

Year 3 Literacy Long Term Plan

| | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
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| Texts | Fiction: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe (portal story) Non-fiction: Children find a magic wardrobe (Recountnewspaper report) | Fiction Cobbler of Krakow and the Smoke Dragon (defeating the monster) Non-fiction: How a Dragon's Fire Works (explanation) | Fiction Hansel and Gretel (defeating the monster) Non-fiction How to build a gingerbread house (instructions) | Fiction The Magic Brush (finding tale) Non-fiction All about storms (information) | Fiction Charlie and the Chocolate Factory (finding and losing tale) Non-fiction Fair Trade (discussion) | Fiction Legend of the Green Children (journey tale) Non-fiction Letter linked to school (persuasion) |
| Writing | -Portal story – focus on setting. -3 rd person recount: Newspaper report | -Ending of a story: building suspense -Explanation text -Poetry | -Narrative -Explanation | -Description piece of writing -Instruction writing | -Building description, character and setting skills focusing on the opening and endingBalanced argument through a discussion/debate. | -Character description -Persuasion |
| Grammar, punctuation and skills | -Use a range of punctuation taught up to and including Y2 mostly correctForm capital and lower case letters correctlyWrite for a purposeCreate settings -Begin to use many conjunctions and prepositionsBegin to use correct speech punctuationUse simple devices to structure writing — headings and subheadings and bullet pointsBegin to write using commands. | - Write for a purpose - Use the forms a or an appropriately Express time, place and cause using conjunctions, adverbs or prepositionsUse simple devices to structure the writing and support the reader. Use past and present tense. | - Using a variety of sentence types - Spell most common exception and Y3 words Create settings and character in narrative Use inverted commas to punctuate direct speechUse headings and subheadingsUse a range of punctuation, e.g. commas in a list and apostrophes for possession. | -Use detail and vocabulary to interest and engage the reader -Use of the present perfect form of verbs instead of the simple pastWord families based on common wordsUse paragraphs. | -Use a variety of sentences, sentence openers and prepositions to add variety to the writingUse paragraphsWriting effectively for different purposes, considering both sides to the argumentUsing a range of prefixes | -Use detail and vocabulary to interest and engage the readerUse conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions for cohesion and to add detailIncrease the legibility, consistency and quality of handwriting throughout the yearWrite effectively and coherently for different purposes, considering both sides to an argumentExpress time, place and cause using conjunctions, adverbs and prepositionsUse paragraphs |

