

Topic overview of the writing curriculum in our school

EYFS

Children read a range of stories, rhymes and information books linked to topics (see Nursery and Reception Curriculum maps).

They use these texts and topics as a stimulus for writing.

Children write labels, captions, cards, letters, posters, stories and information texts.

	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Y1	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Text	Forms of writing outcomes
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Little Red Hen 2. Little Red and the Very Hungry Lion 3. The Runaway Chapatti 4. Black Hat 5. Astro Girl 6. Man on the moon 7. Goldy Luck and the 3 Pandas 8. Lost and Found 	Letters Instructions Narrative Description Diary Report Poster	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How to Find Gold 2. Augustus and his Smile 3. Pip 4. Aaargh Spider! 5. Leon and Bob 6. Mouse for sale (film) 	Instructions Description Narrative Advert Fact file Diaries	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Snail and the Whale 2. The Papaya that spoke / Too much Talk 3. The Tin Toy 4. Pattan's Pumpkin 5. Poetry 6. La Luna 	Description Poster Narrative Instructions Poem Leaflet
Y2	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Text	Forms of writing outcomes
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ruby's Worry 2. Pretty Salma 3. Into The 	Descriptions Narrative Letters	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Amazing Grace The Elephant's Garden 	Description Invitation Diary	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Zeraffa Giraffa 2. Mulan 3. The Tin Toy 	Letter Description Narrative

	Forest 4. The Storm Whale 5. The Storm Whale in Winter 6. Animal poetry 7. Way Back home	Recount Report Newspaper report Poem	2. The Day the Crayons Quit 3. The Day the Crayons came Home 4. Quill Soup 5. Grandad's Island 6. Mouse for sale (film)	Report Narrative Letter Postcard Poster	4. Lila and the Rain 5. The Dragon's Tears 6. The Emperor's Egg	Diary Newspaper report Leaflet Poster
Y3	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Text	Forms of writing outcomes
	1. The Frog Prince 2. Prince Cinders Hodgeheg 3. The Girl and the Fox 4. The Tin Forest 5. Ottoline and the Yellow Cat 6. The Little Shoemaker (film)	Report Diary Narrative Diary Description	1. Gorilla 2. Ahmed and the Feather Girl 3. Leon and the Place Between 4. The Day of Ahmed's Secret 5. Red's Dream (film)	Report Letter Narrative Description Invitation Diary Narrative	1. Wolves 2. Wolves in the Walls Poetry by Valerie Bloom 3. The Lost Happy Endings 4. Oliver and the Seawigs	Report Diary Narrative Poem Description Newspaper report
Y4	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Text	Forms of writing outcomes
	1. Varmints 2. The Girl and the Fox 3. Ice Palace 4. Way Home 5. Poetry by John Agard	Description Narrative Diary Report Letter Poem	1. The Butterfly Lion 2. The Tin Toy (film) 3. Iron Man 4. A Midsummer Night's Dream	Description Report Diary Newspaper Report Narrative	1. Anna Hibiscus 2. Africa, Amazing Africa 3. Pip 4. Escape from Pompeii 5. The	Description Report Biography Narrative Description Letter

			5. The Little Shoemaker (film)		Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane	
Y5	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Text	Forms of writing outcomes
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Matchbox Diary 2. Story like the Wind Once in a Lifetime 3. Flotsam 4. Beowulf 5. Dragon Slayer (film) 	Letter Description Diary Narrative Description Leaflet	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Firework Maker's Daughter 2. The Highway Man 3. Oranges in No Man's Land 4. Ada's Violin: The Story of the Recycled Orchestra of Paraguay 5. The Present (film) 	Diary Narrative Letter Description Newspaper report	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Holes 2. The Piano (film) 3. Romeo and Juliet Lifecycles 4. Poetry by Joseph Coelho 	Letter Description Newspaper Report Report Narrative Diary Explanation Poem
Y6	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Texts	Forms of writing outcomes	Text	Forms of writing outcomes
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Kensuke's Kingdom 2. Beyond the Lines 3. Rose Blanche 4. Anne Frank 5. Origins (film) 	Diary Description Newspaper report Balanced discussion Narrative Biography	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Giant's Necklace 2. Windrush Child 3. El Caminante (film) 4. Man on Wire (documentary) 5. The Man who Walked 	Newspaper report Description Letter Persuasive speech Narrative Biography Discussion Newspaper Report Narrative	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Asha and the Spirit Bird 2. Alma 3. Macbeth 4. Poetry by Karl Nova 	Diary Information text Narrative Description Letter Leaflet Poetry

			between the Towers Nik Wallenda 6. The Present (film)			
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