Year 1 Literacy Coverage & Genres

Year 1	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Genre	 Technical Narrative Description Poetic 	 Descriptive Narrative Technical 	1. Technical	 Description Persuasive 	 Narrative Persuasive 	 Technical Expository Poetic
Outcome for assessment	 Instruction writing Retell of the story Book review Acrostic 	 Drawing based on instruction Forming questions to tell a story Invitation 	1. Instructions	1. Diary 2. Debate	 Story Writing Persuasive letter 	 Non chronological Character description Cinquain poem
Stimulus Hook	 Whatever Next The Big Beyond 	Not my hatPick a pine tree	 How to wash a Woolly Mammoth 	 Oliver's vegetables Peter Rabbit (video stimulus) 	 Somebody swallowed Stanley 	 Tell me a dragon Here we are
Opportunities for Independent learning (Ideas – not extensive list)	Role playing – story telling Home corner – building a rocket based on Whatever next - Thank you letters to planetarium Labelling planets	Lost hat posters – Role play a hat shop labelling different hats. Making puppets and creating / filming nativity scenes Range of Characters from familiar and past stories to	Museum descriptions for bones – Sand / mud area Fact files – dinosaurs or own choice animals etc Bath time small world	Keeping a plant diary Mapping and labelling describing different gardens / settings Exploring a range of poems	Science – recycling plastics and other materials that can be recycled Labelling different objects Story stones / cards	Science investigations – independent write up Diaries Dragon labels Sketching differnet dragons

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Text Skills	Spaces between words, writing a list, label, captions, simple sentences, sequencing to create and write a short narrative					
	Know how words combine to make a sentence, understand and orally use a variety of grammatical structures, joining words and					
Sentence skills	joining clauses, using and, use because to develop reasoning and justify, use a range of time words to aid sequencing, use present					
	tense, past tense and add endings ing, ed, er to verbs					
	Read and identify words with contractions, know that the apostrophe represents the omitted letter, spell some contracted words, begin					
Punctuation skills	to use capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks to demarcate a sentence, use capital letters for names and the					
Punctuation skills	personal pronoun I, compose a sentence orally before writing it, separate words with spaces, know how to use capital letters for					
	proper nouns.					
Grammar skills	Spell regular plural noun suffixes, write proper nouns with capital letters, read words containing -s, -es ending, including change to the					
	Grammar skills root, spell suffixes that can be added to verbs where no change is needed in the spelling, know and use words where the prefix un					
Grammar skins	changes the meaning of verbs and adjectives, read back words they have spelt, read back and check writing makes sense, spell CEW,					
	use letter names to distinguish between alternative spellings of the same sound, spell words; was, were, are ,am					

Genre overview: Technical x 4, Narrative x3, Description x 3, Poetic x 2, Persuasive x2 and Expository x1

Year 2 Literacy Coverage & Genres	Year 2	Literacy	Coverage	& Genres
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Year 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Genre	 Technical Expository Descriptive 	 Persuasive Persuasive Narrative Technical 	 Persuasive Narrative Expository Technical Technical 	 Expository Persuasive Narrative 	 Technical Narrative Technical 	 Narrative Descriptive Narrative Persuasive Persuasive
Outcome for assessment	 Non Chronological report Character Profile Retell of Familiar story 	 Letter Invitation Poem Instructions 	 Post card – Retell story from a character's point of view Character description Creating a spell Chronological recount 	 Biography of main character Letter / argument Retell – own version 	 Non chronological report Recital/Own Poem Instruction / recipe 	 Diary Character profi Alternate story Debate Letter
Stimulus / hook	 Birds of Prey visit range of nonfiction books and posters Owl who was afraid of the dark 	 Bear and the Piano including concert The Christmas eve Tree 	 Black Rock Hansel and Gretel Dock Yard school Trip (<i>History</i> Cross curricular) 	 Tidy Lost and found 	 Street Beneath my feet Poetry (Haiku) Making a salad (DT cross curricular) 	 There is a monster in my Kitchen Dear Greenpeace
Opportunities for Independent learning (Ideas – not extensive list)	Story stones / Story Spoons – Linked to flight / birds Fact files around historical knowledge	Thank you letters to orchestra Bear fact files News reports – Christmas related or stories etc.	Stories about sea creatures – using stones and spoons Small world Black Rock Making spells - creative Designing a delicious house Diary entries – linked to Nelson and history	Posters about litter ICT video recreation	Labelling life cycles and habitats Exploring different poems	Letters to local companies about ec issues

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	Text Skills	Use heading and sub headings to orientate around text, plan and write own stories with a logical sequence of events, using complete
		sentences grouped together to tell different parts of the story, correct choice and consistent use of tense throughout writing.
		Understand how the grammatical patterns in a sentence indicate its function as a statement, question, exclamation mark or command
		and use each sentence type. Expanded noun phrases for description and specification. Add more information to a sentence through
	Sentence skills	using adverbs ending in –ly. Subordination; using conjunctions such as when, if, that, because and coordination; using and, but, or. Use
		a range of time words to aid sequencing, introduce as adverbs. Use present progressive: she is helping the boy. Use past progressive:
		She was helping the boy.
	Punctuation	Use apostrophes to mark where letters are missing in spelling. Use apostrophes to mark singular possession in nouns. Use of capital
_	skills	letter, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks to demarcate sentences. Learn how to use both familiar and new punctuation
	SKIIIS	accurately. Use commas to separate items into a list. Accurately use capital letters for proper nouns.
		Form nouns using suffixes such as –ment, -tion, -ness, -er. Formation of nouns by compounding. Spell adjectives using suffixes such as –
0		er, -est in adjectives. Use –ly to turn adjective into adverbs. Use knowledge of adjectives when making correct choice of spelling. Use
	Grammar skills	some features of standard written English. Make correct choice and consistent use of present and past tense throughout writing. Re read
		and check that their writing makes sense and that verbs to indicate time are used correctly and consistently, including verbs in the
		continuous form.
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Overview - Technical – 6x, Expository 3x, Descriptive 2x, Persuasive 6x, Narrative 6x