English Curriculum Overview

Cycle A	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Hodder – Year 1/2	 Non-chronological report – Harry the Happy Mouse Stories by the same author – Simon Bartram Classic poems Information booklet 	 Recount Persuasion – persuade people to buy local produce Animal Adventure Stories – Michael Morpergo – Mossop's Last Chance Riddles - animal 	 Recounts: first person recount Persuasion Stories with fantasy settings Traditional tales with a twist Poems for learning by heart
Ribble – Year Y3/4	 Playscripts and film –The Dum Spiro Poems with a structure Non-chronological reports Fables – Aesop's Fables Discussion 	 Explanations – Mountains of the World by Dieter Braun Poems on a theme. Recount – biographies (Everest by Alexander Stewart and Joe Todd-Stanton) Fantasy stories – The Abominables by Eva Ibbotson 	 Story as a theme – Stig of the Dump Poems with a structure Recount: diaries Persuasion: letters (Link to healthy eating Science)
Wyre – Year 5/6	 Novel as a theme: The Nowhere Emporium Narrative Narrative Magazine Novel as a theme: Oranges in No Man's Land by Elizabeth Laird Narrative 	 Novel as a theme: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe Non-Chronological report Narrative Poetry: The Highwayman Explanations: The Circulatory System 	 Novel as a theme: Oliver Twist. Narrative Play script Discussion Persuasion: Bypass link

Cycle B	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Hodder – Year 1/2	 Recount – letters Instructions – how to play a game / make food Non-chronological report Learn poem by heart (linked to Bonfire Night / Christmas) 	 Range of non-fiction texts: information book Recount: letters Repetitive patterned stories Instructions Stories by the same author 	 Stories with familiar settings Information booklet Stories by the same author Seaside poems
Ribble – Year Y3/4	 Fairy tales – Pied Piper of Hamelin Classic poetry – The Pied Piper 	 Folk tales – Brer Rabbit Poems with a structure – Water haiku Persuasion Stories with a theme – The Water Horse by Dick King-Smith 	 Novel as a theme – Marcy and the Riddle of the Sphinx Poems on a theme Stories with issues and dilemmas – A Matter of Loaf and Death Information booklets.
Wyre – Year 5/6	 Science fiction stories Poems with figurative language 	 Novel as a theme – Mission Survival Discussion/Debate – Issue related to Brazil/Amazon 	 Myths Poems with a structure Instructional writing: Recipes