

Year 1 English Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Superheroes		Bright Lights, Big City		Enchanted Woodland	Splendid Skies
Reading – Power of Reading	<i>'Traction Man' (comic)</i> <i>'Poems to Perform' (Poetry)</i>		<i>'Claude in the City' (longer picture book)</i> <i>Fire of London (non-fiction)</i>		<i>'The Last Wolf' (twist on a traditional tale)</i>	<i>'Lila and the Secret of the Rain' (cultural)</i>
Writing	Predictions Captions / Labels Annotations / Descriptions Character Profile Story board Rescue story Vocabulary collection Free verse poem and Acrostic poem Letter writing (Christmas letter)		Character description City poems – list poem (Kenning) Postcard Persuasive Poster Newspaper report Story map Own Claude story Setting description Diary writing		Oral storytelling Speech and thought bubbles Poetry – senses poem Information writing Persuasive speech Writing in Role Advisory note Letter	Editing sentences Vocabulary Thought bubbles, Speech bubbles, direct speech Class story mapping Drama / Performance Writing Non-chronological report about Kenya
Grammar	CFFS: Capital letters, Full stops, Finger spaces and does it make Sense? (word, sentence, letter, capital letter) Conjunctions to extend sentences (and, because) Introduce adjectives, verbs and nouns.		CFFS continued. Developing knowledge of adjectives and conjunctions Question marks Time adverbs		Embedded CFFS, Conjunctions and adjectives Suffix (-s –es - singular and plural) and prefixes (un-) Exclamation marks	
Spelling	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> Daily phonics sessions recapping taught sounds. Introducing new sounds daily. Weekly spellings linked to tricky words, high frequency words and phonics teaching. </div>					