

2023-2024

Notes: There might be one, two or three learning journeys in each half term, either with the same text driver or different ones (but linked). There is a mix of text types and genres, and choose a few writing outcomes to be repeated in different contexts throughout the year.

Reception						
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	



Other texts will also be used linked to the topic and the children's interests throughout the year.

Year 1 and Year 2

Learning journey 1 Text Driver:

Autumn 1



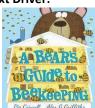
Text type focus:
Information book
Outcome: Write own fact

book

book.

Drop-in write: questions **Parallel texts:** Bumble bear, Winnie the pooh, jungle

<u>Learning journey 2</u> Text Driver:



Text type focus:
Descriptions

Outcome: Description of a

bee

Drop-in write: Questions

about the bees.

Parallel texts: Bumble bear, Winnie the pooh, jungle

book.

Learning journey 1

Autumn 2



Text type focus: Narrative fiction in the first person Outcome: 2 little pigs' story from the wolf's point of view, written in the

same style

Drop-in writes: Character description of the wolf **Parallel Texts:** Who is afraid of the big bad pig?

Learning journey 2
Text Driver:



Text type focus: Fable
Outcome: Diary entry
Drop-in write: retell a
small section of the book
Parallel texts: other fables

Learning journey 1

Spring 1

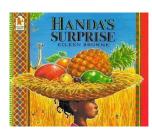


Text type focus: Recount **Outcome:** Write a postcard to Mrs Lennon about Sunny's visit to Brighstone Primary School.

Drop-in writes: Captions of Sunny in different places **Parallel texts:** Meerkat

Christmas

<u>Learning journey 2</u> Text Driver:



Text type focus: Narrative

fiction

Outcome: Own version set in

the local area

Drop-in writes: Letter from

Akeyo to Handa

Parallel texts: Non-fiction books about Africa

Learning journey 1

Spring 2



Text type focus: Instructions

Outcome: Instructions 'How to catch a goat' Drop-in writes: Character description of the Troll (in the form of a shape poem).

Learning journey 2
Text Driver:



Text type focus: Persuasion

Outcome: Court case 'Is the wolf guilty or not

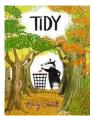
guilty?'

Drop-in writes:

Write instructions on how to get to Grandma's

house.

Learning journey 1
Text Driver:

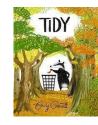


Summer 1

Text type focus: Persuasion **Outcome:** Letter of persuasion to the badger **Drop-in write:** Retell the story from Pete's point of

view

<u>Learning journey 2</u> Text Driver:

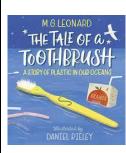


Text type focus: Letter
Outcome: Letter of apology
from Pete the badger
Drop-in write: Recount
what has happened from
the point of view of the
other characters

Parallel texts: Other texts by Emily Gravett; Dear Greenpeace; The Tin Forest

Learning journey 1
Text Driver:

Summer 2



Text type focus: Recount **Outcome:** Tale of a...

Drop-in write: diary entry of

the toothbrush

Parallel texts: Information books on the environment

<u>Learning journey 2</u> Text Driver:



Text type focus: Poetry **Outcome:** acrostic poem on

the environment

Drop-in write: instructions

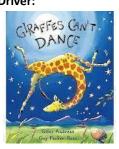
on a beach clean

Parallel texts: other

environmental and acrostic

poems.

Learning journey 3 Text Driver:



Text type focus: Narrative fiction in the first person. Outcome: Retell the story from Gerald's point of view. **Drop-in writes:** Similarities and differences between you and Gerald - (PSHE link) Questions to Gerald and the other animals.

Parallel texts: Little Red Hen Percy the Park Keeper Willy the Champ Silly Billy The Rainbow Fish Elmer Barry the fish with fingers The Ugly Duckling

Learning journey 3 **Text Driver:**



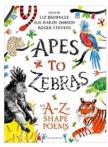
Text type focus:

Descriptive freeform poetry Outcome: Own poems based on winter wonderland photos for

Christmas cards **Drop-in writes:**

Description of a winter scene - captions

Learning journey 3 **Text Driver:**



Text type focus: Poetry -

Outcome: Create their own shape poem based on an African animal.

Drop-in write: Diary entry of one of the animals in the book Parallel texts: Information

Shape Poetry

books on animals

Learning journey 3 Text Driver:



Text type focus: Retelling Outcome: Retelling the story from the troll's POV in the style of 'The Wolf's Story'

Drop-in writes: An apology postcard/letter from the Goats to the Troll (link to Meerkat Mail) Parallel texts:

Little Red Riding Hood Wolves (Emily Gravett) Various traditional and fairy tales as well as alternative versions

Learning journey 3 **Text Driver:**



Brochure/Fact file - Trip to Osborne Beach (non-fiction) Text type focus: Informative Outcome: Brochure/Fact file **Drop-in writes:** Postcard of visit to Osbourne house. Parallel texts: Other texts

about Victorians

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Learning journey 1	Learning journey 1	Learning journey 1	Learning journey 1	Learning journey 1	Learning journey 1
Text Driver: Voices in the	Text Driver: Leon and the	Text Driver: Tadeo Jones	Text Driver: Tell me a	Text Driver: Fox and the	Text Driver: The Street
Park by Anthony Browne	Place Between	27 CK OILV E. WAR	Dragon	Deep Sea Quest and Island	Beneath My Feet
Text type focus: Narrative fiction from different perspectives	Text type focus: Narrative fiction	Text type focus: film clip Outcome: A short narrative of	Text type focus: Poetry	Text type focus: Narrative fiction Outcome: narrative about the Island from Emily's	Text type focus: Narrative non-fiction
Outcome: Character	Outcome: Description of	Tadeo's journey	Outcome: A poem about	perspective but in the style	Outcome: Write own non-
description	the circus scene	Drop-in write: A setting	my own Dragon in the	of Fox.	fiction book about the Isle
Drop-in write: Setting	Drop-in write: Recount	description	style of Jackie Morris	Drop-in write: Non chron	of Wight in the style of 'The
description	Parallel texts:	Parallel texts: Egyptian	Drop-in write: A setting	report about one of the sea	Street Beneath My Feet'
Parallel texts: The		Cinderella	description from one of	creatures	Drop-in write: Recount of a
Misadventures of Frederick	WINIES.		the magical dragon worlds		trip somewhere on the Island
Learning journey 2	State of the state	<u>Learning journey 2</u>	Learning journey 2	Learning journey 2	Parallel texts:
Text Driver: Zoo by Anthony		Text Driver: Cinderella of the	Text Driver:	Text Driver: Orian and the	The Skies Above
ZOO NETRIONE RECORNI		Nile Evertey Malant Under Ella Valley Miles	DRAC 974	Dark	My Eyes The Lost Words Learning journey 2 Text Driver: The lost Words
			Text type focus: Non		ROBERT MACFARLANE JACKIE MORRIS
Text type focus: Narrative		Text type focus: fable	chron on dragons		
Outcome: Recount our trip		Outcome: Retell the story from Rodopis' point of view	Outcome: Information	Text type focus:	W O
to Marwell Zoo.		Drop-in write: Recount our	leaflet on looking after a	Outcome:	Text type focus: Poetry
Drop-in write: A letter		trip to the British museum	dragon	Drop-in write:	Outcome: A poem based on
thanking the zoo for their		Parallel texts: Egyptian	Drop-in write: A poem about your dragon		the unique features of the
trip		Cinderella	Parallel texts: How to		Isle of Wight
Parallel texts: Willy the		Ciriderella	train your dragon and The		Drop-in write: A letter to a
Wizard; Gorilla; Voices in			Incomplete Book of		friend telling them what
the Park; Wild Animals of			Dragons.		they're going to write their
the North			Drugoris.		poem about.
<u>Learning journey 3</u>					F

Text type focus: Narrative Outcome: A letter to a fellow bug to describe what happened to them! Drop-in write: A setting description						
Year 5 and Year 6						

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Learning journey 1 Text Driver: Monkey Symphony (video) Monkey Symphony Text type focus: Video fiction narrative Outcome: Character description, retelling including speech.	Learning journey 1 and 2 Text Driver: The Man Who Walked Between Two Towers Text type focus: Fiction Outcome 1: Narrative retelling Outcome 2: Persuasive argument Drop-in writes: Character description Parallel Text: Queen of the Falls	Learning journey 1 Text Driver: Historium Text type focus: Non- chronological report Outcome: Museum guide Drop-in writes: Poem Parallel Text: Odd and the Frost Giants	Learning journey 1 Text Driver: The 3 Little Pigs advert the whole picture Text type focus: Video Outcome: Character profiles/formal persuasive argument Drop-in writes: Speech Parallel Text: Traditional tales – Philip Pullman	Text type focus: Video fiction narrative Outcome: To write the narrative of the video in the third person Drop-in writes: Letter Parallel Text: Start reading Holes	Text Driver: Holes Text type focus: American fiction with two parallel stories Outcome: Character studies of Stanley & Zero; Setting description; Dialogue; Excerpt of an adventure story; Direct speech narrative Drop-in writes: Character descriptions
Text type focus: Non-fiction Outcome: Acrostic and blackout poetry Parallel texts: The Lost Spells		Learning Journey 2 Text Driver: The Lost Thing; The Tree Text type focus: Fiction Outcome: Memoir; settings Drop-in writes: Retelling/ narrative including speech Parallel Text: Memoirs (Rebel Girls/Malala)	Text Driver: Nature Poetry Text type focus: Poetry Outcome: Nature poems Drop-in writes: Memoir of an animal Parallel Text: A Year Full of Poems; A Year of Nature Poems		Learning journey 2 Text Driver: A Village Guide (local study) Text type focus: Local guides Outcome: A village guide Drop-in writes: Speech Parallel Text: Local guide from 1920