

Year 5	Autumn 1: Writing to entertain  The Olympics	
Core Text	The Fastest Boy in the World (Elizabeth Laird)	
Text Type	Narrative	Newspaper
Suggested Hook	Newington Green Olympics – Day of sports and team events	
Writing Skills to Teach	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording ideas in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme (TiPToP)</li> <li>Punctuating sentences correctly with capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks and question marks</li> <li>Using conjunctions, adverbs or prepositions to convey time and cause</li> <li>Using adverbial phrases to begin sentences e.g. While I was sitting quietly</li> <li>Using expanded noun phrases expanded with a preposition e.g. the juicy, red apple in the brown wicker basket</li> <li>Using inverted commas and speech punctuation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording ideas in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme (TiPToP)</li> <li>Punctuating sentences correctly with capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks and question marks</li> <li>Using conjunctions, adverbs or prepositions to convey time and cause</li> <li>Using adverbial phrases to begin sentences e.g. While I was sitting quietly</li> <li>Using expanded noun phrases expanded with a preposition e.g. the juicy, red apple in the brown wicker basket</li> <li>Using inverted commas and speech punctuation</li> </ul>
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Final Written Outcome	Retell the beginning of the story, writing as Solomon or Grandad	Write a newspaper report of Grandad's escape
Audience & Purpose	Children perform their diary entries to the class	Children's work to be collated and presented as a whole class newspaper
Independent Writing	Diary: Children write in role about the procession	



V 5	Autumn 2: Writing to inform		
Year 5	Space		
Core Text	Cosmic (Frank Cottrell Boyce)		
Text Type	Letter	Explanation	Discursive Writing (Balanced argument)
Suggested Hook	Visit to the Royal Observatory		
Sentence & Word Level Features	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording ideas in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme (TiPToP)</li> <li>Punctuating sentences correctly with capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks and question marks</li> <li>Using expanded noun phrases expanded with a preposition e.g. the juicy, red apple in the brown wicker basket</li> <li>Using conjunctions, adverbs or prepositions to convey time and cause</li> <li>Using adverbial phrases to begin sentences</li> <li>Using words on the Y5/6 spelling list</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording ideas in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme (TiPToP)</li> <li>Selecting appropriate grammar and vocabulary to change or enhance meaning e.g. Cause and effect sentences</li> <li>Using organisational devices e.g. headings and sub-headings and bullet points</li> <li>Punctuating sentences correctly with capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks and question marks</li> <li>Using conjunctions, adverbs or prepositions to convey time and cause</li> <li>Using adverbial phrases to begin sentences</li> <li>Using words on the Y5/6 spelling list</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording ideas in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme (TiPToP)</li> <li>Cohesion within and across paragraphs (PEE)</li> <li>Selecting appropriate grammar and vocabulary to change or enhance meaning e.g. Cause and effect sentences</li> <li>Using organisational devices e.g. headings and sub-headings and bullet points</li> <li>Punctuating sentences correctly with capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks and question marks</li> <li>Using conjunctions, adverbs or prepositions to convey time and cause Using adverbial phrases to begin sentences</li> <li>Using words on the Y5/6 spelling list</li> </ul>
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Final Written Outcome	Children write a letter of complaint in role as the angry parents	Children to write an explanation text: How to get along with your teenager	Children write a balanced argument discussing whether space exploration is a good use of money
Audience & Purpose	Children to read their letters aloud, in role, to the class [Record in books using QR codes]	Children's published explanations to be presented on the English display	Children to present their debates orally to the class [Record in books using QR codes]
Independent Writing	Narrative: Children recount their trip to the Royal Observatory		



V F	Spring 1: Writing to entertain  Vikings		
Year 5			
Core Text	Beowulf (Michael Morpurgo)		Norse Myths and Legends (Kevin Crossley- Holland)
Text Type	Description	Narrative	Narrative
Suggested Hook		A Viking banquet in class	
Sentence & Word Level Features	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording ideas in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme (TiPToP)</li> <li>Punctuating sentences correctly with capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks and question marks</li> <li>Using expanded noun phrases expanded with a preposition e.g. the juicy, red apple in the brown wicker basket</li> <li>Using a range of time, place and number adverbials to link ideas across paragraphs e.g. later, nearby, secondly</li> <li>Using relative clauses</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording ideas in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme (TiPToP)</li> <li>Punctuating sentences correctly with capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks and question marks</li> <li>Using expanded noun phrases expanded with a preposition e.g. the juicy, red apple in the brown wicker basket</li> <li>Using a range of time, place and number adverbials to link ideas across paragraphs e.g. later, nearby, secondly</li> <li>Using relative clauses</li> <li>Using modal verbs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording ideas in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme (TiPToP)</li> <li>Punctuating sentences correctly with capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks and question marks</li> <li>Using expanded noun phrases expanded with a preposition e.g. the juicy, red apple in the brown wicker basket</li> <li>Using a range of time, place and number adverbials to link ideas across paragraphs e.g. later, nearby, secondly</li> <li>Using relative clauses</li> <li>Using modal verbs</li> </ul>
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Final Written Outcome	Setting description of Grendel's lair.	Chn focus on effective action descriptions by continuing the story and describing the battle	Chn write their own Viking myth
Audience & Purpose	Chn to publish their descriptions alongside illustrations	between Beowulf and Sea-hag.	Chn create little books to be displayed in the book corner
Independent Writing	Writing task related to a topical news event		



Year 5	Spring 2: Writing to entertain  The Egyptians	
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Core Text	Myths and Legends: Egyptian Myths (Jacqueline Morley)	The Highwayman (Alfred Noyes)
Text Type	Narrative	Narrative
Suggested Hook	Visit to the British Museum	Learning a section of the poem and performing it
Writing Skills to Teach	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording ideas in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme (TiPToP)</li> <li>Punctuating sentences correctly with capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks and question marks</li> <li>Describing setting, characters and atmosphere effectively</li> <li>Using expanded noun phrases expanded with a preposition e.g. the juicy, red apple in the brown wicker basket</li> <li>Using a range of time, place and number adverbials to link ideas across paragraphs e.g. later, nearby, secondly</li> <li>Using relative clauses</li> <li>Spelling some words from the 5/6 wordlist correctly</li> <li>Using modal verbs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>marks and question marks</li> <li>Describing setting, characters and atmosphere effectively</li> <li>Using expanded noun phrases expanded with a preposition e.g. the juicy, red apple in the brown wicker basket</li> <li>Using a range of time, place and number adverbials to link ideas across paragraphs e.g. later, nearby, secondly</li> <li>Using relative clauses</li> <li>Spelling some words from the 5/6 wordlist correctly</li> <li>Using modal verbs</li> </ul>
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Final Written Outcome	An Egyptian myth	Rewrite the poem as a narrative
Audience & Purpose	Children create a class anthology of Egyptian myths	To be presented on the English display
Independent Writing	Explanation of the mummification process	



Year 5	Summer 1: Writing to persuade		
rear 5	Jungles and Rainforests		
Core Text	The Jungle Book classic and abridged child-friendly version (Rudyard Kipling)		
Text Type	Persuasive Writing	Persuasive Leaflet	
Suggested Hook	Watch clips from the film, original and remake	Visit to London Zoo	
Writing Skills to Teach	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording ideas in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme</li> <li>Cohesion within and across paragraphs (PEE)</li> <li>Using organisational devices e.g. headings and sub-headings and bullet points</li> <li>Selecting appropriate vocabulary to change or enhance meaning e.g. facts, opinions, rhetorical questions, emotive language, statistics, rule of 3.</li> <li>Using a range of time, place and number adverbials to link ideas across paragraphs e.g. later, nearby, secondly</li> <li>Using relative clauses, separated correctly by commas</li> <li>Using brackets, dashes or commas for parenthesis</li> <li>Using modal verbs</li> <li>Using a mixture of pronouns, nouns and synonyms to create cohesion</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording ideas in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme</li> <li>Cohesion within and across paragraphs (PEE)</li> <li>Using organisational devices e.g. headings and sub-headings and bullet points</li> <li>Selecting appropriate vocabulary to change or enhance meaning e.g. facts, opinions, rhetorical questions, emotive language, statistics, rule of 3.</li> <li>Using a range of time, place and number adverbials to link ideas across paragraphs e.g. later, nearby, secondly</li> <li>Using relative clauses, separated correctly by commas</li> <li>Using brackets, dashes or commas for parenthesis</li> <li>Using modal verbs</li> <li>Using a mixture of pronouns, nouns and synonyms to create cohesion</li> </ul>	
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Audience & Purpose	Children send a letter to the Chinese embassy	Display in the classroom as a travel agents	
Independent Writing	Writing a Mowgli and Baloo adventure.		



Year 5	Summer 2: Writing to inform		
rear 5	Build it High		
Core Text	The Man Who Walked Between the Towers (Mordicia Gerstein)	King Kong (Anthony Browne)	
Text Type	Non-Chronological Report	News Report	
Suggested Hook	Clips from the Netflix documentary	Clips from the film	
Writing Skills to Teach	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme (TiPToP)</li> <li>Using organisational devices e.g. headings and sub-headings and bullet points</li> <li>Using a range of time, place and number adverbials to link ideas across paragraphs e.g. later, nearby, secondly</li> <li>Using relative clauses, separated correctly by commas</li> <li>Using brackets, dashes or commas for parenthesis</li> <li>Choosing an appropriate verb tense for the text type and maintaining it consistently</li> <li>Using a mixture of pronouns, nouns and synonyms to create cohesion</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Planning their writing by discussing similar genres and 'magpie-ing' ideas from the related core text</li> <li>Planning their writing by recording in note form</li> <li>Organising their writing into paragraphs around a theme (TiPToP)</li> <li>Using organisational devices e.g. headings and sub-headings and bullet points</li> <li>Using a range of time, place and number adverbials to link ideas across paragraphs e.g. later, nearby, secondly</li> <li>Using relative clauses, separated correctly by commas</li> <li>Including words from the 5/6 wordlist</li> <li>Using brackets, dashes or commas for parenthesis</li> <li>Choosing an appropriate verb tense for the text type and maintaining it consistently</li> <li>Using a mixture of pronouns, nouns and synonyms to create cohesion</li> </ul>	
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Final Written Outcome	Write an information leaflet on Philippe Petit.	Write a script for a news report on the King Kong's kidnapping	
Audience & Purpose	Leaflets to displayed on the English display	Children film/ perform their new scripts which can be filmed and shown during an assembly/ parents presentation	
Independent Writing (Fortnightly)	Children write a diary entry in role as Ann Darrow and recount the day she was kidnapped.		