

Elburton Primary School Writing Curriculum – 2024 - 2025

	Poetry/ plays	Non-Fiction	Fiction		Poetry/ plays	Non-Fiction	Fiction		Poetry/ plays	Non-Fiction	Fiction
Year 1	Sentence and word-level work until children are able to access genres at least until ½ term	Personal Recount We are going on a Bear Hunt			<u>Alphabet</u> List Poem (Free verse)	<u>Instructions</u>	<u>Journey Stories</u> The Whale and the Snail		Riddle (Structured form) Animal Riddles	<u>Information Texts</u> <u>Welcome to Alien School</u>	Rags to Riches Tyrannosaurus
Year 2	Acrostic Poem (Free verse)	<u>Information Texts</u> <u>Plymouth Landmarks</u>	Good Over Comes Bad The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark		Poetry The Colour Monster	Letter Aquarium Visit	Losing Tale Stardust		Kenning (Structured form) Zoo Visit - animals	<u>Explanation Text</u> Once Upon a Raindrop	<u>Wishing Story</u> <u>Somebody Swallowed Stanley</u>
Year 3	Poetry Similes (Free verse)	<u>Non-Fiction Instructions</u> Madame Pamplemousses Incredible Edibles	<u>Historical Fiction</u> <u>Finding Tale</u> Stone Age Boy		Plays The Twits by Roald Dahl	Non-Fiction Persuasive Letters – link to saving the forest The Great Kapok Tree	<u>Adventure Stories</u> <u>Tale of Fear</u> <u>Escape from Pompeii</u>		Haikus (Structured form)	Recount-diaries Beach Trip	<u>Myths</u> <u>Conquer the monster</u> <u>Greek Myths</u>
Year 4	Metaphors (Free verse)	<u>Explanation Texts</u>	Modern Fairy Tale Light overcomes Darkness		Plays Charlie and the Chocolate Factory	Argument Link to local issues	<u>Stories from other Cultures</u> <u>Quest</u>		Cinquains (Structured form)	<u>Information Texts</u> <u>Animals</u>	<u>Fantasy Stories</u> <u>Portal Story</u> The BFG
Year 5	List Poem (Structured form) The Magic Box	<u>Recount - Biographies</u>	Mystery Story Warning Tale The Firework Maker's Daughter		Plays Shakespear – A Midsummers Night's Dream	Non-Fiction: Shackleton Persuasion letter	Fairy Tales -re-worked Tale with a twist Spider and the Fly?		Narrative Poem (non-rhyming) (Structured form) Chocolate Cake and other Michael Rosen poems	<u>Information Text</u>	Contemporary Fiction Overcoming adversity Lunar Journey
Year 6	Blackout Poetry (Visual form) World War II	Balanced Arguments	<u>First person Narrative</u> Flash Back		Poetry – The Highwayman	Non-fiction Persuasive Speech	Fiction Journey – overcoming adversity		<u>Narrative - Suspense</u> <u>Cliff hanger</u>	<u>Explanation Texts</u> <u>The Nimbus 2000</u>	Short Writes: Flashback – Beyond the Lines Recount Leavers' Play