

Overview of texts to support Writing curriculum

Reception												
	Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
Progression of Core Texts Additional core texts selected by the teacher to secure key areas of the writing curriculum, broaden the range of texts (including poetry) and meet the interests of pupils.	Fiction: What Makes me a me?	Non-Fiction: Seasons: Autumn Skin	Fiction: The Gruffalo The Christmas Jolly Postman Allan Alberg	Non-Fiction: The Nativity	Fiction: Betty and the Yeti	Non-Fiction: Hot and Cold Pancakes	Fiction: Here We Are Oliver Jeffers	Non-Fiction: Zoom In/Zoom Out	Fiction: The Very Hungry Caterpillar Poetry: Mad About Mini-Beasts	Non-Fiction: Caterpillar to Butterfly	Fiction: Clean Up! Poetry: Commotion in the Ocean	Non-Fiction: What If?
Links to Wider Curriculum	L:W/R C&L UTW:PC PSE	L:W/R C&L UTW:TW	L:W/R C&L UTW:PC	L:W/R C&L UTW:PC	L:W/R C&L UTW:UTW EAD:BI	L:W/R C&L UTW:TW	L:W/R C&L UTW:UTW EAD:BI/EUM M PSE	L:W/R C&L UTW:UTW/P C	L:W/R C&L UTW:UTW EAD:BI/EUM M	L:W/R C&L UTW:TW	L:W/R C&L UTW:UTW/ TECH EAD:BI/EUM M	L:W/R C&L UTW:TW/PC PSE
IMITATE STAGE	Verbally retell 'What Makes Me a Me?' What Makes Me a Me? Story board	In Autumn what can we see? Life cycle/Body labelling Acrostic poems	Retell Gruffalo	The Nativity Journey map Order/Retell the nativity	Betty and the Yeti story map (story mountain) Retell Betty and the Yeti	In Winter what can we see? Pancake recipe	Our planet	Map of South Molton	Retell TVHC	In Spring what can we see? Life cycle	Retell TLM	In Summer/At the beach what can we see? Sea pollution poster
INNOVATE STAGE	If I was a vehicle/pet/b ug I would be a All About Me Potion recipes	Autumn/ Pumpkin/ Poppy acrostic poem	Letter to Santa Christmas lists Shopping lists Gruffalo café menu	Stage signs Nativity programme/ti ckets Bethlehem now/then	Snow Babies story Dragon stew recipe Dragon fact file	Play Dough Recipe Things that are hot and cold Ice experiments	When we met(visitor s from around the world)	All About(e.g. Morocco/Nig eria) Map to my house for the tooth fairy	My Bug story Healthy/Unh ealthy food Days of the week Ugly Bug Ball Invitation	Caterpillar diaries	My Sea Story	Advocate poster Sea Creature reports



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INVENT STAGE (Through Continuous Provision)	*Focus: Name writing e.g. for models Comic strip formats	Acrostic poem formats Role play labels	List formats Letters (post box) Blank cards Menu formats	Nativity character picture prompts Story journey formats	Incredible Pet fact files Story mountain formats Post cards (message station)	Recipe formats CP writing books	All Around the World picture prompts Colourful semantics	Map formats Large scale map drawing (outside/ Small world)	Blank story books Diaries Colourful semantics	Spring/Minibeast picture prompts Colourful semantics	Blank story books Sea picture prompts	Poster making station Messages in a bottle	
Writing features/Development Matters	Word building -Labels -Menus -Cards and letters -Rhyme -Lists -Facts -Tickets		3-4 (DM) -Use some of their print and letter knowledge in their early writing. For example: writing a pretend shopping list that starts at the top of the page; writing 'm' for mummy. Write some or all of their name -Write some letters accurately.		Begin to write sentencesSimple story sentences -Recipes -Messages -Fact files -Invitation		Reception (DM) -Form lower-case and capital letters correctly Spell words by identifying the sounds and then writing the sound with letter/sWrite short sentences with words with known soundletter correspondences using a capital letter and full stopRe-read what they have written to check that it makes sense.		Write simple sentences -Simple stories -Diaries -Rhyming sentences/ collaborative poems -Posters -Reports -I love my Mummy/Daddy because		ELG: Writing Children at the expected level of development will: - Write recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed; - Spell words by identifying sounds in them and representing the sounds with a letter or letters; - Write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others.		
Opportunities for stretch	Independent word writing, labelling Further application of Phase Two Use of sound mat Own lists and messages Registers using name cards Use of print in the learning space				Application of Phase Three/Four How many 'I can see a' sentences can you write? Use of resources e.g. colourful semantics to build own sentences Independent experiment recording and recipes Expert Teacher role to support others Editing and improving				Independent story writing, book publishing Short rhyme-based poems Non-Fiction recount 'Our trip to the Honey Farm/beach'. Application of Phase Five Expert Teacher role to support others Editing and improving				
Grammar and punctuation	Writing letters/v	words	Use of capital letters		Use of finger spaces between words		Introduce and begin to use full stops.		Simple independent sentence construction. Stretch a sentence: Use of conjunctions: and, next, last, then, so, and, but, to				
Phonics	Phase Two Phase		Phase Two+	Phase Two+ Phase Three		Phase Three+			Phase Four	Phase Four		Phase Four + Ext: Phase Five	
Handwriting			Pre-cursive for alphabet sound letters.		Ladder letters		Curly caterpillar letters		Robot arm lette	Robot arm letters Zig Zag let			