

KS2 Spring Plan

Ensure that your class meet the range of genres below:
Narrative / Recount / Information / Procedure / Persuasion / Poetry
 See genre overview for more information on the genre types

	Willow – Years 3	Year 4	Sycamore – Years 5	Oak – Year 6
Spring Class text (s)	Diary of a Killer Cat Fearsome Fairy Tales Fairy Tales	Krindlekrax by Philip Ridley	Cosmic by Frank Cottrell-Boyce	The Explorer by Katherine Rundell (Spring 1 and Spring 2)
Poem to learn	Acrostic poems (explore a range of choose a favourite)	The Bull	Haiku poems (explore a range and choose a favourite)	The Tyger by William Blake
<u>Genre</u>	Recount	Persuasion	Procedure	Non-Chronological Report
<u>Type</u>	Diary	Letter	Recipes	Web page
<u>Topic Link</u>	Science	PSHE	Science / Geography	Geography and Science
<u>Possible purpose and audience</u>	Write a diary from the point of view of Clementine the school dog. (microhabitats, identification)	Children write about what makes a 'hero'.	Children create Asian recipes inspired by Asian ingredients for a school recipe book.	Children write a non-chronological report about an Amazonian animal
<u>Quality texts linked</u>	Diary of a Killer Cat	Krindlekrax	Examples of recipes	The Explorer Fantastic Beasts
<u>Genre</u>	Explanation Text	Poetry	Information	Recount
<u>Type</u>	Non-chronological report	Mental Health poetry	Trip Itinerary	Newspaper
<u>Topic Link</u>	Science	RSHE	Geography	Geography
<u>Possible purpose and audience</u>	Create a non-chronological report all about magnets. The children will use their reports when sharing their knowledge with KS1 children.	https://aware-ni.org/images/Kids_Booklet_v2.pdf	Children write a trip itinerary based on Liam's journey and then independently write a trip itinerary based on a trip to Asia (teacher chosen activities)	Creating a newspaper article about the rescue of four children from the Amazon for First News.

<u>Quality texts linked</u>		The Bull	Cosmic	The Explorer First News Examples of rescue newspaper articles
<u>Genre</u>	Persuasion	Narrative	Persuasion	Narrative
<u>Type</u>	Persuasive letter	Adventure – 1 st person	Adverts	Creation Myths
<u>Topic Link</u>	Science	History Science	History	History Geography
<u>Possible purpose and audience</u>	Children will write a letter to our governors asking them to protect the habitats in our school grounds.	Children write an alternative ending where Krindlekrax is taken to the zoo and rehabilitated.	Children write an advertisement for brand new Bronze Age technology. For the Stone Age Tablet	Oral traditions – children will write creation myths to tell their buddies in the story-telling area.
<u>Quality texts linked</u>	Examples of persuasive letters	Krindlekrax	Examples of museum plaques and adverts. The Stone Age Tablet – Newspapers from History.	Examples of creation myths
<u>Genre</u>	Narrative	Information	Narrative	Explanation
<u>Type</u>	Fairy Tales	Balanced Argument	Science Fiction	Poster
<u>Topic Link</u>	Geography / Science	History / Science / RE	Science	History D&T
<u>Possible purpose and audience</u>	Children explore fairy tales linking their origins to locations in Europe. Children write a fairy tale.	Children write a balanced argument about whether or not animals should be kept in zoos.	Children write about Liam and Florida' next adventure for a Cosmic mini-series.	Children will write an explanation of how chocolate is made in the form of a poster for display at Cadbury World
<u>Quality texts linked</u>	Fairy Tales (gender swapped, fearsome)	Horrible Histories	Cosmic	Examples of explanation texts. Texts from Cadbury World