

Year 5 Literacy Overview 2020/2021

Autumn 1.1				
7 weeks Harvest Assembly	Text Type	Book to be used as stimulus	Theme	Cross Curricular Links
	2 weeks Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling		Week 1 Revise Word Classes Week 2 punctuation and spelling strategies	
	2 weeks Short Pieces of writing		Focus: Capital letter, full stop, adjectives, conjunctions. Brochure for Beach The Munsters	
	Non-Chron Report 2 weeks	Non-fiction text	Ancient Civilizations Or imaginary pop band.	History (Mayans etc)
Half Term				
8 weeks	Text Type	Book to be used as stimulus	Theme	Cross Curricular Links
	Setting description 2 weeks	Wreck of the Zanzibar	Describe journey first trip leaving Bryher	
	Story opening 2 weeks	Wreck of the Zanzibar	Trip to Bryher	
	Recount 2 ½ weeks	Science -nonfiction books Natural World-extracts	First Person recount from the perspective of a caterpillar,	Science ((Life Cycles) linked to learning in 1.1
	Letters 1 ½ weeks		Responding to issues and dilemmas/Restaurant	SRE
Christmas Break				
6 weeks	Significant Author 2 1/2 weeks	Character Descriptions from Dahl books	Chapter in the style of Dahl	
	Newspaper Report 2 weeks	Extracts related to Moon Landing	Moon Landing	Science (Earth, Sun and Moon)
	Explanation Text 2 weeks	Non-Fiction Texts	The World Map Identification of equator, N&S hemispheres/ Tropics and time zones	Geography (World Map)
February Half Term				
5 weeks	Story-Myths & Legends 3 weeks	The 12 Labours of Heracles	12 Labours of Heracles	
	Poetry	Poetry Books	Haikus & Cinquains	Reading Units
Easter Break				
7 weeks	Stories set in another culture 2 weeks	Grandpa Chatterji-Jamila Gavin	Story Opening- Neetu and Sanjay visit Grandpa Chatterji in India	
	Letter of Complaint 2 weeks	Kick-Mitch Johnson	Complaint to Nike about their use of sweat shop workers	Geography (Fashion)
	Balanced Argument 1 week	Kick-Mitch Johnson	Do sweat shops help the poor?	Geography (Fashion)
Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling and Reading Revision Test Week				
Half Term				
6 weeks	Plays		Preparing and Performing	SRE/History/Geography
	Book Reviews	Charlotte's Web The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe The Secret Garden Wind in the Willows Extracts	Reviewing why certain texts are known as classics	Reading Units
	Performing Poetry	Rap, Nonsense and range of poems from various collections	Children practise performing poems	

