



# English Long-Term Plan

	Autumn 1		Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	Let's talk about me		Let's explore	Let's investigate	Let's pretend	Let's grow	Let's find out about animals
FS1	The Train Ride by June Crebbin Goldilocks and the Three Bears		Hide and Seek Birthday Treat by Linda Jennings The Gingerbread Man	Kipper's Snowy Day by Mick Inkpen The Wind Blew by Pat Hutchins	We're Going on a Bear Hunt by Michael Rosen Billy Goat's Gruff	Jasper's Beanstalk by Nick Butterworth The Little Red Hen	The Gobble Gobble Moo Tractor Book by Jez Alborough Twist and Hop Minibeast Bop by Tony Mitten
FS2	We are all Wonders by R. J. Palacio The Three Little Pigs		Stick Man by Julia Donaldson Sammy Spider's First Hanukkah by Sylvia Rouss	Who Sank the Boat by Pamela Allen That's Not My... by Fiona Watt and Rachel Wells	The Jolly Postman by Allen Ahlberg Super Worm by Julia Donaldson	Jack and the Beanstalk The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle	Handa's Surprise by Eileen Brown The Tiger Who Came to Tea Judith Kerr
Year 1	<b>Marvellous Me</b> Oliver's Vegetables / Fruit Salad by Alison Bartlett and Vivien French (Simple 'I like...' sentences/ Writing about themselves)	<b>Traditional Tales</b> Mr Wolf's Pancakes by Jan Fearnley <b>Supporting Texts:</b> The True Story of the Three Little Pigs by Jon Scieszka The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig by Trivizas Jim and the Beanstalk Raymond Briggs (simple narrative/ retell) Poetry: Tree Britta Teckentrup -	<b>Great Explorers</b> The Great Explorer by Chris Judge Whatever Next? By Jill Murphy <b>Supporting Texts:</b> Where the Wild Things Are by Maurice Sendak Field Trip to the Moon by John Hare and Jeanne Willis (story re-tell, setting description, lists, diary)	<b>Great Fire of London</b> Vlad and The Great Fire of London by Kate Cunningham <b>Supporting Texts:</b> The Great Fire of London - Usborne Young Reading. Non-Fiction ELS books (Non-Chronological Report Writing, diary entry, settings description, newspaper article) Poetry: Shirley Hughes Out and About A First Book of Poems - weather - linked to Science	<b>How does your garden grow?</b> Eddie's Garden by Sarah Garland A Bug's Life <b>Supporting Texts:</b> Billy's Sunflower by Nicola Moon Non-Fiction ELS books (description, explanation, instructions, wanted poster)	<b>Why does it matter where our food comes from?</b> Oliver's Milkshake by Vivien French <b>Supporting Texts:</b> Click Clack Moo Cows that Type by Doreen Cronin What the Ladybird Heard by Julia Donaldson The Umbrella by Jan Brett The Rainforest Grew All Around by Susan K.Mitchell Non-fiction books from the ELS & atlases (shopping list, recipe, non-chronological report, story re-tell, simple narrative) Poetry: Rumble in the Jungle and animal shape poems inspired by The Umbrella	

		seasonal change - linked to Science					
Year 2	<b>Magnificent Milford Marvels</b> Flat Stanley by Jeff Brown (Simple character description)  <b>Poetry:</b> Roald Dahl Revolting Rhymes	<b>The Victorians</b> Toys in space by Mini Grey Traction man is here by Mini Grey (Setting Description)  (Instructions if suitable - DT)	<b>How does the weather affect our lives?</b> The Last Polar Bears by Harry Horse (Letter)	<b>Nurturing Nurses</b> Vlad and the Florence Nightingale Adventure by Kate Cunningham (diary entry & setting description)  <b>Poetry:</b> I Am the Seed That Grew the Tree: A Nature Poem for Every Day of the Year by Fiona Waters& Frann Preston-Gannon.	<b>What is the Geography of where I live like?</b> The Boy Who Grew Dragons by Andy Shepherd (Description)	<b>Prehistoric Britain (The Stone Age)</b>  Stone Age Boy by Satoshi Kitamura  (Short story)	<b>Under the sea</b> Oliver & the Seawigs by Philip Reeve (recount & simple report)  <b>Note - this story may need changing - fairly complex!</b>  <b>Poetry:</b> Perfectly Peculiar Pets by Elli Woollard & Anja Boretzki
Year 3	<b>How can we live more sustainably?</b> The Pied Piper by Michael Morpurgo/The Tin Forest Helen Ward & Wayne Anderson (supporting text) (setting description & simple story re-tell) <b>Poetry:</b> Earth Day poem	<b>Monsters and Mechanisms</b> The Iron Man by Ted Hughes (story opener/ character description) ELS books (instructions - DT)	<b>Life in Roman times</b> Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit (setting description & story problem/resolution) The Long Lost Secret Diary of the World's Worst Gladiator by Tim Collins (diary entry)  <b>Poetry:</b> Shape poetry - Apes to Zebras: An A-Z of Shape Poems - Roman shield		<b>Castles</b> Ladybird classic story of Robin Hood/Robin Hood by Rob Lloyd Jones (supporting text) (character description & story problem/resolution)	<b>Healthy Lifestyles (and SRE)</b> Non-fiction: ELS books (research and simple report writing) <b>Poetry:</b> Amusing poetry - Michael Rosen - healthy poems	
Year 4	<b>Egyptian Beliefs</b> MAATS FEATHER? Fiction: The Egyptian Cinderella by Shirley Climo/Ma'At's feather by Juliet Desailly (story re-write - setting description) Non-fiction: ELS books - research and report writing (research and report writing) Birmingham Museum Trip - (Recount) <b>Poetry:</b> Benjamin Zephaniah - Talking Turkeys		<b>Why are jungles so wet and deserts so dry?</b> The Explorer By Katherine Rundell/ The Great Kapok Tree By Lynne Cherry (supporting text) (story writing + dialogue) <b>Poetry:</b> Jumbo Jet - Spike Milligan	<b>How and why is my local environment changing?</b> The Lost Happy Endings By Carol Anne Duffy (story writing - setting and character descriptions)	<b>Ancient Greeks</b> The Orchard Book of Greek Myths Geraldine McCaughrean (story re-write + dialogue)	<b>Healthy Lifestyles (and SRE)</b> Non-fiction: ELS books (research and explanation text)  <b>Poetry:</b> Chocolate Cake by Michael Rosen	
Year 5	<b>Fairgrounds</b> The Nowhere Emporium/Leon and the Place Between by Grahame Baker-Smith (supporting text) (story writing - fantasy/ setting description) Goose Fair Trip - (Recount)	<b>The Maya Civilisation</b> The Secret Garden by Frances Hodgson Burnett (story writing - including setting description/use of archaic language) <b>Poetry:</b> Jabberwocky by Lewis Carrol (Nonsense words/archaic)	<b>World War Two/Anne Frank (Judaism)</b> My Secret War Diary by Flossie Albright by Marcia Williams (diary entries/letters) Anne Frank by Josephine Poole (biography/ explanation text) The Diary of a Young Girl by Anne Frank (extracts)  <b>Poetry:</b> War Poetry discussion, comparison and performance e.g. 'The Little Smuggler' Henryka Łazowertówna and/or Charge of the Light Brigade (Tennyson)		<b>How is climate change affecting the world?</b> The Extraordinary Colours of Auden Dare Zillah Bethell (story writing - building tension)  Non-fiction: ELS books + class text (persuasive writing - is climate change affecting the world?)		

Year 6	<u>Viking Invasions</u> Fiction: A Place Called Perfect by Helena Duggan Viking Boy by Tony Bradman/Beowulf adapted by Michael Morpurgo (Story writing - character description/ use of dialogue to move on narrative/develop character) Non-fiction: ELS books (research and report writing)		<u>Crime and Punishment</u> Fiction: Macbeth (Collins Big Cat) By Jon Mayhew (Story writing - tension & Discussion - is Macbeth a villain?) Poetry: Act I and Scene I from Macbeth by William Shakespeare/The Highwayman (re-write as narrative including poetic devices)	<u>We Are Designers</u> Non-fiction: ELS books (instructions)	<u>How do volcanoes affect the lives of people in Hiemaey?</u> Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo (story writing) Non-fiction: ELS books (Discussion - is it good to live near a volcano?)
					<u>What is a River?</u> Journey to the River Sea by Eva Ibbotson (story writing) Non-fiction: ELS books + class text (explanation text) Poetry: The River by Valerie Bloom