ramone	THE ODYSSEY	MICHAEL MORPURGO BEONULF	anne Frank	CURIOSITY The Story of a Mars Rover	
Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Memoirs	Biographies	Epic stories	Own version legends	Newspaper articles	Expanded explanations	
Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	
Reports, formal and informal letters, diaries,	Poems, explanations, dialogue, postcards,	Speeches (proclamation, persuasive, soliloquy),	Letters of advice, diaries, dialogue, character and	Letters, short descriptions, extended diary entries,	NASA Proposals, information labels, short	
character descriptions,	letters of advice,	dialogue, missing scenes,	setting descriptions,	obituaries, opinion pieces	explanations, NASA logs,	
journalistic writing	descriptions, recounts	postcards, adverts	action scenes, obituaries		news reports	

Year 6 English Curriculum

Year 6						
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:	
Migration and	Migration and	Evolution and	Power vs. Principles	Travel and trust	Crossing borders	
movement	movement	inheritance	·		<u> </u>	
The Arrival	Windrush Child	The Last Bear	Cogheart	Eye of the Wolf	The Unforgotten	
ARRIVAL SHAUN TAN	BENJAMIN ZEPHANIAH WINDRUSH CHILD	THE LAST BEAR MANINAL GOLD	COCHEART	EYE of the WOLF ENTERTRINGS Spinishers and aris	Coat THE UN- FORGOTTER COAT FIRANK COTTER BOYCE FORGER AND THE COAT FORGER AND THE CO	
Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	Main outcome: Narrative –	Main outcome:	Main outcome:	
Extended own	Persuasive pitch to	Newspaper article		Non-chronological	Own version	
version narratives	the local council		action/adventure	report	narratives	
Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	Writing Opportunities:	
Letters, lists of rules,	Thought bubble, informal	Character profile,	Diary entry, newspaper	Narrative, persuasive	Diaries, explanations (sci	
character descriptions,	letter, poem, diary entry,	dialogue, monologue,	report, journalistic writing,	letter, poetry, diary entry	experiment), dialogue,	
diaries, short playscripts,	advice, informal letter	logbook entry, scientific	letter writing		nonchronological reports	
short reports, guides	ssical poetry	report Pootry 5	 	Doofm	Sannata	
		Poetry – Free verse Various Poets		Poetry – Sonnets William Shakespeare		
William Blake The Tyger		THE WORKS To be the second of		TOTAL CONTROL		
	portunities:	Writing opportunities:		Writing opportunities:		
Figurative language	Figurative language, rhyming patterns		Momentum from repetition, imagery, impact		Sonnets, rhyming couplets, similes, metaphors,	
	performance					