

Long term plan

Year 4 writing and SPaG 2024-2025



		02.09.24	Week 1 09.09.24	Week 2 16.09.24	Week 3 23.09.24	Week 4 30.10.24	Week 5 06.10.24	Week 6 14.10.24	Week 7 21.10.24	Week 8 4.11.24	Week 9 11.11.24
Cycle 1											
	3 day week for children Reset week	Non-chronological report	Non-chronological report	Non-chronological report	Diaries	Diaries	Diaries	Narrative Description	Description	Description	
	Context: Anglo Saxons Core Text: Beowulf by Michael Morpurgo	Context: Anglo Saxons Core Text: Beowulf by Michael Morpurgo					Core Text: Beowulf by Michael Morpurgo				
		Word classes – noun verb adjective adverb Formal language RM: capital letters, full stops, proper nouns (dictation)	Tense – simple present Paragraphs, sub headings, topic sentence RM: word classes	Fronted adverbials of manner, degree RM: subordinating conjunctions	Oracy linked to text type Fronted adverbials, adverbials of time RM: Apostrophe for contraction (Dictation)	Relative clauses- who, which, where, that Formal, informal and the difference RM: tenses simple present and present progressive	Tenses – simple past and past progressive Apostrophes for possession and contraction and plurals RM : adverbials	Expanded noun phrases Pronouns RM: Figurative language	Determiners: articles, quantifiers, possessives RM:: fronted adverbials: manner and degree, frequency	Adverbs and adverbial phrases Longer expanded noun phrases RM: tenses – present progressive and past progressive	

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		Week 1 18.11.24	Week 2 25.11.24	Week 3 02.12.24	Week 4 09.12.24	Week 5 16.12.24	Week 6 06.01.25	Week 7 13.01.25	Week 8 20.01.25	Week 9 27.01.25	Week 10 03.02.25	
		Cycle 2		Non Chronological report	Non Chronological report	Non Chronological report	Poetry Oracy linked to text type	Fiction	Fiction Back to school presentation	Fiction	Explanation	Explanation
Context: South America: Core Text: The Explorer by Katherine Rundell				Linked to The Nutcracker	Linked to Explorer by Katherine Rundell			Linked to science? How does the ear work?				
Paragraphs, sub headings, topic sentence Tenses Simple present / present perfect / present progressive RM: apostrophes for possession and contraction, plurals	Prepositions Tenses Simple present / present perfect / present progressive RM: Determiners: articles, quantifiers, possessives			Paragraphs, sub headings, topic sentence RM: subordinate articles, quantifiers, possessives	Alliteration Similes Personification Onomatopoeia Metaphor RM: punctuation (Dictation)	Speech Punctuation Embedded relative clause 'who, which' RM – Punctuation (Dictation)	Speech Punctuation Expanded noun phrases Embedded relative clause 'who, which' RM - Tense	Speech Punctuation Embedded relative clause 'who, which' RM Speech punctuation (Dictation)	Causal language (because of this etc.) Main clause/ subordinate clause RM: tenses	Fronted adverbials, adverbial phrases Expanded noun phrases RM: word classes including prepositions	Pronouns Including possessive Personal Modal verbs	

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Cycle 3

	Week 1 10.02.25	Week 2 24.02.25	Week 3 03.03.25	Week 4 10.03.25	Week 5 17.03.25	Week 6 24.03.25	Week 7 14.04.25	Week 8 21.04.25	Week 9 28.04.25	Week 10 05.05.25
	Instructions (How to survive a Viking Raid) Back to school presentation	Instructions	Instructions	Newspapers	Newspapers	Newspapers	Narrative	Discussion	Discussion	Debate Oracy
	Context: Vikings Core text: The last Bear Linked to Vikings Context Vikings			Linked to Vikings			Linked to Vikings			Vikings
	Adverbs of time, frequency, degree RM: Punctuation Presentation (dictation)	Adverbs of time, frequency, degree Modal verbs/ imperative verbs Sentence types exclamations questions Statements Commands RM: tenses, progressive	Adverbs of time, frequency, degree Modal verbs/ imperative verbs Sentence types exclamations questions Statements Commands RM: main clause, subordinate clause and	Relative pronouns including parenthesis Relative clauses Who, which RM: speech punctuation	Reported and direct speech Parenthesis RM: word classes incl determiners	Reported and direct speech RM: apostrophes for possession and contraction	Speech Punctuation Expanded noun phrases Embedded relative clause 'who, which' RM – As required	Formal/ informal language and difference Conjunctive adverbs: however, in addition, not only this, on the other hand RM: commas for clauses, fronted adverbials, in a list	Pronouns – including personal, relative, possessive RM: apostrophes	The language of debate RM: sentence openers: in my opinion etc



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		Week 1 12.05.25	Week 2 19.05.25	Week 3 02.06.25	Week 4 09.06.25	Week 5 16.06.25	Week 6 23.06.25	Week 7 30.07.25	Week 8 07.07.25	Week 9 14.07.25	Week 10 21.07.25	
		Cycle 4		Biography Percy Fawcett	Biography Percy Fawcett	Biography Percy Fawcett	Narrative	Narrative	Narrative	Letters	Letters	Poetry
Context: South America human geography Core text: The boy at the back of the class				Core texts – The boy at the back of the class			Core text :The boy the back of the class					
Features of a biography Adverbials of time Adverbials of place Paragraphs Sub headings, topic sentence RM: Punctuation (dictation)	Tenses : past and past perfect, past progressive RM: word classes			Sentence types exclamations questions Statements Commands RM : punctuation (Dictation)	Modal verbs Contractions Subordination RM: expanded noun phrases to describe	Modal verbs Contractions Subordination RM: punctuation	Modal verbs Contractions Subordination RM: prepositions	Language features of a letter Formal/ informal language RM: as necessary	Single session SPaG recall as necessary RM: as necessary	Single session SPaG recall as necessary RM: figurative language		

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