



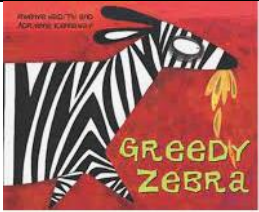

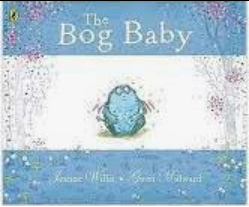
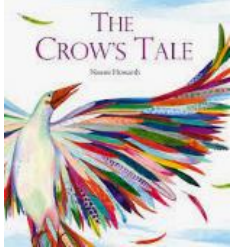


English Overview 2023-2024

Reception	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Poetry and rhyme	Baa, baa, black sheep Hey diddle diddle Horsie, Horsie Incy Wincy Spider Twinkle, twinkle Humpty Dumpty	Little Bo Peep Little Miss Muffet One, two, buckle my shoe Star light, Star Bright Georgie Porgie	It's raining, it's pouring Rain, rain, go away Roses are Red The train She'll be coming round the mountain The Wheels on the Bus	Old McDonald had a farm Mary had a little lamb Ladybird, ladybird Mary, Mary, quite contrary	Jack & Jill Old Mother Hubbard Sing a song of sixpence	Jack be nimble See saw, Margery Daw Simple Simon
Texts and genres	<p>The Gingerbread Man</p>  <p>We're Going on a Bear Hunt by Michael Rosen</p>  <p><i>We're Going on a Bear Hunt</i> Michael Rosen • Helen Oxenbury</p> <p>Peepo by Janet and Allen Ahlberg</p>	<p>Leaf Man by Lois Ehlert</p>  <p>Stick Man by Julia Donaldson</p>  <p>Jolly Postman by Janet and Allen Ahlberg</p> 	<p>Naughty Bus by Jen and Jerry Oke</p>  <p>Queens Knickers by Nicholas Allan</p>  <p>When Granny Went To Market by Stella Blackstone</p>	<p>Jack and the Beanstalk</p>  <p>Jim and the Beanstalk by Raymond Briggs</p>  <p>Tiny Seed by Eric Carle</p>	<p>Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle</p>  <p>Christopher's Caterpillars by Charlotte Middleton</p>  <p>Bad Tempered Ladybird by Eric Carle</p>	<p>Julia Donaldson texts</p> <p>Snail and the Whale</p>  <p>Tiddler</p>  <p>Sharing a Shell</p> 

	 <p>Are You my Mummy by Mary Murphy</p> 	<p>Supertato by Sue Hendra</p> 		 <p>Pip and Egg by Alex Latimer</p> 		<p>Commotion in the Ocean by Giles Andreae</p> 
Year 1	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Poetry	<p>Sea Songs</p>  <p>Action rhyme and list poem</p>	<p>Poetry Fruit Salad</p>  <p>Senses poem</p>	<p>I Spun a Star by John Foster</p>  <p>List poem</p>	<p>There Are No Such Things as Monsters!! by Roger Stevens</p>  <p>Descriptive poem based on a model</p>	<p>If I Had a Beak by The Literacy Company</p>  <p>Descriptive poem using the senses</p>	<p>At the Zoo by W. M. Thackeray</p>  <p>List poem</p>
Texts and genres	Lost and Found By Oliver Jeffers	Goldilocks and the Three Bears	Man on the Moon by Simon Bartram	Stanley's Stick by John Hegley	Vlad and the Great Fire of London	The Lion Inside by Rachel Bright



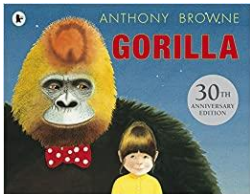

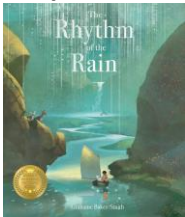

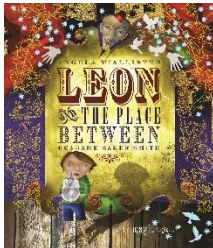

	 <p>Fiction</p> <p>The Emperor's Egg by Martin Jenkins</p>  <p>Fiction</p> <p>Beegu by Alexis Deacon</p>  <p>Fiction</p>	 <p>Traditional Tale</p> <p>Goldilocks and just one bear by Leigh Hodgkinson</p>  <p>Traditional Tale</p>	 <p>Fiction</p> <p>Loon on the Moon by Chai Strathie</p>  <p>Rhyming fiction</p> <p>Laika by Owen Davey</p>  <p>Fiction</p>	 <p>Fiction</p> <p>Not a Stick by Antoinette Portis</p>  <p>Fiction</p>	 <p>Historical fiction</p> <p>The Three Little Pigs</p>  <p>Traditional Tales</p>	 <p>Rhyming fiction</p> <p>Handa's Surprise by Eileen Browne</p>  <p>Curious Case of the Missing Mammoth by Ellie Hattie</p>  <p>Adventure Narrative with some non-fiction</p>
Year 2	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Poetry	Zebra Question by Shel Silverstein	Night Sounds by Berlie Doherty	Father and I in the Woods by David McCord	From a Railway Carriage by Robert Louis Stevenson	Fox by Kathy Henderson	The Owl and the Pussycat by Edward Lear

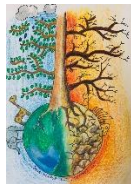


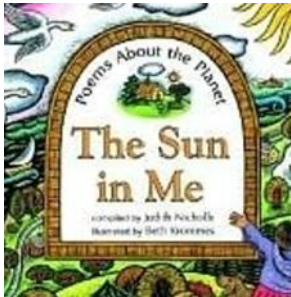
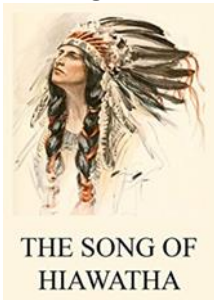



	 <p>Riddles and List Poem</p>	 <p>Senses poem</p>	 <p>Shape poems</p>	 <p>Rhyming 'Bird's – Eye View' poem</p>	 <p>Descriptive poem</p>	 <p>Two verses for a narrative poem</p>
Texts and genres	<p>Rascally Cake by Jeanne Willis</p>  <p>The Little Three Monkeys by Quentin Blake</p> <p>Humorous fiction</p>  <p>Narrative</p> <p>The Greedy Zebra by Mwenye Hadithi</p>	<p>The Dragon Machine by Helen Ward (extended unit)</p>  <p>Fantasy fiction</p>	<p>Once Upon a Wild Wood by Chris Riddell (extended unit)</p>  <p>Twist on a traditional tale - narrative</p>	<p>Meerkat Mail by Emily Gravett</p>  <p>Narrative</p> <p>Tin Forest by Helen Ward</p>  <p>Fantasy Narrative</p> <p>The Day the Crayon's Quit by Oliver Jeffers</p>	<p>The Last Wolf by Mini Grey</p>  <p>Fairytale</p>	<p>The Tear Thief by Carol Ann Duffy</p>  <p>Fantasy fiction</p> <p>Sam's Sandwich by David Pelham</p>  <p>Humorous narrative</p> <p>Bog Baby by Jeanne Willis</p>

	 <p>Fable/Narrative The Queen's Handbag by Steve Antony</p>			 <p>Letter writing</p>		 <p>Fantasy fiction</p> <p>The Crow's Tale by Naomi Howarth</p>  <p>Narrative</p>
Key writing focus	Instructions Narrative Non-chronological report Recount	Poster Descriptive writing Letter Diary Instructions Narrative (Adventure)	Descriptive writing Diary Recount	Letter writing Diary entries Narrative	Persuasive speech Write a guide Set of rules Diary entry Persuasive writing Instructions Write a letter in role Non-chronological report about wolves or endangered animals	Narrative Instructions Non-chronological reports about the different animals Descriptive writing
Year 3	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Poetry	Dance with me, Autumn	The Magnificent Bull from the Dinka Tribe	The Shell by John Foster 	The River's Tale by Rudyard Kipling 	I saw a peacock	Apes to zebras by Liz Browne


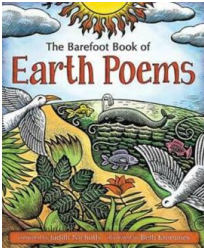

			Senses poem about the sea	Descriptive poem		
	Descriptive poem	Dinka-inspired poem			Nonsense Poem	Concrete Poem
Texts and genres	Stone Age Boy by Satoshi Kitamura 	Winters Child by Angela McAllister 	Big Blue Whale by Nicola Davies 	Mini Units – range of genres and stimuli Narrative (Mystery)  Harris Burdick (images)	Journey by Aaron Becker 	Zeraffa Giraffa by Dianne Hofmeyr 
	Historical fiction	Fantasy fiction	Non-fiction		Fantasy fiction	Non-fiction
Key writing focus	Narrative in the first person Non-chronological report (in History learning)	Fable and narrative Letter Setting description Character description	Non-chronological report Recount Poetry Letter	Explanation  How to catch a dragon – design and explain Instructions 	Letter Diary entry Character descriptions Adventure narrative	Persuasive writing Letter Diary

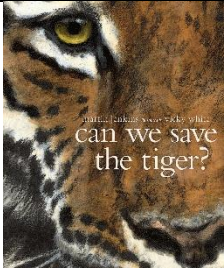
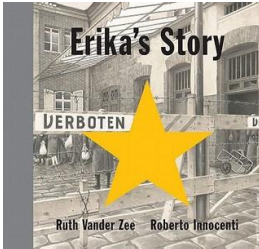

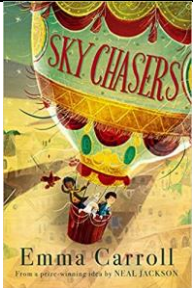


				<p>How to build a robotic teacher</p> <p>Narrative Children's own choice of genre</p> <p>Report (Green Flag Award)</p>  <p>Reduce, Reuse, Recycle</p> <p>Persuasion</p>  <p>Design a product and make persuasive advertisements</p>		
Year 4	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Poetry	<p>Look! By Grace Nichols</p>  <p>A list poem based on a traditional rhyme</p>	<p>Look Closely</p>  <p>A series of haiku</p>	<p>Windrush Child by John Agard</p>  <p>Free verse, personal narrative poem</p>	<p>The Roman's Centurion Song by Rudyard Kipling</p> 	<p>The Lost Property Office by Roger McGough</p>  <p>List poem</p>	<p>Family Album</p>  <p>Free verse narrative poem</p>


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Texts and genres	<p>The Wizard, The Ugly and the Book of Shame by Pablo Bernasconi</p>  <p>Fantasy fiction</p>	<p>Blue John by Berlie Doherty</p>  <p>Fiction</p>	<p>Gorilla by Anthony Browne</p>  <p>Fiction</p>	<p>Mini Units – range of genres and stimuli</p> <p>Narrative (Mystery)</p>  <p>Harris Burdick (images)</p> <p>Explanation</p>  <p>Rhythm and the Rain – the water cycle</p> <p>Instructions</p>  <p>How to plan the perfect robbery</p> <p>Narrative</p>	<p>Leon and the Place Between</p>  <p>Fantasy Fiction</p>	<p>Street Child</p>  <p>Historical Fiction</p>
Key writing focus	<p>Narrative writing Recount</p>	<p>Recount Letter writing - persuasion Explanation text</p>	<p>Narrative</p>		<p>Recount Diary writing</p>	<p>Diary Letters Character descriptions Recounts Discussion</p>

				Report (Green Flag Award)  Deforestation Persuasion  Kingswood leaflet		
Year 5	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Poetry	The Moon  Various Poetic Structures	The Sun in Me  Personification	The Song Hiawatha  Narrative Poetry	Animals of Africa  Performance Poetry	Finding Magic  Free Verse Poetry	Viking Kennings and Spells  Kenning Poetry
Texts and genres	The Darkest Dark by Chris Hadfield	Sinbad the Sailor by Marcia Williams	Shackleton's Journey By William Grill	Mini Units – range of genres and stimuli	Macbeth by William Shakespeare	The Lost Happy Endings by Carol Ann Duffy and Jane Ray

	 <p>Biography Auto-Biography</p>	 <p>Myth</p>	 <p>Biography</p>	<p>Narrative (Mystery)</p>  <p>Facts of the Case of Mr Hollow (animation)</p>	 <p>Classic</p>	 <p>Humorous fiction</p>
Key writing focus	<p>Biography Non-chronological report on Space (linked to Science)</p>	<p>Myths and Legends</p>	<p>Instructions Explanation Text</p>	<p>Explanation</p>  <p>Antarctic Survival – Shackleton's Journey</p> <p>Instructions</p>  <p>How to build a 'perfect' town</p> <p>Narrative</p> <p>Children's own choice of narrative</p>	<p>Debate Persuasion</p>	<p>Narrative from literary heritage – Traditional tales</p>

				Report (Green Flag Award)  Pollution Persuasion  Holiday Brochure – a place they have visited		
Year 6	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Poetry	A Tiger in the Zoo by Leslie Norris  Poem in a chosen form about an endangered animal.	Blitz! By Mary Désirée Anderson  Narrative poem	The Sea by James Reeves  Narrative poem including personification	For Forest by Grace Nichols  Free verse poem	Guarding Secrets  Free verse poem	Sonnets: The view from a hot air balloon by Charlotte Smith  Sonnets
Texts and genres	Can We Save the Tiger by Martin Jenkins	Finding Winnie by Lindsay Mattick 	Island by Jason Chin 	Mini Units – range of genres and stimuli Narrative (Mystery) 	The Selfish Giant by Oscar Wilde 	Sky Chasers by Emily Carroll

	 <p>Non-fiction</p>	<p>Historical fiction Erika's Story by Ruth Vader Zoe</p>  <p>Biographical fiction</p>	Non Fiction	<p>Sometimes The Stars (animation)</p> <p>Explanation</p>  <p>What is evolution?</p>	Classic fiction	
Key writing focus	<p>Information Booklet Balanced Argument persuasive letter Discussion</p>	<p>Narrative Biography Diary Entry</p>	Non-chronological Report	<p>Instructions</p>  <p>Recovery position – First Aid</p> <p>Narrative</p> <p>Children's own choice of genres</p> <p>Report (Green Flag Award)</p>  <p>Renewable Energy</p> <p>Persuasion</p>	<p>Narrative Explanation Biography</p>	<p>Flashback Diary entry Eye-witness account</p>

						
				Arête Leaflet		