

TALK FOR WRITING OVERVIEW ACROSS THE SCHOOL 2022-2023

		AUTUMN 1 Who am I?		AUTUMN 2 Can you tell me a story?		SPRING 1 Who helps us?		SPRING 2 Have you been down to the woods today?		SUMMER 1 How does your garden grow?		SUMMER 2 Shall we go on a journey?	
EYFS	BEGINNING WOW – HOOK	Make large houses for Mr Wiggle and Mr Waggle	-	Bread basket delivery, who could it be from	Video of Gingerbread Man in the classroom	Puppet called Ben who needs a friend, go on a friend hunt	Baby mouse in class, have a map to follow around the school leading to a mouse door	Bear video and teddy bear's picnic		Bumblebee sleeping in the classroom		Video of alien spaceship flying over school, note from aliens and picnic on the moon.	Aeroplane journey to different cities
	TYPE / STRUCTURE	Cumulative	-	Cumulative	Journey	Solving a Problem	Solving a Problem	Journey	Poem	Solving a Problem	Poem	Journey	Journey
	MODEL TEXT	Mr wiggle and Mr Waggle	-	The Little Red Hen	The Gingerbread Man	Finding a Friend	The Baby Mouse	Take a Walk Little Bear	The Dark Wood (Julia Donaldson – Poems to perform)	The Sleepy Bumblebee	Queue for the zoo (Julia Donaldson – Poems to perform)	Whatever next?	Emma Jane's Aeroplane
	FOCUS	Retelling a story	-	Story structure	Story structure	Story structure	Story structure	Story structure	Describing places	Story structure	Verbs to describe mini-beasts	Story structure	Adjectives to describe
	RELATED TEXTS	The Gruffalo Handa's surprise I know someone (Julia Donaldson – Poems to perform) Hairy Maclary	-	Rosie's Walk Farmer Duck Jasper's Beanstalk You Choose Traditional tales	Shhh On the Way Home	Mr Gumpy's Outing Handa's surprise	The Gruffalo	Brown Bear, Brown Bear What do you see? We're going on a Bear Hunt	Funny Bones	Superworm, What the Ladybird heard series Mr Gumpy's Outing The Very Hungry Caterpillar	What's inside the apple (What I Like poem book)	Whatever Next Goodnight Moon Owl Babies Aliens in Underpants	Emma Jane's Aeroplane The Train Ride Mrs Armatage on wheels

		AUTUMN 1 Are fairy tale characters like me and you?		AUTUMN 2 Do all superheroes wear capes?		SPRING 1 Should we explore north south, east or west?		SPRING 2 Would you like to live like a monkey?		SUMMER 1 What did it feel like to be on the Titanic?		SUMMER 2 Can a meerkat live in the North Pole?	
YEAR 1	BEGINNING WOW – HOOK	Crime scene for Goldilocks.	Construction / DT morning making large scale house out of different materials and see which can withstand a visitor (the wolf)	Dress up as superheroes, Turn into a superhero for the day. Make a cape, eye mask, prop, make superhero food to give extra power.		Pirate workshop for the day Pirate Workshop (workshops-for-schools.co.uk)		Decorate the classroom to be a rainforest. Play jungle music, have bush tucker trials on each table.		Ice day. Have activities linked to ice and water. discover the best way of breaking it. Room		Police video searching for a missing meerkat	
	TYPE / STRUCTURE	Beat the Baddie	Beat the baddie through poetry	Beat the Baddie	Poetry	Beat the Baddie	Non-fiction: Writing to instruct	Lost & Found	Non-fiction: animal factsheet	Non-fiction: Non chronological report	Poetry	Journey	Poetry
	MODEL TEXT	Goldilocks	Three little pigs rhyming poetry	Super Daisy	Superhero poem	Sir Charlie Slinky Socks	How to catch a man eating monster	Monkey Puzzle	Factsheet - monkey	NCR – The Titanic	Deep Blue Sea Poem	Meerkat Mail	Rumble in the jungle
	FOCUS	Character	Poetry-rhyming/ vocabulary	Story Cohesion	Rhyming	Story Cohesion	Instructions	Story Cohesion	Features of a factsheet	Features of a NCR	Rhyming	Setting	Rhyming – repetition
	KEY RELATED TEXTS	Billy Goats Gruff Snow White Gingerbread Man Little red riding hood Little red hen		The Runaway Pea by Superworm Avocado Baby Cops and Robbers Supertato Moose on the loose Spinderella Tiddler Green eggs and ham		Dinosaur Atlas Penguins Dogs in space Dinosaur Atlas		Lost and found The way back home I don't want to go to bed Ten minutes to bed little unicorn Peace at last		Sailing a boat in the sky Titanic – Non-fiction books		We're going on a bear hunt The Gruffalo George the Smartest giant in town Found you The Tiger who came to tea Elmer	

		AUTUMN 1 Is a healthy diet all you need to thrive?		AUTUMN 2 What is it like to live in Kenya?		SPRING 1 Will we ever get to Mars?		SPRING 2 Where would you build a home, somewhere metropolitan, urban or rural?		SUMMER 1 Where would you build a home, somewhere metropolitan, urban or rural?		SUMMER 2 Where will my coke bottle end up?	
YEAR 2	BEGINNING WOW – HOOK	Making bread & tasting it Mould bread experiment	Exploding porridge & porridge tasting/ making	Drama- Flying to African Talking Mango video personal to class	Winter wonderland	Taking off to the Moon Science enquiry		Lock walk- for cold write of experience		Cedric the Seed Planting	SNOT Explosion!	Story Art	SEASIDE TRIP
	TYPE / STRUCTURE	NF- To instruct	Cumulative	Journey	Poetry	NF – To inform	Wishing Story	NF-To recount	NF-To recount	NF- To inform Explanation text	Beat the baddie	Journey	NF- To inform To persuade
	MODEL TEXT	How to make bread	The Magic Porridge Pot	The Mango that spoke	Stickman/ Winter Poetry/African Poetry	Space NCR	Back to Earth	Diary entry based on - Town Mouse & Country Mouse		How to Seeds grow?	Peter Picker	Snail and the Whale	Seaside/Environment Brochure
	FOCUS	Structure	Structure	Character/ setting	Vocabulary	Structure	Story Cohesion	Features Format Emotive language	Features Format Emotive language	Structure Features Purpose	Character	Setting/ Character	Structure Persuasion Vocabulary
	RELATED TEXTS	Recipes	Reading Spine ALL traditional tales Folk tales Aspiration collect – Mary Seacole	Reading Spine The Papaya that Spoke Too Much Talk Handa's Surprise Why does Elephant have a trunk? Aspiration collect	Stickman African Poetry	NF Space books Aspiration collect	Reading Spine Armstrong Iron Man Winne in Space How to catch a star Astronauts reading in space	Town Mouse & Country Mouse – different versions Katie goes to London City dog Country Frog	Farmer Duck – referring also to comic elements Aspiration collect	NF text NF texts about Pets	Reading Spine Range of David Walliams texts World's Worst Children Comedy texts Roald Dahl George's Marvellous Medicine	Stickman Highway Rat Lost & Found Here we Are Greta & the Giants Aspiration collect David A Greta	NF Seaside Books RNLI - info

Story types / plot structures to cover:

- Cumulative (Reception only)
- Journey (R-Y2)
- Beat the baddie (Y1/2)
- Wishing story (Y1/2)
- Lost and found story (Y1/2)

Non-Fiction structures / types:

- Write to instruct
- Write to inform
- Write to recount
- Explanation

Writerly focus:

Reception – Everyday toolkit

Year 1 and 2: Character

Setting

(Open a story)

(End a story)

Story cohesion