



Long Term Curriculum Overview

Class One

Key= orange history focus purple = geography focus

Term	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Cycle A Theme	Dinosaur Planet	Where do I live?	Bright Lights, Big City.	Weather Experts	Memory Box	On Safari
Quality Key Texts	The Dinosaur's Diary - fiction Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs - fiction Questions and Answers: Dinosaurs – non-fiction National Geographic: First Book on Dinosaurs	Mog the Forgetful Cat Mog and the Vet Grace and Family	Katie in London The Royal Baby's Big Red Bus Tour of London The Queen's Hat	After the Storm Katie Who Tamed the Wind The Lonely Polar Bear	Hansel and Gretel Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs The Three Billy Goats Gruff The Gingerbread Man	National Geographic for Kids: Safari We're Going on a Lion Hunt Giraffes Can't Dance Safari So Good
Poetry	Acrostic and List Poetry		Performance Poetry		Riddles and Free Verse	
Cycle B Theme	Towers, Tunnels and Turrets	Continents & Oceans	Land Ahoy! (Famous explorers)	Let's go to China	Famous for more than 5 minutes	Street Detectives (Hemington and our local area)
Quality Key Texts	The Making of a Knight The Tunnel Jack and the Beanstalk Rapunzel Jim and the Beanstalk	The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch Katie Morag: The New Pier Katie Morag and the Two Grandmother	Pirate Pete How Pirates Really Work	The Magic Paintbrush The Flower The Tin Forest	Toys in Space Whatever Next I am Neil Armstrong The Darkest Dark Queen Victoria	Goldilocks and the Three Bears The Three Little Pigs The Real story of the Three Little Pigs. Little Red Riding Hood



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Poetry	Repeating Patterns and Shape Poetry		Performance Poetry		Diamante Poetry and Free Verse	
Cycle C Theme	Happy to be	Come and Join the celebration	Unity in the community	Help is at hand	Light up the world	Under the Sea
Quality Key Texts	Funny Bones The Colour of Us	Little Miss Princess and The Very Special Party Kipper's Birthday The Scarecrow's Wedding All Join In	We're Going on a Bear Hunt' 'Not Now Bernard'	Supertato Doctorsaurus	The Owl Who was Afraid of the Dark'	The Rainbow Fish Lost and Found The Storm Whale Somebody Swallowed Stanley -
Poetry	Performance Poetry		Acrostic and List Poetry		Shape Poetry	



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Cycle A Theme	Tribal Tales (Stone Age to Iron Age)	Misty Mountain Sierra	Pharaohs (Egyptians)	The Journey of Food	Victorians (Homes and Palaces)	Modern Europe
Quality Key Texts	Stone Age Boy The Wild Girl	The Iron Man Everest: The Remarkable Story of Edmund Hillary and Tenzing Norgay	The Egyptian Cinderella Chairs on Strike	The Great Foodbank Heist Where does my food come from?	Fantastic Mr Fox	Beowulf
Poetry	Kennings and Quatrains		Performance Poetry		Limericks and Free Verse Shakespeare Inspiration Days	
Cycle B Theme	The Mayas	Extreme Weather	I am a Warrior (Romans)	Earth Matters	Traders & Raiders (Anglo-Saxons)	Location, Location, Location
Quality Key Texts	The Chocolate Tree Charlie and the Chocolate Factory	Shackleton's Journey	Romans on the Rampage Escape from Pompeii	The Dancing Bear Can we Save the Tiger?	Arthur and the Golden Rope Winter of the Wolves	Nim's Island
Poetry	Haiku and Cinquain Poetry		Performance Poetry		Simile/Metaphor and Free Verse Shakespeare Inspiration Day (A Midsummer Night's Dream)	



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Cycle A Theme	Gods & Mortals (Ancient Greeks)	The Journey of a river	Traders & Raiders (Vikings)	Amazon Rainforest	America and the Slave Trade	Made in North America California
Quality Key Texts	Greek Myths Aesop's Fables – The Hare and the Tortoise The Boy Who Cried Wolf Town Mouse and Country Mouse	Stormbreaker	The Wonderful Wizard of Oz	The Great Kapok Tree Rainforest Warrior	Freedom	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe
Poetry	Figurative Language		Performance Poetry		Narrative Poetry and Free Verse Shakespeare Inspiration Days (The Tempest)	
Cycle B Theme	China – The Shang Dynasty	The Frozen Kingdom	A Child's War (World War 11)	Tremors	Where we live	Coastlines
Quality Key Texts	Illegal A Different Boy	Kensuke's Kingdom Home Alone - film	Letters from the Lighthouse	Holes	The fox and the ghost king The Tempest	Charlotte's Web
Poetry	Classic Poetry		Performance Poetry		Sonnets and Free Verse Shakespeare Inspiration Three Days	