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| Key Skills Progression in Writing- Key texts and genres |
|  | **Year 1** | **Year 2** | **Year 3** | **Year 4** | **Year 5** | **Year 6** |
| **Key Texts for Year Group** | Jack and the BeanstalkHanda’s SurpriseOliver Moon Stories  | DoggerAnthony Browne Willy stories3 Little Wolves and the Big Bad PigThe Magic Finger | CliffhangerDinosaur CoveThe Ice PalaceInto the ForestVarjak Paw | Various Stories from around the worldThe lion, the Witch and the WardrobeThe IncrediblesJourney to Jo’Burg | Goodnight Mr TomThe Boy in the Girl’s BathroomHoles | Kensuke’s KingdomSkellingThe Spiderwick Chronicles |
| **Narrative** | Fairy Stories – Jack and the BeanstalkStories from different cultures Handa’s SurpiseStories about fantasy words - undersea | Stories with a familiar setting – Lost ToyDifferent stories by the same author – Anthony BrowneTraditional stories with a twist – Billy Goats Gruff/3 pigsRoald Dahl inspired stories | Character profileAdventure StoriesSetting descriptions | Settings – particularly from other parts of the worldStory based on Dream catcherJourney to Jo’Burg | Stories and scenes based on video storiesGoodnight Mr TomThe Boy in the Girl’s  | Story based on Alma (video) |
| **Reports** |  | My home/My family - alternatingAnimals/food from different continents alternating | Adventure centre reportCats report | Animal posters |  | Reports on fantasy place - Pandora |
| **Recounts/****diaries** | Hungry Caterpillar diaryDiary of Great fire of LondonClass trips and events | Class trips and eventsSports DayGreat fire of London diary | Diary entry – CliffhangerDiary entry – Dinosaur cove | Journey to Jo’burg diariesNews reports – the Incredibles | Diary – Boy in Girl’s bathroom. | Newpaper report – the lighthouse |
| **Fact files/leaflets** | Body/Homes fact file information alternatingInformation about food/animals alternating | London landmarks/Planets – alternating yearsHealthy eating leaflet | Leaflet for Adventure centre | LW&W character trumps |  |  |
| **Instructions &Explanations** | Instructions – recipesInstructions for growing plants | Classroom routines and simple craftsRecipes for fruit kebabLifecycle of frog/apple tree | Instructions for making Christmas decorations |  |  |  |
| **Letters** |  | Letter of invitation | Letter or Postcard from adventure centre |  | Informal and formal letter writing |  |
| **Persuasive writing/****balanced argument** |  |  |  | Anti-apartheid persuasive writing | Writing balanced arguments | Writing balanced arguments |
| **Play script** |  | Little Red Hen | Based on Into the Forest |  | Film script  |  |
| **Poetry** | Poems with a theme – seasons/spacePoems with a repeating pattern | Friends poemRiddles and Kennings- food/animal theme | Winter shape poetryPoetry inspired by Michael Rosen- Chocolate | Firework/snow poems – creating images/descriptiveFairy story in rhyming couplets | Poetic style – The Highway ManClassic Narrative poems – Ozymandias & Beth Gelert | Jabberwocky |