



Coverage of Literacy Units: Year1 – Year6

September 2014

| Year Group | Fiction | | | | Non-Fiction | | | | Poetry | | Additional |
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| Year 1 | Read Write Inc teaching appropriate to pupils' reading ability | | | | | | | | | | |
| Year 1 | Traditional Stories | | | | Labels & Captions | | | | | | |
| Year 2 | Traditional Stories (4wks) | Stories and Settings (3wks) | Extended Stories (3wks) | Fantasy Stories (2wks) | Recount (2wks) | Non-Chronological Text (3wks) | Instructions (2wks) | Letter Writing (2wks) | Descriptive Poetry (2wks) | Poetry with Rhyme (2wks) | *Basic Skills (2x 1wk) *Revision |
| Year 3 | Myths and Legends (4wks) | Stories with Familiar Settings (4wks) | Adventure and Mystery (4wks) | Playscripts (3wks) | Recount (3wks) | Historical Report (4wks) | Persuasive Writing (3wks) | Letter Writing (2wks) | Shape poems and Calligrams (2wks) | Language Play (2wks) | *Basic skills (2x 1wk) |
| Year 4 | Stories from Other Cultures (3wks) | Stories which Raise Issues (4wks) | Historical Stories (4wks) | Imaginative Worlds (4wks) | Recount (3wks) | Non-Chronological Text (4wks) | Newspaper Report (4wks) | Explanation Text (4wks) | Creating Images (2wks) | Classic Poetry (2wks) | |
| Year 5 | Myths and Legends (4wks) | Stories from Other Cultures (3wks) | Stories Comparing Style (4wks) | Stories by Significant Authors (4wks) | Persuasive Writing (4wks) | Instructions [as a guide] (3wks) | Formal & Informal Letter Writing (3wks) | Poetry (2wks) | Playscripts & Dialogue [incl. Film Narrative] (4wks) | | |
| Year 6 | Multiple Choice Pathways (4wks) | Stories with Flashbacks (4wks) | Significant Contemporary Author [includes biography] (4wks) | Persuasion & Debates (4wks) | Non-Chronological Text (4wks) | Newspaper Report [incl presentation] (4wks) | The Highwayman (4wks) | | | | *Revision (2wks) |

Pupils to learn a poem off by heart, within a poetry unit, in every year group

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