

## ST CHARLES' CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

## ENGLISH MEDIUM TERM PLANNING



	AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
EYFS		PHONICS	
NURSERY	To listen to and discriminate between the sounds I hear in the environment. (aspect 1) To listen to and discriminate between different instrumental sounds. (aspect 2) To explore the sounds I can create with my own body. (aspect 3) To develop my awareness of rhyming words. (aspect 4) To develop my awareness of alliteration and initial sounds. (aspect 5) To copy different voice sounds. (aspect 6)	To talk about and describe the sounds I hear in the environment. (aspect 1) To talk about and describe different instrumental sounds. (aspect 2) To describe the sounds I can make with my body and make connections between those and other sounds I am familiar with. (aspect 3) To identify words that rhyme. (aspect 4) To identify words that begin with the same initial sound. (aspect 5) To recreate a variety of different voice sounds, including some letter sounds. To develop my awareness of oral blending and segmenting VC and CVC words. (aspect 7) To engage in purposeful mark making, giving meaning to the marks I make.	To practise and consolidate aspects 1-6. To consolidate aspect 7: oral blending and segmenting, using Fred talk. To begin to read and write set 1 letters sounds on the RWI programme. To clap syllables in words.
		To use a range of one-handed tools competently, safely and confidently.	
		WORD READING	
	To look at books independently, handling them correctly and carefully. To turn pages in a book, one at a time. To recognise some familiar logos. To read own name with visual support.	To understand that print carries meaning. To identify the front and back cover of a book. To recognise some print in the environment. To read own name without visual support.	To understand print is read from top to bottom and left to right and has different purposes. To identify the spine, title and blurb on a book, showing some awareness of page number. To say and recognise some letter sounds from my own name. To read own name in different contexts and begin to recognise some letters from their own name in other text.

awareness, focusing on	Begin to anticipate - where appropriate - some	Begin to comment on perceived links with own
Rhythm & rhyme; alliteration (initial sounds); oral	key events in stories predict / prediction Re-read	life experience or other experiences, e.g. films,
blending and segmenting blending, segmenting	books to build up their confidence in word	books
Read individual letters by saying the sounds for	reading, their fluency and their understanding and	Say the sound for each letter of the alphabet and
them	enjoyment	for at least 10 digraphs
Secure Set 1 Sounds	Continue to develop Set 1 phonological	Secure Set 1& 2 (including digraphs and trigraphs)
Blend sounds into words, so that they can read	awareness, focusing on	Read words consistent with their phonic
short words made up of known GPCs	Oral blending and segmenting	knowledge by sound-blending
Set 1 VC words CVC words	Say the sound for:	Read aloud simple sentences and books that are
Begin to read a few common exception words	For each letter of the alphabet	consistent with their phonics knowledge,
matched to the school's phonic programme	Double letters and consonant digraphs (Set	including some common exception words
Begin to read simple phrases / sentences	1 Special Friends)	
Apply Set 1 GPC	Begin to read words consistent with their phonic	
Read Photocopiable ditties* during RWI and	knowledge	
linked storybooks (Sound Blending Books) at	Mid Introduce Set 2 CVC words	
home.	Read some common exception words matched to	
	the school's phonic programme and read simple	
	phrases / sentences	
	Apply Set 1 and Some Set 2 sounds, including	
	Wordtime 1.1-1.7 and green words	
	Read red guided reading books aligned to phonic knowledge	
	Read Photocopiable green books during RWI and	
	linked storybooks (Sound Blending Books) at	
	home.	
	*depending on RWI assessments each half term	
	WRITING	
Write name correctly	Form most lower-case and capital letter	Write recognisable letters (lower case and capital)
Use correct letter formation	correctly	most of which are formed correctly
Use some of their print and letter knowledge in	Spell words by identifying the sounds and then	Spell words by identifying the sounds and then wr
their early writing	writing the sound with letter/s, using	the sound with letter/s, using taught GPCs
Begin to form lower-case letters correctly	taught GPCs - CVC words	CVC words
Begin to spell words by identifying the sounds	Write captions/phrases and begin to write	Write simple phrases and sentences that can be re
and then writing the sound with letter/s, using	simple sentences using known GPCs	by themselves and others
known GPC	Include word spacing	Including: oral rehearsal of sentence before writir
Use initial sounds VC CVC words	Orally rehearse caption of sentence before	word spacing full stop capital letter
Write labels	writing	Begin to sequence 2-3 sentences within purpose
WITE IDDEIS	_	fiction/ non-fiction writing, such as:

	Begin to write lists & captions	Re-read what they have written to make sure it	2-3 part story (e.g. using map/planner)
	Oral rehearsal / vocabulary	makes sense	Instructions and Fact cards
	Begin to reread what they have written	Begin to write a variety of fiction and nonfiction	
		sentences / captions	
YEAR 1		READ TO WRITE	L
	Little Red & Rapunzel	The Lion Inside	Toys in Space
	Traditional Tale and Instructions	Writing outcome:	Writing outcome:
	Grammar: Word	To write a story about a small animal (mouse)	To write a fantasy story about some toys who
	Build on previous year & focus on:	who befriends a large animal in the African	are taken onto a spaceship. They will be
	Reinforce plural noun suffix -s -es and suffix	Savannah	changing the characters in the story
	added to verbs - er	Gateway Keys	Gateway Texts
	Grammar: Sentence	Compose a sentence orally	<ul> <li>Join words and clauses using and</li> </ul>
	Build on previous year & focus on:	before writing it	• Punctuate sentences using a capital letter and
	Combining words to make sentences and	Join words using and	a full stop, question mark or exclamation mark
	joining words and clauses using-and	<ul> <li>Use plural noun suffixes –s and -es</li> </ul>	Add suffixes where no change is needed to
	Grammar: Text	<ul> <li>Punctuate sentences using a capital letter</li> </ul>	the root word e.g –ed, -er, -ing, -est
	Build on previous year & focus on:	and a full stop	Mastery Keys
	Sequencing sentences to form short narratives	<ul> <li>Use capital letters for names of people</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Join words and clauses using and</li> </ul>
	Grammar: Punctuation	<ul> <li>Leave spaces between Words</li> </ul>	• Punctuate sentences using a capital letter and
	Build on previous year & focus on:	Mastery keys	a full stop, question mark or exclamation mark
	Separation of words with spaces, Capital letters	<ul> <li>Punctuate sentences using</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Add suffixes where no change is needed to</li> </ul>
	and full Stops	a capital letter and a full	the root word e.g. ed, -ing, -er, -est
	Linked Texts	stop, some question marks	<ul> <li>Change the meaning of verbs and adjectives</li> </ul>
	Room on the Broom Julia Donaldson, Winnie the	and exclamation marks	by adding the prefix un
	Witch Valerie Thomas and Korky Paul, The Troll	<ul> <li>Join words and clauses using and</li> </ul>	Feature Keys
	Julia Donaldson, Troll Stinks Jeanne Wills and	<ul> <li>Some accurate use of the prefix un-</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use some story language</li> </ul>
	Tony Ross, Little Red Bethan Woollvin, Hansel and	<ul> <li>Add suffixes where no change is needed to</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Include and describe characters</li> </ul>
	Gretel Bethan Woollvin, Jack and the beanstalk Ed	the root word e.ged, -ing, -er, -est	<ul> <li>Include and describe the setting</li> </ul>
	Bryan, The Magic Paintbrush Julia Donaldson,	Feature Keys	<ul> <li>Write simple sentences in sequence</li> </ul>
	Grimms fairytales Jacob & Wilhelm Grimm	<ul> <li>Use some story language</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Include a beginning, middle and end</li> </ul>
	Non-Fiction	<ul> <li>Include and describe new characters</li> </ul>	
	STEM solves Fairy tales Rapunzel Jasmine Brooke,	<ul> <li>Include and describe the setting</li> </ul>	Year 1 Pathways to Write: Summer 1
	Inside the Villains Clotilde Perrin, Trolls Brian	<ul> <li>Write simple sentences in sequence (link</li> </ul>	Additional texts linked to theme (not essential):
	Frond	ideas with pronouns)	Traction Man by Mini Grey
		<ul> <li>Include a beginning, middle and end</li> </ul>	Biscuit Bear by Mini Grey
			It was a dark and stormy night by Janet and
		Year 1 Pathways to Write: Spring 1	Allan Ahlberg
		Additional texts linked to theme (not	One true bear by Ted Dewan

	essential): How to be a lion by Ed Vere The tiger who came to tea by Judith Kerr Mog the forgetful cat by Judith Kerr Zoo-ology by Joelle Jolivet The Lion King (1994 film) by Disney	Dr Xargles by Jeanne Willis Toy Story 2 (1999 film) by Disney/Pixar
The Secret of Black Rock Return Story and Postcards Grammar: Word Build on previous units & focus on: Reinforce plural noun suffix -s -es Reinforce how prefix un – changes the meaning of verbs and adjectives Grammar: Sentence Build on previous year & focus on: Combining words to make sentences Joining words and clauses using-and, because, so, but Grammar: Text Build on previous year & focus on: Sequencing sentences to form short narratives Grammar: Punctuation Build on previous year & focus on: Separation of words with spaces Capital letters, full Stops, question mark, exclamation mark and capital Letters for names and personal pronoun – 1 Linked Texts We're Going on a Bear Hunt Michael Rosen, Rosie's Walk Pat Hutchins, William & the Missing Masterpiece Helen Hancocks, Where the Wild Things Are Morris Sendak, South Daniel Duncan, The Coral Kingdom Laura Knowles, Under the Sea Anna Milbourne, Grandad's Island Benji Davies, Ocean Meets Sky Eric Fan & Terry Fan, Into the	Beegu Writing outcome: To write their own version of the story with a new lost creature. Gateway keys (non-negotiables/basic skills) • Punctuate sentences using a capital letters and a full stop, some question marks and exclamation marks • Use 'and' between words and some clauses • Some accurate use of the prefix un- • Add suffixes where no change is needed to the root of the word e.ged, -ing, -er, -est • Leave spaces between words Mastery keys (year group & NC expectations) • Join words and clauses using and • Punctuate sentences using a capital letter and a full stop, question mark or exclamation mark • Add suffixes where no change is needed to the root word e.ged, -ing, -er, -est Feature keys (vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense,	Goldilocks and Just One Bear         Writing outcome:         To write a new version of the story with a new character or new setting         Gateway keys         (non-negotiables/basic skills)         • Join words and clauses using and         • Punctuate sentences using a capital letter and a full stop, question mark or exclamation mark         • Add suffixes where no change is needed to the roo word e.g –ed, -er, -ing, -est         • Change the meaning of verbs and adjectives by adding the prefix un-         Mastery Keys         • Join words and clauses using and         • Use simple description         • Sequence sentences to form short narratives (link ideas or events by pronouns)         • Use a capital letter for places and days of the week         • Punctuate sentences using a capital letters, full stop, question mark or exclamation mark         Feature Keys         • Story language         • Simple description for character and setting

YEAR 2

## **READ TO WRITE**

Look Up! Writing outcome: To write a diary entry about a space flight. Gateway keys (non-negotiables/basic skills) Combine words to make sentences • Join words and clauses using and • Sequence sentences to form short narratives • Leave spaces between words Mastery keys (year group national curriculum capital letters expectations) • Use punctuation correctly - full stops, capital letters • Use expanded noun phrases to describe and specify • Use subordination (because) and coordination (and) Feature keys command (vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense, structure) • Include detail and description to inform the reader • Write in first person • Use consistent past tense Order events with adverbs of time Feature keys Include personal comments and own viewpoint • Set the scene with a clear opening and establish the context Finish with a closing statement with personal comment or summary e.g. What an amazing day we all had! correctly

The Dragon Machine Tidy Writing Outcome: Writing Outcome: To write a story based upon the model To write a persuasive letter in role as Pete. text using own ideas for a change of Gateway keys character and Machine (non-negotiables/basic skills) Gateway keys Use the progressive form of verbs in the present (non-negotiables/basic skills) • Use subordination (because) and and past tense • Some use of subordination (because, when) and coordination (and) • Write expanded noun phrases to coordination (and, but) • Use punctuation correctly (as taught so far) describe and specify • Use punctuation correctly –full stop, Write sentences with different forms: statement, question, exclamation, command • Add suffixes to verbs where no change is Mastery keys needed to the root (Y1) (year group national curriculum expectations) Mastery keys (year group national curriculum Use subordination (if, that) expectations) Add -er and -est to adjectives Write sentences with different forms: • Use homophones and near homophones • Use punctuation correctly – apostrophes for statement, question, exclamation, contracted forms • Use subordination (apply because, Feature keys (vocabulary, manipulating sentences and introduce when) • Use present and past tenses correctly tense, structure) • Include detail and description to inform the and consistently (some progressive) • Use punctuation correctly - exclamation reader marks, question marks • Use a range of sentence forms to address the reader (vocabulary, manipulating sentences and • Write in 1st person • Include personal comments and own viewpoint tense, structure) • Use phrases from story language • Use openings and closings e.g. dear, opening • Create and describe characters statement to state why we are writing, from • Create and describe settings Use past tense consistently and • Write in 3rd person • Sequence of events with beginning,

The Owl Who was Afraid of the Dark	My Name is Not Refugee	Grandad's Secret Giant
Writing Outcome:	Writing Outcome:	Writing Outcome
To write a fact sheet about owls using	Writing outcome:	To write own version of the story with a focus on
information gathered from the text	To write a recount of events from the text from	morals and acceptance of others
	the character's point of view.	
Gateway keys		<u>Gateway keys</u>
(non-negotiables/basic skills)	Gateway keys	(non-negotiables/basic skills)
Sequence sentences to form short narratives	(non-negotiables/basic skills)	• Use subordination (if, that)
<ul> <li>Join words and clauses using and</li> </ul>	Write sentences with different forms:	Add -er and -est to adjectives
<ul> <li>Use subordination (because)</li> </ul>	statement, question, exclamation, command	Use homophones and near homophones
<ul> <li>Add suffixes to verbs where no change is</li> </ul>	• Use subordination (because, when)	<ul> <li>Use punctuation correctly – apostrophes for</li> </ul>
needed to the root	Use present and past tenses correctly and	contracted forms
Write expanded noun	consistently	Mastery keys
phrases to describe and specify		(year group national curriculum expectations)
Mastery keys	Use punctuation correctly – exclamation	• Use present and past tenses correctly and
(year group national curriculum expectations)	marks, question marks	consistently including the progressive form
Use co-ordination (but, or)	M <u>astery keys</u> (	• Use subordination (using when, if, that, or
Add -ly to turn adjectives into adverbs	(year group national curriculum expectations)	
Use commas to separate items in a list	• Use the progressive form of verbs in the	because) and co-ordination (using
Feature keys	present and past tense	or, and, or but)
(vocabulary, manipulating sentences and	Use subordination (apply because, when;	Use expanded noun phrases to describe and
<u>tense, structure)</u>	introduce (so) that)	specify
. Cu a sifia una se huda multicular data atha a suite	<ul> <li>Use present and past tenses correctly and</li> </ul>	• Add suffixes to spell longer words e.g -ment,- ful
Specific vocabulary linked to the topic     Clear and proving description	consistently	
Clear and precise description	<ul> <li>Use punctuation correctly – apostrophes for</li> </ul>	Feature keys
Present tense	the possessive (singular)	(vocabulary, manipulating sentences and
• Title	Feature keys	<u>tense, structure)</u>
<ul> <li>Sub-Headings</li> <li>Introduction</li> </ul>	(vocabulary, manipulating sentences and	<ul> <li>Use phrases from story language</li> </ul>
Grouped information	<u>tense, structure)</u>	<ul> <li>Create and describe characters</li> </ul>
Facts from research	<ul> <li>Include detail and description to inform the</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Create and describe settings</li> </ul>
	reader	<ul> <li>Sequence of events</li> </ul>
	Write in 1st person	<ul> <li>Section story into beginning, middle and end</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Use consistent past tense</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use 3rd person consistently</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Order events with adverbs of time</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use tenses appropriately</li> </ul>
	• Include personal comments and own viewpoint	
	• Set the scene with a clear opening and stablish	
	the context	
	• Finish with a closing statement with personal	
	comment or summary e.g. What an amazing day	
	we all had!	
	we all had!	

STEPS TO READ		
N/A Read Write Inc	N/A Read Write Inc Comprehension	The Great Fire of London
		The Great Fire, The Baker's Boy and the Great
		Fire of London, The Great Fire of London, Why do
		we remember The Great Fire of London
		Word Reading
		Build on Previous Year & Focus on:
		Read most words containing common suffixes –
		ness
		Read all common exception words with
		automaticity
		Read sufficiently fluently to allow a focus on
		understanding
		Read accurately most words of two or more
		syllables
		Comprehension
		Build on Previous Year & Focus on:
		Discuss their favourite words and phrases using
		some of them in their writing
		Make some inferences on the basis of what is
		being said and done across the book and drawing
		on other books they have read
		Understand many non-fiction books that are
		structured in different ways
		Skills and Strategies
		Build on Previous Year & Focus on:
		Recognise and read all common exception words
		with automaticity
		Read a range of texts with increasing accuracy
		and fluency
		Self-correction, including re-reading and reading
		ahead
		Talk about book preferences
		Identify how texts are organised, e.g. lists,
		numbered points, tables and bullet points

	Stories and Plays & Poetry - ContemporaryThe Owl Who was Afraid of the Dark, The Tunnel, George's Marvellous Medicine and The WorksWord ReadingBuild on Previous Year & Focus on: Read most words containing all common suffixes Read all common exception words with automaticity Read sufficiently fluently to allow a focus on understanding ComprehensionBuild on Previous Year & Focus on: Demonstrate familiarity with and retell a wide range of stories and plays Discuss their favourite words and phrases using some of them in their writing Show good understanding of books they have read and listened to drawing on what they already know, with background information and vocabulary provided by the teacherSkills and Strategies Build on Previous Year & Focus on: Recognise and plags arread and listened to drawing on what they already know, with background information and vocabulary provided by the teacherSkills and Strategies Build on Previous Year & Focus on: Recognise and read all common exception words with automaticity Read a range of texts with increasing accuracy and fluency
	Read a range of texts with increasing accuracy

YEAR 3		READ TO WRITE	
	Coming to England	Stone Age Boy	Amazing Rivers
	Writing Outcome:	Writing Outcome:	Writing Outcome:
	To write letters from Floella to her Grandmother	Write the story from the point of view of the	Write the text for an information board,
	telling her about settling into life in the UK.	boy	designed to give visitors information and
		Gateway keys	persuade
		(non-negotiables/basic skills)	them to look after our waterways.
		• Use punctuation at Y2 standard correctly (full	
	<ul> <li>Use punctuation at Y2 standard correctly (full</li> </ul>	stons capital letters - including for proper pouns	
	stops, capital letters – including for proper nouns,	evolumention marks question marks commas in	Gateway keys
	exclamation marks, question marks, commas in a	a list, apostrophes for contraction and singular	(non-negotiables/basic skills)
	list, apostrophes for contraction and singular noun	noun possession)	<ul> <li>Use punctuation at Y2 standard correctly (full</li> </ul>
	possession)	• Use a range of co-ordinating and subordinating	stops, capital letters – including for proper nouns,
	• Use subordination (when, if, that, because) and	conjunctions	exclamation marks, question marks, commas in a
		<ul> <li>Create characters, settings and plot in narrative</li> </ul>	list, apostrophes for contraction and singular noun
		Mastery keys	possession)
		(year group national curriculum expectations)	<ul> <li>Use headings and sub- headings to aid</li> </ul>
	correctly	• Form nouns with a range of prefixes	presentation
	<ul> <li>Use progressive forms of verbs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use present and past tenses correctly and</li> </ul>	<u>Mastery keys</u>
		consistently including progressive and present	(year group national curriculum expectations)
		perfect forms	<ul> <li>Use a or an according to whether the next word</li> </ul>
	different forms: sta ement, command, question,	• Use inverted commas to punctuate direct speech	begins with a vowel or consonant
	exclamation	(using dialogue to show relationship between	<ul> <li>Use prepositions, conjunctions and adverbs to</li> </ul>
	Mastery keys	characters)	express time, place and cause
		<ul> <li>Build a varied and rich vocabulary</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Group related ideas into paragraphs</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Group related ideas into paragraphs</li> </ul>	, Feature keys	<ul> <li>Use the present perfect form of verbs in contrast</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Build a varied and rich vocabulary</li> </ul>	vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense,	to the past tense
	• Use prepositions to express time, place and cause	structure)	<u>Feature keys</u>
	<ul> <li>Introduce inverted commas to punctuate direct</li> </ul>	Write a sequence of events to follow the structure	(vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense,
	speech (one session)	of the model story	structure)
	Feature keys	<ul> <li>Write an opening paragraph and further</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use specific e.g. fertile, terrain, and some</li> </ul>
	(vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense,	paragraphs for each stage	
	<u>structure)</u>	<ul> <li>Create dialogue between characters that shows</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use description to compare and contrast</li> </ul>
	• write in the first person	their relationship with each other	• Ose persuasive language e.g.alliteration,
	<ul> <li>Use apostrophe in contractions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use 3rd or 1st person consistently</li> </ul>	commands, repetition
	<ul> <li>Provide detail through use of prepositions to</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use tenses appropriately</li> </ul>	Write in logical order
	express time, place and cause	• Add historical detail to characters setting and	Use 2nd person to talkdirectly to the reader
	<ul> <li>Use a variety of sentence forms including</li> </ul>	events	• Write in the present tense, using present perfect
	statements and questions		for questions
	• Write in consistent past and present tense		<ul> <li>Select organizational features e.g. opening</li> </ul>
	including progressive forms		statement, sub-headings, questions to draw in the
	<ul> <li>Use some future tense verbs</li> </ul>		reader
	<ul> <li>Use layout and structure of a</li> </ul>		

letter <ul> <li>Ensure chronological order to explain sequence of events</li> </ul>		
events           Winter's Child/Ice Palace Writing Outcome:           To write a fantasy story based on a fable Gateway keys (non-negotiables/basic skills)           • Use punctuation at Y2 standard correctly (full stops, capital letters - including for proper nouns, exclamation marks, question marks, commas in a list, apostrophes for contraction and singular noun possession)           • Use subordination (when, if, that, because) and co- ordination (or, and, but)           • Use present and past tenses consistently and correctly           • Use noun phrases and prepositions to add detail           • Group related ideas into paragraphs           Mastery keys (year group national curriculum expectations)           • Use a or an according to whether the next word begins with a vowel or consonant           • In narratives, create characters, settings and plot           • Use inverted commas to punctuate direct speech Feature keys	The Silence Seeker Writing Outcome: Rewrite the story 'The Silence Seeker' using the 3rd person, including details of the setting and some dialogue. Gateway keys (non-negotiables/basic skills) • Use punctuation at Y2 standard correctly (full stops, capital letters – including for proper nouns, exclamation marks, question marks, commas in a list, apostrophes for contraction and singular noun possession) • Use some inverted commas to punctuate direct speech • Use conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions to express time, place and cause • Create characters, settings and plot in narrative • Group related ideas into paragraphs Mastery keys (year group national curriculum expectations) • Form nouns with a range of prefixes • Use present and past tenses correctly and consistently including the progressive and present perfect forms • Build a varied and rich vocabulary • Use inverted commas to punctuate direct speech (using dialogue to show relationship	Zeraffa Giraffa Writing Outcome: Plan and write a persuasive guide for visiting Zeraffa at the Jardin des Plantes in Paris Gateway keys (non-negotiables/basic skills) • Full stops, capital letters, exclamation marks, question marks, commas and apostrophes • Use prepositions to express time, place and cause • Group related ideas in paragraphs Mastery keys (year group national curriculum expectations) • Build an increasing range of sentence structures • In non-narrative material, use simple organizational devices including headings and sub- headings to aid presentation • Use present and past tenses correctly and consistently including the progressive and present perfect forms Feature keys (vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense, structure) • Use persuasive language e.g. alliteration, repetition. • Write in logical order • Use 2nd person or 3rd person to talk directly to the reader
structure)I• Use small details to describe charactersI• Establish the setting in the first lineI• Include a setting to create atmosphereI• Use imagery for descriptionI• Use 1st or 3 rd person consistentlyI• Use tenses appropriatelyI• Sequence story and use paragraphsI	<ul> <li>speech (using dialogue to show relationship between characters)</li> <li>Feature keys (vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense, structure)</li> <li>Use small details to describe characters</li> <li>Include a setting to create atmosphere</li> <li>Write a sequence of events to follow the structure of the model story</li> <li>Write an opening paragraph and further paragraphs for each stage</li> <li>Create dialogue between characters that</li> </ul>	• Select organizational features e.g. opening statement, sub-headings.

shows their relationship with each other <ul> <li>Use 3rd or 1st person consistently</li> <li>Use tenses appropriately</li> </ul>

YEAR 3		STEPS TO READ	
	Reading Skills	Reading Skills	Rivers and Mountains
	Kindness is Catching Scarlett Macaw	How to Make a Flint Axe	King of the Cloud Forest, Rivers A Dazzling Geographic Journey, Rivers and Mountains and
	What is a Volcano? A Happy Accident	Time Traveller	Where the Mountains Meet the Moon Word Reading
	Alice Ball's Discovery	Of Gods and Men	Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (etymology and morphology) as listed
		Radiant Rainforests	in English Appendix 1, both to read aloud and to
		Edith Cavell	understand the meaning of new words read further exception words, noting the unusual
			correspondences between spelling and sound, and where these occur in the word
			Comprehension
			Build on Previous Year & Focus on:
			Read a range of books that are structured in
			different ways and read for a range of purposes
			Identify how language and structure contribute to meaning
			Identify main ideas drawn from more than one
			paragraph and summarise these
			Draw inferences such as inferring characters'
			feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions,
			and justifying many inferences with evidence
			Retrieve and record some information from non-
			fiction
			Skills and Strategies

		Build on Previous Year & Focus on:
		Recognise and read most Year 3&4 Word List
		words
		Skim to gain an overview of a text, e.g. topic,
		purpose
		Identify how texts are organised, e.g. lists,
		numbered points, diagrams with arrows, tables
		and bullet points
		Look for specific information in texts using
		contents, indexes, glossaries, dictionaries
		Identify and use text features, e.g. titles, headings
		and pictures, to locate and understand specific
		information
		Re-reading sentences for clarity
Reading Skills	Forces, Magnets & Rocks	Egyptians
Knock, Knock!	The Robot and the Bluebird, The Tin Forest, Forces	The Genius of the Ancient Egyptians, Life in
Legionary Life	in Action, The Wild Robot and My Book of Rocks	Ancient Egypt, Cinderella of the Nile and Secrets
Buzzing Bees	and Minerals	of a Sun King
A Hammer for Thor	Word Reading	Word Reading
The Lost Friend	Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes	Apply growing knowledge of root words,
	and suffixes (etymology and morphology) as listed	prefixes and suffixes (etymology and
	in English Appendix 1, both to read aloud and to	morphology) as listed in English Appendix 1,
	understand the meaning of new words read	both to read aloud and to understand the
	further exception words, noting the unusual	meaning of new words
	correspondences between spelling and sound, and	read further exception words, noting the
	where these occur in the word	unusual correspondences between spelling and
	Comprehension	sound, and where these occur in the word
	Build on Previous Year & Focus on:	Comprehension
	Read a range of books that are structured in	Build on Previous Term & Focus on:
	different ways and read for a range of purposes	Read a range of books that are structured in
	Identify how language, structure and presentation	different ways and read for a range of purposes
	contribute to meaning	Identify simple themes and conventions in an
	Check that the text makes sense to them, discuss	increasing range of books
	their understanding and explain the meaning of	Discuss some words and phrases that capture
	some words in context	the reader's interest and imagination
	Retrieve and record some information from	Identify how language and structure contribute
	nonfiction	to meaning
	Predict what might happen from details stated and	Retrieve and record some information from non-
	some which are implied	fiction
	Build on Previous Year & Focus on:	Skills and Strategies
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		Recognise and read many Year 3&4 Word List words Read aloud using punctuation to aid expression including speech Self-correction, including re-reading and reading ahead Skim to gain an overview of a text, e.g. topic, purpose Identify different purposes of texts, e.g. to inform, instruct, explain Read short information texts independently with concentration	Recognise and read all Year 3&4 Word List words with automaticity Enhance understanding in information text through, e.g. illustration, photographs, diagrams and charts Skim to gain an overview of a text, e.g. topic, purpose Look for specific information in texts using contents, indexes, glossaries, dictionaries Build on Previous Term & Focus on:
YEAR 4		READ TO WRITE	
12/11/4	The Whale	Arthur and the Golden Rope	Alba the Hundred Year Old Fish
	Setting / Newspaper	Myth / Explanation	Writing Outcome:
	Grammar: Word	Grammar: Word	To write an information board for an exhibit in an
	Build on previous units & focus on:	Build on previous units & focus on:	aquarium.
	Verb inflections (we were instead of we was)	Grammatical difference between plural and	Gateway keys
	Grammar: Sentence	possessive -s	(non-negotiables/basic skills)
	Build on previous units & focus on:	Grammar: Sentence	<ul> <li>Revise use of simple organisational devices in</li> </ul>
	Noun phrases expanded by the addition of	Build on previous units & focus on:	non-narrative material
	modifying adjectives, nouns and prepositions	Noun phrases expanded by the addition of	• Use punctuation at Y2 standard correctly (full
	Fronted adverbials	modifying adjectives, nouns and prepositions	stops, capital letters – including for proper nouns,
	Grammar: Text	Fronted adverbials	exclamation marks, question marks, commas in a
	Build on previous units & focus on:	Grammar: Text	list apostrophes for contraction and singular noun
	Nouns or pronouns to aid cohesion and avoid	Build on previous units & focus on:	possession)
	repetition	Nouns or pronouns to aid cohesion and avoid	• Use subordination (when, if, that, because) and
	Paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme	repetition	co- rdination (or, and, but)
	Grammar: Punctuation	Paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme	Use expanded noun phrases
	Build on previous units & focus on:	Grammar: Punctuation	
	Inverted commas and other punctuation to	Apostrophes for possession (plural nouns)	Mastery keys
	indicate direct speech	Linked Texts	(year group national curriculum
	Use commas after fronted adverbials Linked Texts	Myth Match Good Wives and Warriors, A	expectations)
	The Blue Whale Jenni Desmond, Whale Boy Nicola	Miscellany of Magical Beasts Simon Holland, The Lost Book of Adventure Unknown Adventurer,	Recognise the grammatical difference between
	Davies, Whale Judy Allen, Why the Whales Came	Vikings in 30 Seconds Mark Cavendish, Viking	plural and possessive 's'
			Indicate possession by using the possessive
			apostrophe with plural nouns
			<ul> <li>Organise paragraphs around a theme</li> </ul>

		<ul> <li>Build a varied and rich vocabulary</li> <li>Propose changes to grammar and vocabulary to improve consistency, including the accurate use of propound in contanges</li> </ul>
		pronouns in sentences Feature keys
		(vocabulary, manipulating
		sentences and tense, structure)
		• Use specific e.g. fruit bats, and some technical
		vocabulary e.g. nocturnal, mammal
		<ul> <li>Use precision in technical vocabulary</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Use description to compare and contrast</li> </ul>
		• Use connecting adverbs and fronted adverbials
		e.g. also, additionally, usually, commonly
		Write in the present tense
		• Use layout features e.g. questions to draw in the
		reader, headings and sub- headings, paragraphs
Loof	America Islanda	to group related ideas together
<b>Leaf</b> Outsider / Information	Amazing Islands Writing Outcome	Blue John Writing Outcome
Grammar: Word	To write their own version of 'Koji's Island' in the	Write a letter in role as an expert containing an
Build on previous year & focus on:	first person from the point of view of the	explanation about cave formation
Grammatical difference between plural and	boy in the story.	Gateway keys
possessive -s	Gateway keys	(non-negotiables/basic skills)
Grammar: Sentence	(non-negotiables/basic skills)	• Full stops, capital letters, exclamation marks,
Build on previous year & focus on:	<ul> <li>Use past and present tenses correctly and</li> </ul>	question marks, commas and apostrophes
Noun phrases expanded by the addition of	consistently	<ul> <li>Group related ideas into paragraphs</li> </ul>
modifying adjectives, nouns and preposition	Sequence events	<ul> <li>Use past and present tense consistently</li> </ul>
phrases	<ul> <li>Section story into beginning, middle and end</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Expand noun phrases by the addition of</li> </ul>
Fronted adverbials	Use third person consistently	modifying adjectives, nouns and prepositional
Grammar: Text	Write expanded noun phrases (Y2)	phrases
Build on previous year & focus on:	Use inverted commas to punctuate direct	
Paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme Grammar: Punctuation	speech Mostory keye	Mastery keys     Mastery keys
Apostrophes for possession (plural nouns)	Mastery keys (year group national curriculum	(year group national curriculum expectations)
Use commas after fronted adverbials	expectations)	Build a rich and varied vocabulary and an
Terminology for Pupils	• Expand noun phrases by the addition of	increasing range of sentence structures
Determiner, pronoun, possessive pronoun,	modifying adjectives, nouns and prepositional	Use a variety of verb forms correctly and
adverbial	phrases	consistently including the progressive
	Choose nouns or pronouns appropriately for	and the present perfect forms
	clarity and cohesion and to avoid repetition	<ul> <li>Use paragraphs to organize information and</li> </ul>

<ul> <li>Use and punctuate direct speech</li> <li>Use commas after fronted adverbials</li> <li>Feature keys (vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense, structure)</li> <li>Sequence stories in different stages: introduction, build-up, climax, resolution</li> <li>Create dialogue between characters that shows their relationship with each other</li> <li>Use first or third person consistently</li> <li>Use small details to describe characters and for time, place and mood</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>ideas around a theme Integrated as revision: The grammatical difference between plural and possessive s</li> <li>Feature keys (vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense, structure)</li> <li>Explanation <ul> <li>Use language to explain a process or how something works</li> <li>Use some technical vocabulary</li> <li>Use simple present tense</li> <li>Use words /phrases to make sequential, causal or logical connections e.g. because, as a result of</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
shows their relationship with each other	
time, place and mood	-
	<ul> <li>Use organisational features e.g. opening statement, paragraphs, steps explained</li> </ul>
	in logical order, diagrams and flowchart
	Letter
	Choose sentence forms to address the reader
	directly
	• Use fronted adverbials to introduce paragraphs
	• Use layout features including an address/date,
	suitable closing

	STEPS TO READ		
Reading Skills	Reading Skills	Europe	
1066: The Newspapers	Invading Britannia	The Travel Book, Survivors, The Dragon of Krakov	
The 'Unsinkable' Giant	Time Crime	Non-Fiction Website and Online Poetry	
The Vegetable Killer	A Thief and an Oath Breaker	Word Reading	
An Interview with Sophie Finch	The Story of Saint Patrick	Build on Previous Year & Focus on:	
The Tragedy of Icarus	A Fair Cup	Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixe	
		and suffixes (etymology and morphology) as liste	
		in English Appendix 1, both to read aloud and t	
		understand the meaning of new words read	
		further exception words, noting the unusual	
		correspondences between spelling and sound, a	
		where these occur in the word	
		Comprehension	
		Build on Previous Year & Focus on:	
		Read a wide range of books that are structured	
		different ways and read for a range of purpose	
		Discuss many words and phrases that capture t	
		reader's interest and imagination	
		Identify how language, structure and presentati	
		contribute to meaning	

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	Identify how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning Confidently retrieve and record information from non-fiction Skills and Strategies Build on Previous Year & Focus on: Recognise and read Year 3&4 Word List Skim to gain the gist of a text or the main idea in a chapter Scan for specific information using a variety of features in texts, e.g. titles, illustrations, pre taught vocabulary, bold print, captions, bullet points Identify how texts are organised, e.g. lists, numbered points, diagrams with arrows, tables and bullet points Identify and use text features, e.g. titles, headings and pictures, to locate and understand specific information Look for specific information in texts using contents, indexes, glossaries, dictionaries Re-reading sentences for clarity	Identify themes and conventions in an increasing range of books Confidently retrieve and record information from non-fiction <b>Skills and Strategies</b> Build on Previous Year & Focus on: Recognise and read Year 3&4 Word List Enhance understanding in information text through, e.g. illustration, photographs, diagrams and charts Look for specific information in texts using contents, indexes, glossaries, dictionaries Identify different purposes of texts, e.g. to inform, instruct, explain, persuade, recount Skim to gain the gist of a text or the main idea in a chapter
Reading Skills The Midnight Visitor The Odyssey: A Long Way from Home A Sloth's Guide to the Amazon Caroline Herschel A Nightly Battle	Stories & Poetry - Different Forms Miraculous Journey-Edward Tulane, Night of the Gargoyles, The Girl Who Stole an Elephant, Where Zebras Go Word Reading Build on Previous Term & Focus on: Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (etymology and morphology) as listed in English Appendix 1, both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words Read further exception words, noting the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound, and where these occur in the word Comprehension Build on Previous Term & Focus on:	Living Things/ Habitats/Animals The World of Whales, Habitats, Wild World, When the Mountains Roared, Why the Whales Came and Wild in the Streets Word Reading Build on Previous Year & Focus on: Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (etymology and morphology) as listed in English Appendix 1, both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words Read further exception words, noting the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound, and where these occur in the word Comprehension Build on Previous Year & Focus on: Read a wide range of books that are structured in different ways and read for a range of purposes Identify how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning Check that the text makes sense to them, discuss most of their understanding and explain the:

		Increasing their familiarity with a wide range of stories and retelling some of these orally with an	
		appropriate use of story-book language	
		Predicting what might happen from details stated and implied	
		Asking some questions to improve their	
		understanding of the text	
		Recognising a range of poetic forms [for example,	
		free verse, narrative poetry]	
		Preparing poems to read aloud and to perform,	
		showing an increasing understanding through	
		intonation, tone, volume and action	
		Skills and Strategies	
		Recognise and read Year 3&4 Word List	
		Read aloud using punctuation to aid expression	
		including speech Self-correction, including rereading and reading	
		ahead	
YEAR 5		READ TO WRITE	
	The Promise	Henry's Freedom Box	The Paperbag Prince
	Writing Outcome: Writing Outcomes:	Character/ Newspaper Grammar: Word Build on previous year & focus on: Verb prefixes dis	Writing Outcomes: To write a persuasive leaflet to give information about waste management
	Character Narrative and Newspaper Report	Grammar: Sentence	(selecting an
	Purpose: To narrate		appropriate audience e.g. for councils to distribute to
	Recount: Newspaper Report	of possibility using modal verbs	home and schools)
	Purpose: To recount	Relative clauses beginning with who, which, where,	
	Grammar: Word	when, whose, that or an omitted relative pronoun	Catavian kava
	Build on previous units & focus on:	Grammar: Text Build on previous year & focus on: Devices to build	Gateway keys (non-negotiables/basic skills)
	Verb prefixes re, over, dis	cohesion - pronouns Grammar: Punctuation	• Use punctuation at Y4 standard correctly (full
	The difference between vocabulary of informal	Build on previous year & focus on: Commas for	stops, capital letters, exclamation marks, question
	speech and	parenthesis	marks, commas in a list, commas after fronted
	vocabulary appropriate to formal speech and		adverbials, apostrophes for contraction and
	writing – formal	clauses Linked Texts	possession)
	tone Grammar: Sentence		<ul> <li>Organise paragraphs around a theme</li> <li>Use expanded noun phrases to convey complicated</li> </ul>

Build on previous units & focus on:	Paul Fleischman, The Little Ships Louise Borden and	
	Michael	<ul> <li>Use relative clauses to add detail and description</li> </ul>
Indicate degrees of possibility using modal	Foreman, Erika's Story Ruth Vander Zee and Roberto	
verbs and adverbs	Innocenti, My Secret War Diary Marcia Williams, The	
Grammar: Text		(Y4)
Build on previous units & focus on:	Michael Morpurgo	Mastery keys
Linking ideas across paragraphs, using	Biographies	(year group national curriculum expectations)
adverbials	Stories for Boys who Dare to be Different Ben	<ul> <li>Use modal verbs to indicate degrees of possibility</li> </ul>
Grammar: Punctuation	Brooks, Goodnight Stories for Rebel Girls Elena Favilli	
Build on previous units & focus on:	and Francesca Cavallo, Who are Refugees and	<ul> <li>Choose the appropriate register</li> </ul>
Use hyphens to avoid ambiguity	Migrants? Michael Rosen and Annemarie , Young	<ul> <li>Use brackets, dashes or commas to indicate</li> </ul>
Ose hyphens to avoid ambiguity	Journey to Jo'burg Beverley Naidoo	parenthesis
		Enhance meaning through selecting appropriate
		grammar and vocabulary
		Feature keys
		(vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense,
		<ul> <li>structure)</li> <li>Use precise word choices</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Use emotive language including use of modals and</li> </ul>
		adverbs for possibility (e.g. surely, every right-
		thinking person would)
		<ul> <li>Use persuasive language: quotes and rhetorical</li> </ul>
		questions
		<ul> <li>Directly appeal to the reader</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Support points using persuasive examples and</li> </ul>
		provide evidence
		<ul> <li>Provide well-developed factual information for the</li> </ul>
		reader
		<ul> <li>Include a summarizing statement</li> </ul>
FArTHER	Where Once We Stood	Radiant Child/Life Doesn't Frighten Me
Setting / Letter	Exploration Formal Report	Writing Outcome:
Grammar: Word	Grammar: Word	To write an information text about Jean-Michel
Build on previous units & focus on:	Build on previous year & focus on:	Basquiat suitable for an art gallery.
The difference between vocabulary of informal	The difference between vocabulary of informal	Gateway keys
speech and vocabulary appropriate to formal	speech and vocabulary appropriate to formal	
speech and writing – formal tone	speech and writing – formal tone	(non-negotiables/basic skills)
Grammar: Sentence	Grammar: Sentence	Use punctuation at Y4 standard correctly (full
Build on previous units & focus on:	Build on previous year & focus on:	stops, capital letters, exclamation marks, question
Indicate degrees of possibility using modal verbs	Indicate degrees of possibility using modal verbs	marks, commas in a list, commas after fronted
Grammar: Text	Understand the difference between structures	adverbials, apostrophes for contraction and
Build on previous units & focus on:	typical of informal speech and structures	possession)
•	appropriate to formal speech in writing, eg the use	<ul> <li>Use a variety of verb forms consistently and</li> </ul>
Linking ideas across paragraphs, using adverbials	appropriate to formal speech in writing, eg the use	

Grammar: Punctuation	of the passive form	correctly (Including progressive and
Build on previous units & focus on:	Grammar: Text	present perfect)
Commas for parenthesis	Build on previous year & focus on:	<ul> <li>Organise paragraphs around a theme</li> </ul>
Dashes to mark boundaries between	Linking ideas across paragraphs, using adverbials	• Use a range of sentences with more than one
independent clauses	Grammar: Punctuation	clause (when, if, because, although)
Linked Texts	Speech punctuation	Use fronted adverbials
Leon and the Place Between,	Dashes for parenthesis and to introduce further	
Winter's Child, The Rhythm and the	information	
Rain Aesop's Fables Michael Rosen,	Brackets for parenthesis	Mastery keys
The Orchard Book of Aesop's	Linked Texts	(year group national curriculum expectations)
Fables Michael Morpurgo	The Jamie Drake Equation Christopher Edge, If I	
Non-Fiction	forget thee O Earth Short story Arthur C Clarke,	• Use relative clauses beginning with who, which,
Leonardo da Vinci: Dreams, Schemes	Cosmic Frank Cottrell Boyce, The Time and Space	where, when, whose, that or an omitted relative
and Flying Machines Heinz Kaehne,	of Uncle Albert Russell Stannard, George's Cosmic	pronoun
Flying Machines Ian Graham Flight:	Treasure Hunt (George's Secret Key to the	Use adverbs to indicate degrees of possibility
Discover the Remarkable Machines	Universe) Lucy Hawking	<ul> <li>Use a wider range of devices to build cohesion</li> </ul>
that made Possible Man's Quest to	Non-Fiction	across paragraphs
conquer the Sky Andrew Nahum, The	A Galaxy of Her Own: Amazing Stories of Women in	<ul> <li>Link ideas using tense choices</li> </ul>
Balloon Factory: The story of the men	Space Libby Jackson, The Skies Above My Eyes (Look	
who built Britain's first flying	Closer) Charlotte Guillain, HIDDEN FIGURES: The True	Feature keys
machines Alexander Frater, Flight	Story of Four Black Women and the Space Race	(vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense,
(Eyewitness) Andrew Nahum	Margot Shetterly	structure)
		Use precise word choices
		<ul> <li>Select language to appeal to the reader</li> </ul>
		Use a formal tone
		<ul> <li>Provide well-developed factual information for</li> </ul>
		the reader
		• Manipulate style for specific purpose and audience
		<ul> <li>Write an introduction</li> </ul>

	STEPS TO READ	
Reading Skills Good Ole' Jane Goodall Everest Expedition Spring Cub Fairtrade Approval Did You Say Six?	Myths and Legends, Plays and Poetry Between Worlds, Outlaw, How the Whale Became and Other Stories, The Highwayman and The Lady of Shalott Word Reading Build on Previous Year & Focus on: Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (morphology and etymology), as listed in English Appendix 1, both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words Comprehension Build on Previous Year & Focus on: Increase their familiarity with a wide range of books, including myths and legends Identify and discuss themes and conventions in and across a wide range of writing Participate in discussions about books that are read to them and those they can read for themselves,	North and South America/America North America, My Side of the Mountain, Amazon, My Name is River, Poetry (Online) Word Reading Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (morphology and etymology), as listed in English Appendix 1, both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words Comprehension Build on Previous Term & Focus on: Explain and discuss their understanding of what they have read, including through formal

building on their own and others' ideas and	
challenging some views	
With occasional prompting, draw inferences such as	
inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives	
from their actions, and justifying inferences with	
evidence	
Provide reasoned justifications for their views	
Prepare plays to read aloud and to perform, showing	
understanding through intonation, tone and volume	
so that the meaning is clear to an audience	
Skills and Strategies	
Build on Previous Year & Focus on: Recognise and	
read most Year 5&6 Word List words with	
automaticity	
Identify how punctuation relates to sentence	
structure and how meaning is constructed in	
complex sentences	
Through discussion and read aloud, demonstrate	
how an understanding of sentence structure and	
punctuation help make meaning	
Read closely, annotating for specific purposes Use a	
range of strategies for skimming, e.g. finding	
key words or phrases, gist, main ideas, themes	

Reading Skills Sir David Attenborough The Mystery of Mrs Mitchell's Mug Too Hot to Handle Through Each Window The Maid	presentations and debates, maintaining a focus on the topic and using notes where necessary Identify and discuss themes and conventions in and across a wide range of writing Identify how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning Identify, discuss and evaluate the difference between literal and figurative language, commenting on the effectiveness of the author's language to create mood and build tension and the impact on the reader Provide reasoned justifications for their views <b>Skills and Strategies</b> Build on Previous Term & Focus on: Recognise and read all Year 5&6 Word List words with automaticity Identify features of texts, e.g. introduction to topic, sequence, illustrations, degree of formality Use information on-screen and on paper Read closely, annotating for specific purposes Use a range of strategies for skimming, e.g. finding key words or phrases, gist, main ideas, themes

		READ TO WRITE	
YEAR 6	The difference between vocabulary of informal speech and vocabulary appropriate to formal speech and writing – formal and informal vocabulary choices Grammar: Sentence Build on previous year & focus on: The difference between structures typical of informal speech and structures appropriate to formal - use of question tags in informal speech Grammar: Text Build on previous year & focus on: Linking ideas within and across paragraphs using a wider range of cohesive devices – adverbials	Shackleton's Journey Writing outcome: To write an entry for Shackleton's journal giving a narrative account of a significant event. Gateway keys (non-negotiables/basic skills) • Use expanded noun phrases to convey complicated information concisely • Select appropriate grammar and vocabulary • Use brackets, dashes or commas to indicate parenthesis (Y5) • Extend the range of sentences with more than one clause by using a wider range of conjunctions (Y4) Mastery keys (year group national curriculum expectations) • Distinguish between the language of speech and writing • Recognise vocabulary and structures for formal speech and writing, including subjunctive forms • Use passive verbs • Use semi-colons to mark boundaries between independent clauses Feature keys (vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense, structure) • Select the appropriate style to engage the audience • Engage reader through use of detail, description, feelings and opinions • Use thematic language specific to the subject	Plastic Planet Greta's Story: The Schoolgirl who went on Strike to Save the Planet Writing Outcome: To write a persuasive speech campaigning for the reduction in plastic waste to an audience of peers. Gateway keys (non-negotiables/basic skills) • Extend the range of sentences with more than one clause by using a wider range of conjunctions, including when, if, because, although • Organise paragraphs around a theme • Use fronted adverbials • Choose appropriate pronouns or nouns within and across sentences to aid cohesion and avoid repetition • Use punctuation at Y4 standard correctly (full stops, capital letters, exclamation marks, question marks, commas in a list, commas after fronted adverbials, apostrophes for contraction and possession) Mastery keys (year group national curriculum expectations) • Use relative clauses beginning with who, which, where, when, whose, that or an omitted relative pronoun (Y5) • Use a wider range of devices to build cohesion e.g. conjunctions, synonyms, adverbials, punctuation • Use a colon to introduce a list and use semi- colons within lists
	Grammar: Sentence Build on previous year & focus on: The difference between structures typical of informal speech and structures appropriate to formal - use of question tags in informal speech Grammar: Text Build on previous year & focus on: Linking ideas within and across paragraphs using a wider range of cohesive devices – adverbials	<ul> <li>formal speech and writing, including subjunctive forms</li> <li>Use passive verbs</li> <li>Use semi-colons to mark boundaries between independent clauses</li> <li>Feature keys</li> <li>(vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense, structure)</li> <li>Select the appropriate style to engage the audience</li> <li>Engage reader through use of detail, description, feelings and opinions</li> <li>Use thematic language specific to the subject</li> <li>Use a wide range of cohesive devices e.g. conjunctions, synonyms, adverbials, punctuation</li> <li>Use verb tenses consistently and correctly</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>question marks, commas in a list, commas after fronted adverbials, apostrophes for contraction and possession)</li> <li>Mastery keys (year group national curriculum expectations)</li> <li>Use relative clauses beginning with who, which, where, when, whose, that or an omitted relative pronoun (Y5)</li> <li>Use a wider range of devices to build cohesion e.g. conjunctions, synonyms, adverbials, punctuation</li> <li>Use a colon to introduce a list and use semi-</li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>Provide well-developed factual information for the reader</li> <li>Include a summarizing statement</li> <li>Persuasion <ul> <li>Use emotive language including use of modals and adverbs for possibility (e.g. surely, every right-thinking person would)</li> <li>Directly appeal to the reader</li> <li>Support points using persuasive examples and provide evidence</li> <li>Create authority through a formal style where appropriate</li> <li>Pre-empt reader objectionse. g. you may disagree but</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

The Place for Me: Stories about the Windrush	Island / Jeremy Button	Sky Chasers
Generation	Writing Outcome:	Writing Outcome:
Writing Outcome:	To write a journalistic report (hybrid) about Charles	To write the next chapter of Sky Chasers in the style
To write an information leaflet about a period in	Darwin's discoveries	of the author from two different viewpoints
Black history (hybrid text type including information,		
recount and explanation).	Gateway keys	Gateway keys
	(non-negotiables/ basic skins)	
Gateway keys	<ul> <li>Select appropriate grammar and vocabulary</li> </ul>	(non-negotiables/basic skills)
(non-negotiables/basic skills)	<ul> <li>Distinguish between the language of speech and</li> </ul>	Use expanded noun phrases to convey
<ul> <li>Use expanded noun phrases to convey complicated</li> </ul>	writing	complicated information concisely
information concisely	• Use a wide range of devices to build cohesion	<ul> <li>Select appropriate grammar and vocabulary</li> </ul>
Apply persuasive language	<ul> <li>Use Y5 standard punctuation correctly</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Integrate dialogue to convey character and</li> </ul>
• Use passive verbs	Use semi-colons to mark boundaries between	advance the action
<ul> <li>Link ideas across paragraphs using a wider range of</li> </ul>		• Use a wide range of devices to build cohesion
cohesive devices	independent clauses (GD)	Mastery keys
Use clear organizational features	Mastery keys	(year group national curriculum expectations)
Mastery keys	(year group national curriculum expectations)	<ul> <li>Recognise vocabulary and structures for formal</li> </ul>
(year group national curriculum expectations)	<ul> <li>Use passive verbs</li> </ul>	speech and writing, including subjunctive forms
• Enhance meaning through selecting appropriate	<ul> <li>Variety of verb forms used correctly and</li> </ul>	
grammar and vocabulary	consistently including the progressive and the	<ul> <li>Identify the audience for and purpose of</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Use modal verbs and adverbs to indicate degrees</li> </ul>	present perfect forms	writing
of possibility	<ul> <li>Use a wide range of devices to build cohesion</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Choose the appropriate register</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Use brackets, dashes or commas to indicate</li> </ul>	Use organisational and presentational devices	<ul> <li>Use semi-colons, colons or dashes to mark</li> </ul>
parenthesis	to structure text	boundaries between independent clauses
Feature keys	Use colons to mark boundaries between	Feature keys
•		(vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense,
(vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense,	independent clauses	structure)
structure)	Feature keys	<ul> <li>Use language carefully to influence the reader's</li> </ul>
Use concise word choices	(vocabulary, manipulating sentences and tense,	
<ul> <li>Select language to appeal to the reader</li> <li>Clarify to the reader</li> </ul>	structure)	opinion of a character, place or situation
Clarify technical vocabulary	<ul> <li>Journalistic report hybrid:</li> <li>Add details of the 5Ws throughout piece – who,</li> </ul>	Use powerful and varied verbs for action
Adapt formality to suit purpose and audience	what, where, when, why and how	<ul> <li>Use paragraphs to vary pace and emphasis</li> </ul>
• Provide well-developed factual information for the	• Direct address to the reader through questions as	<ul> <li>Use dialogue to explain the plot, reveal new</li> </ul>
reader	Subheadings	information, show character or relationships or
• Manipulate style for specific purpose and audience	• Use quotes from people to provide opinions and	to convey mood
(hybrid text)	information	<ul> <li>Combine action, dialogue and description</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Include a summarizing statement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use passive voice for ambiguity</li> </ul>	
	Use appropriate formality for intended audience	
	<ul> <li>Use layout features of a journalistic report,</li> </ul>	
	including headline, photographs and captions and	
	ending with a summary, comment or question	

The Piano Aidan Gibbons The Day the War Came	Hyphens used to avoid ambiguity	Beauty: Once Upon a Time. A Twisted Tale. Liz
Nicola Davies, The Journey Francesca Sanna,	Linked Texts	Braswell, Aladdin: A Whole New World. A twisted
Passage to Freedom Ken Mochizuki, The Arrival	Wolf Brother Michelle Paver, She Wolf Dan Smith,	Tale. Liz Braswell
Shaun Tan, Oranges in No Man's Land Elizabeth	Wolf Rider Katherine Rundell, The Last Wolf	
Laird, My Name is not Refugee Kate Milner,	Michael Morpurgo, The Wolves of Willoughby	
Refugee Boy Benjamin Zephaniah, Give Me	Chase Joan Aiken	
Shelter: An Asylum Seeker Anthology Tony	Non-Fiction	
Bradman	Wild Animals of the North Dieter Braun, Exploring	
Non-Fiction	the World of Wolves Tracy C Read, The Hidden Life	
Who are Refugees and Migrants? What Makes	of Wolves Jim Dutcher, Mission: Wolf Rescue: All	
People Leave their Homes? And Other Big	About Wolves and How to Save Them (Mission:	
Questions Michael Rosen,	Animal Rescue) National Geographic Kids	
Refugees and Migrants (Children in Our World)		
Ceri Roberts, Stormy Seas Mary Beth Leatherdale		
	STEPS TO READ	
War	Reading Skills	Reading Skills
The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas, Poems from the	Shackleton's Endurance	A Silver Encounter
Second World War, Fireweed, World War 2, The	The Climate Crisis	Red Robber Robs Regal
Diary of a Young Girl- Anne Frank	Beatrice Shilling	Faith in Fossils
Word Reading	Silver	Notes on the Diary of a Witch
Build on Previous Year & Focus on:		
Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes		
and suffixes (morphology and etymology), as listed		
in English Appendix 1, both to read aloud and to		
understand the meaning of new words		
Comprehension		
Build on Previous Year & Focus on:		
Read books that are structured in different ways		
and read for a range of purposes		
Make comparisons within and across books e.g.		
plot		
Check that the book makes sense to them,		
discussing their understanding and exploring the		
meaning of words in context		
Predict what might happen from details stated and		
implied		
Identify how language, structure and presentation		
contribute to meaning		

Retrieve, record and present information from		Reading Skills
non-fiction		Over the River
Skills and Strategies		The Pooka
Build on Previous Year & Focus on:		The Penicillin Diaries
Recognise all Year 5&6 Word List words with		Light
automaticity		Jungle Fever
Identify how punctuation relates to sentence		5
structure and how meaning is constructed in multi-		
clause sentences		
Read closely, annotating for specific purposes		
Use a range of strategies for finding and locating		
information e.g. skimming scanning for detail		
Connecting prior knowledge and textual		
information to make inferences and predictions		
Reading Skills	Evolution and Inheritance	
	When Darwin Sailed by the Sea, Darwin-Life in	
War Child	Poems, When the Whales Walked, The Explorer,	
Dressing the Victorian	The Great Sea Dragon Discovery	
	Word Reading	
Forest Tracks	Build on Previous Year & Focus on:	
Ella of the Tree	Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes	
	and suffixes (morphology and etymology), as listed	
The Naughty List	in English Appendix 1, both to read aloud and to	
	understand the meaning of new words	
	Comprehension	
	Build on Previous Year & Focus on:	
	Make comparisons within and across books e.g.	
	plot, genre and theme	
	Summarise the main ideas drawn from more than	
	one paragraph and identifying key details that	
	support the main ideas	
	Distinguishing between statements of fact and	
	opinion	
	Draw inferences such as inferring characters'	
	feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions,	

and justifying inferences with evidence	
Identify how language, structure and presentation	
contribute to meaning	
Participate in discussions about books that are	
read to them and those they can read for	
themselves, building on their own and others'	
ideas and challenging views	
Skills and Strategies	
Build on Previous Year & Focus on:	
Recognise all Year 5&6 Word List words with	
automaticity	
Increase understanding of how punctuation can	
vary and affect sentence structure and meaning,	
help avoid ambiguity	
Use a range of strategies for finding and locating	
information e.g. skimming scanning for detail	
Summarising a text	
Secure responses and understanding through	
rereading and cross-check information	
Read closely, annotating for specific purposes	