English Genre Map 2020-2021

	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Sum 1	Sum 2
Reception	ADVENTURES T4W-Going on a Bear Hunt Stories with Familiar Settings Emergent/Brave Writing	ADVENTURS → CHRISTMAS Letters to Santa Lists	DINOSAURS T4W – How to Grow a Dinosaur Retelling stories Stories with fantasy settings	ONCE UPON A TIME Traditional and Fairy tales T4W – Three Little Pigs	PETS Non-fiction texts – Fact writing Lists labels	ON THE FARM Stories with fantasy settings
Year 1	WHERE AM I? Setting descriptions (Local area/house/home setting) Stories from familiar settings Character descriptions Information booklets – maps and local area info	LET'S CELEBRATE Information texts (non-fiction sentences about festivals) Poetry on a theme (acrostic poems) Stories from different cultures Posters	RACE TO THE NORTH POLE Information texts (non-fiction sentences about animals) Diary and recounts Setting and character descriptions (animals) Postcards and letters	TOY STORY Stories from fantasy settings — Pinocchio Character/setting descriptions (toys) Information booklets — history of toys Drama and role play - playscript	READY, STEADY, GROW! Diary Recount Information Booklets (plants/humans) Poster/Leaflet – guide to growing	WE ARE AUTHORS Stories from fantasy settings Traditional tales Drama and role play – play script Poetry – ambitions for next year
Year 2	WE ARE ALL DIFFERENT (INSPIRATIONAL PEOPLE) Fact file Diary writing Letter Recount Information leaflet	FIRE, FIRE! Repetitive poems Story writing	THE SPRING FESTIVAL (CHINESE NEW YEAR) Stories from different cultures Playscript Adverts	KNIGHTS OF THE REALM (CASTLES, KINGS AND QUEENS) Story writing Recount Letter writing Adventure story	WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE Letter writing Poetry Description	VAN GOGH
Year 3	OVER THE BRIDGE, UNDER THE BRIDGE Fiction – story writing Setting description	INVENTIONS Newspaper report Story writing	THROUGH THE AGES Instructions Wishing tale Diary entry Science fiction tale		THE EGYPTIANS Recount Warning tale	AMAZING AFRICA Meeting tale Persuasive writing
Year 4	ROMANS (ROMANS AND GLADIATORS) T1 - Fiction myths – rags to riches Non-fiction – Non-chron reports T2 Story writing Chronological reports, recount, diary, newspaper recount		AROUND THE WORLD IN 80 DAYS (RAINFOREST AND UNDER THE SEA) Poetry - Survivor story Non-fiction – informal letter, information text, newspaper report, instruction text Fiction- Stories- narrative Non-fiction- Explanation texts, film review, diary entry, recount of trip, discussion text/debate, explanation text		RAIDERS AND INVADERS (ANGLO-SAXONS AND VIKINGS) Fiction – historical and myth based Poetry Historical and fantasy narrative Persuasive writing	
Year 5	SPACE Recount Explanation texts Newspaper report Curiosity (RWP)	ANTARTICA Non-Chron report Diary and letter (Biographies) Job description	ANCIENT GREEKS Traditional Tales/Myths Story Atmospheric writing (Character and setting) Who let the God's out (RWP)	LONDON Narrative – Modern London T4- Boy in the Tower (RWP)/Shakespeare (Playscript) T5- The Highwayman (highway road to London – A2) Narrative poem T5- Hans Christian Anderson – Journey tale/rags to riches		MAYANS Narrative – Folktale Non-Chron Report Information text
Year 6	SURVIVORS – NATURAL DISASTERS T1 Adventure Narrative/Scene setting/Diary/News report/discussion or Comparison T2 Poetry/ Character description/Dystopian ending/Non-chron report/Persuasive argument		WORLD WAR TWO T3 Diary/short story/playscript/Propaganda/biography/letter T4 Evacuee letter/evacuee narrative/book trailer/news report		INSPIRE ME- FINDING OUR HIDDEN IDENTITIES T5 First person narrative Non-chron narrative	