

English Overviews

2023-2024

Year Group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	The Three Little Pigs	The Jolly Christmas Postman	Billy and the Beast	Elmer's Rainbow	Christopher's Caterpillars	Rainbow Fish
	The Tiger Who Came to Tea.	Penguins Can't Fly	Rocket Mole	Who am I?	Someone Swallowed Stanley	Shark in the Dark
Year 1	<p>Norman the Slug with a Silly Shell.</p> <p>Books: Norman the Slug with a Silly Shell.</p> <p>Writing outcomes-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter to Norman • Warning poster • Instructions on how to make slime 	<p>Transport</p> <p>Books: Naughty Bus. You can't take an elephant on the bus.</p>	<p>Animals</p> <p>Books: How to Lose a Lemur. Dear Zoo. Meerkat Mail.</p>	<p>Fairy tales and traditional Tale March 2nd 2023 – World Book Day</p> <p>Books: Little Red Hen. The Enormous Turnip. The 3 little pigs.</p>	<p>Dinosaurs</p> <p>Books: The Dinosaur Diary. Tyrannosaurus Drip. Zog.</p> <p>Writing outcomes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diary entry • Recount of our dinosaur hunt • Story Map 	<p>Holidays/seaside</p> <p>Books: Commotion in the Ocean. Tiddler.</p>
Year 2	<p>Narrative: Jack and the Beanstalk</p> <p>Instructions: How to grow a Beanstalk</p>	<p>Man on the moon</p> <p>Narrative</p>	<p>Harry and the Jaggedy Daggers</p>	<p>The Disgusting Sandwich</p>	<p>The Bog Baby</p>	<p>The Secret of Black Rock</p>
	<p>Recount</p>	<p>Non-chronological report</p>	<p>Recount</p>	<p>Instructions</p>	<p>Non-chronological report</p>	<p>Non-chronological report</p>
Year 3	<p>Back to school unit:</p> <p>Juniper Jupiter (Narrative)</p>	<p>Troll Swap (Narrative)</p>	<p>Real story of 3 little Pigs (Newspaper Recount)</p>	<p>The Day the Crayons Quit (Persuasion)</p>	<p>Taking Flight (Narrative)</p>	<p>Grandma Bird (Narrative)</p>

	Fing (Non-Chronological Report)	The Ewephonia (Explanation)	Goldilocks and Just One Bear (Narrative)	Grandad's Island (Non-Chronological Report)	Sailor and Snorgh (Instructions)	Hermelin (Mixed)
Year 4	Narrative in a familiar setting <i>Manfred the Baddie</i>	Narrative in an unfamiliar setting <i>The Way Back Home</i>	Narrative in a familiar setting (linked to trip/research) <i>William and the Missing Masterpiece</i>	Traditional tale <i>The Paper Bag Princess</i>	Narrative in a fantasy/ imaginative setting <i>Bob and the Moontree Mystery</i>	Narrative in a geographical setting (linked to a previously taught Geography unit) <i>Escape to Pompeii</i>
	Explanation of how one of Manfred's machines works. (Wallace and Gromit to support).	Non-chronological report Create an animal that needs your help.	Newspaper recount. MISSING – link to painting or artefact we have seen.	Persuasion. Job applications for Dragon tamer or travel companion for the princess.	Non-chronological report on an invented planet or fruit tree/plant.	Instructions on how to make a clay pot (to replace belongings lost in the eruption).
Year 5	Narrative back to school unit: Weslandia	Narrative Unit: The Wolf's Story Retelling a traditional tale from another character's point of view.	Narrative Unit: The Dish and the Spoon	Narrative Unit: Elliot Jones Midnight Superhero Anne Cottingher	Narrative Unit: The Midnight Man	Narrative Unit: Myths and legends Theseus and the Minotaur
	Weslandia Non-fiction Non-chronological report.	Instructions- Trolls Treat	The Dish and the Spoon Newspaper recount.	Explanation Space food machine for Tin Peake	Non-fiction Chronological report Unicorns	Non-fiction- Chronological report Unique days
Year 6	Back to school unit: The Barnabus Project	Narrative Lost Happy endings	Narrative Fox	Narrative Tuesday	Narrative Flotsam	Narrative Arnie
	Non Chron- Perfect imperfect pet	Instructions How to perfect Christmas eve	Newspaper The three Little pigs Guardian	Non Chron Monsters	Persuasion- Formal letter David Attenborough Zoos	Alma Explanation