MANCHESTER COMMUNICATION PRIMARY ACADEMY

INTENT AND SEQUENCING

Writing Subject Overview

Curriculum



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	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
NEW TOPICS	MARVELLOUS ME	ARCTIC ADVENTURES	SHADOWS IN THE DARK	IT'S A BUG'S LIFE	OCEAN ADVENTURES	CRAZY SCIENTISTS
KEY TEXTS	Key text - Dear Zoo by Rod Campbell Non Fiction Text - Jungles, Safari Animals	Key text - Polar Bear Polar Bear What Do You Hear? By Bill Martin Jr Non Fiction Text - Animals, Weather	Key text - Whatever Next! By Jill Murphy Non Fiction Text - Space	Key text - What the Ladybird Heard by Julia Donaldson Non Fiction Text - Farm, Animals	Key text - Tiddler by Julia Donaldson Non Fiction Text - Tadpoles to Frogs. Ocean Life	Key text - Room on the Broom by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler Non Fiction Text - Instructional Text Refugee Week Text - My Name is Not Refugee
KEY VOCABULARY	Big, small, heavy, tall, fierce, grumpy, scary	Cold, freezing, chilly, frosty, polar bear, orca, seal, snow, ice, iceberg	Journey, rocket, chimney, helmet, owl, bathtime, bear, aeroplane, moon, space boots dripping, clouds, light, dark, shadow	Egg, caterpillar, moon, leaf, sun, butterfly, hungry, apple, strawberry, cocoon, pear, watermelon, cherry pie, ice-cream, salami, pickle, sausage	Wave, water, sand, fish, crab, lobster, starfish, coral, algae, dolphin	Tall, long, grinned, purred, wailed, wildly, searched, wagged, stormy, cried

			RECEPTION			
	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
NEW TOPICS	GETTING TO KNOW YOU	WE'RE IN THE LAND OF MAKE BELIEVE	FANTASTIC BEASTS	SUPERHEROS	BUCKLE UP, WE'RE GOING ON A JOURNEY	AMAZING ANIMALS (X4) TRANSITION (X3)
KEY TEXTS	Key Text: We're Going on a Bear Hunt by Michael Rosen and Helen Oxenbury Poetry: I Look in the Mirror by Helen H. Moore	Key Text: Three little pigs, The Gingerbread man (Ladybird First Fairy Tales) Poetry: The Three Pigs Rap by Sally Gray	Key Text: The Gruffalo by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler Non Fiction Text: Dinosaurs Poetry: Creepy Crawly	Key Text: Little Red Riding Hood Non Fiction Text: People who help us Poetry: If I was a Superhero by Sally Gray	Key Text: The Way Back Home by Oliver Jeffers Non Fiction Texts: Space, Transport, Under the sea Poetry: Planet Roll Call	Key Text: Monkey Puzzle by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler Non Fiction Texts: Animals Poetry: African Animals Refugee Week Text - My Name is Not Refugee
KEY VOCABULARY	Bear, hunt, catch, big, over, under, through, Gloomy ,dark, long , furry ,wet	Three little pigs, house, bricks ,sticks, straw, wolf, huff, puff, blow, Gingerbread man, run, fast,catch, horse, cow, dog,fox,wife, baker	Gruffalo, mouse, snake, owl, fox, terrible, teeth, jaws, knobbly knees Dinosaur names - Tyrannosaurus , velociraptor, spinosaurus, Brachiosaurus	Little Red Riding Hood, wood,forest, wolf, big, teeth, eyes, ears, Grandma, woodcutter, axe, Superhero.	Planets, spaceship, alien, aeroplane, cupboard, petrol, adventure, journey, space, moon, snail, whale octopus, shark, dolphin, fish,star fish,sea horse, coral, bike, truck, digger, tractor, helicopter, train, bus.	Monkey, worried, afraid, lonely, anxious, jungle, naming different animals, polar bear, giraffe, elephant, tiger, leopard, Africa, African
TERMINOLOGY	Finger space, full stop, capita	al letter				

			YEAR 1			
	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
NEW TOPICS	UNDER THE SEA	GREAT FIRE OF LONDON	DINOSAURS	THE ROYAL FAMILY	WHERE WE LIVE	
KEY TEXTS	Fiction – The Rainbow Fish by Marcus Phister Non - Fiction – All things Animal Poetry – Sea Animals by Melsh Goldish and Deep blue Sea Other – The Literacy Shed – Something Fishy Songs, A Hole in the Bottom of the Sea, Under the Sea 'Little Mermaid', Under the sea videos (Youtube)	Fiction – Toby and the Great Fire of London by Margaret Nash (Historical tale) Non- Fiction – History Corner – The Great Fire of London by Jenny Powell Ways into history – The great fire of London by Sally Hewitt Poetry - Diwali by Debjani Chatterjee (Acrostic poem from The Works by Paul Cookson) Other – The Literacy Shed – Pudding Lane	Fiction – The Dinosaur who lost his roar by Russell Punter and Andy Elkerton (Discovery tale) Non- Fiction – Little Kids the first big book of dinosaurs by Catherine D. Hughes (National Geographic Kids) Everything Dinosaurs by Blake Hoena (National Geographic Kids) Poetry – Dinosaur rap by John Foster Other – Youtube – Andy's Dinosaur Adventures CBeebies, Dinosaur songs (story bots), The Dinosaur Song	Fiction – Norman and the Naughty Knight by Smriti Prasadam-Halls Non- Fiction – Knights Survival Guide by Anna Claybourne, See inside Castles by Usborne Flap book Poetry – Granny Can you rap by Jack Ausby Other – The National Anthem	Fiction – Meerkat Mail Non- Fiction – My first Poetry – Home by Nai Other – Up Up Up! We Story bots - Beautiful Fiction - Snail and the Donaldson Refugee Week Text -	: Atlas ncy Vandenberge e All Go Travelling By, world
KEY VOCABULARY	sea, ocean, coral, habitats, fish, mammals, rocks, caves, (name a variety of fish and mammals that live in the sea), marine biologist, scuba diver, dangerous	fire, bakery, mayor, diary, architect, flames, destroy, rapid, extinguished, homeless, escape.	dinosaurs, herbivores, carnivores, extinct, fossil, palaeontologist, prehistoric, evolve.	country, capital city, queen, throne, palace, country, family tree, castle	mountains, rivers, sno postcard, letter, Itchy, gazed, dock, deep, wi wriggle, trail	slithered, sniffed, sighed
OUTCOMES	Fact files List, labels and captions Acrostic poem (sea, ocean etc)	Wanted poster Poem Story writing – Ending	Instructions (how to make fossils) Poem Complete Story	Character description Write a verse for your own poem Fact file about a Royal	Postcard Poem Complete story (Journ SPaG focus	ney story)
TERMINOLOGY		Sentence, Full stops, Capital lett Exclamation mark, Speech bubl	: er. ble, Bullet points, Singular, Plural, Adjective	e, Verbs, Nouns, Conjunction,	Alliteration, Simile – 'as'.	Prefixes, suffixes.

			YEAR 2			
	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
NEW TOPICS	PIRATES	GUNPOWDER PLOT	ON SAFARI	MAGNIFICENT MANCUNIANS	OH I DO LIKE TO BE BESIDE THE SEASIDE	STORIES FROM AROUND THE WORLD
KEY TEXTS	Fiction – The Pirates next door by Jonny Duddle (Meeting tale) Non- Fiction – DK find out! Pirates , See Inside Pirate Ships – Usborne flap book Poetry – I wish I was a Pirate by Tony Bradman (From The Works KS1)	Fiction – Mr Fawkes, The King and the Gunpowder Plot by Tom and Tony Bradman (Historical tale) Non- Fiction – History Makers Guy Fawkes Poetry – Remember, Remember the 5th of November	Fiction – Flat Stanley: The African Safari by S. Pennypacker (Discovery tale) Non- Fiction – Kingfisher Safari African Safari, DK Animal Atlas Poetry – Recipe to make a wolf by Pie Corbett Other – Literacy Shed – Catch it, Youtube - Come explore Africa with Lonely Planet Kids	Non- Fiction – Little People, Big Dreams: Emmeline Pankhurst by Lisbeth Kaiser Other – Youtube - Suffragette songs, Book Week texts	Fiction - At the Beach by Roland Harvey and Go, Mo, Go! Seaside Sprint by Mo Farah Non-Fiction - Seashore by Izzi Howell Poetry - The Seaside by Jo Peters (from The Works by Paul Cookson) Other - Literacy Shed: The Ugly Sharkling	Baba Yaga: Russian Anansi: the Spider African The Well: Somalian The Boy who cried Wolf: Aesop Refugee Week Text - The Journey by Francesca Sanna
KEY VOCABULARY	pirate, robbery, captain, island, coast, marine, beach, commit, crime, famous.	gunpowder, plot, Catholic, religion, parliament, treason, conspiracy, law, barrel, imprisoned.	savannah, rainforest, safari, pyramid, flag, monument, mountain, country, lake, desert.	suffragette, mathematician, screenwriter, director, vote, protest, government, artist, cricketer, director.	seaside, coast, pier, beach, lighthouse, resort, tide, beach, marine, seagulls.	Well, abundant,
OUTCOMES	Setting description Character description Poem	Wanted poster Non- chronological report Poem	Recount – Flying over the Savannah Story (middle & end)	Descriptive writing Diary entry Non chronological report	Diary entry Complete story Poem	S&L and SPaG focus
TERMINOLOGY	noun, noun phrase, stateme	nt, question, exclamation, com	mand, compound, suffix, adjec	tive, adverb, verb, tense (past,	present) apostrophe, comma	

			YEAR 3						
	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2			
NEW TOPICS	ANCIENT EGYPT	NATURAL DISASTERS	ROMANS IN BRITAIN	TUDORS	CONTRASTING SETTLEMENTS	INVENTORS			
KEY TEXTS	Fiction – Flat Stanley: The Great Egyptian Grave Robbery by S. Pennypacker Non-fiction – Everything: Ancient Egypt by National Geographic Kids, DKfindout! Ancient Egypt, Ancient Egypt (DK Eyewitness) Other - literacyshed./ theegyptian- pyramids and onceuponapicture./ - The Tomb of the Emerald Snake	Fiction – Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit (Warning tale) Non- Fiction – Earthquakes and Volcanoes by Templar Publishing , 100 facts – Volcanoes by Miles Kelly Poetry – Natural Disasters by Bscribbler, The Flood by Jeisworth Other – Wizard of Oz clips (film), Lava song from 'Lava', Volcano by Jimmy Biffet (song) website: onceuponapicture. co.uk/ - Tornado	Fiction – Romans on the Rampage by Jeremy Strong (Portal tale), Romulus and Remus (myths) Non- Fiction – The Roman Record by Paul Dowswell, 100 facts - Roman Britain by Miles Kelly Poetry – Boudicca Warrior Queen by Jon Bratton and Paul Perro Other – Dumspiro - Literacy shed, Myths and legends shed - Literacy shed, Boudicca's song (song), Horrible Histories (film)	Fiction – Horrible Histories The Terrifying Tudors by Terry Deary Non-Fiction – Tudor books Poems – Shakespeare poems	Fiction – The Butterfly Lion by Michael Morpurgo (Lost and found tale) Non- Fiction – DK Children's Illustrated Animal Atlas Poetry – Macavity: The Mystery Cat by T.S. Eliot Other – The Jungle book, Literacy shed – Catch it – meerkats/ vultures/Africa	Fiction – The Iron Man by Ted Hughes (Monster tale) and Izzy Gizmo and the Invention Convention Non- Fiction – Inventions – DK Children's Encyclopaedia Poetry – The scrapyard rap, The Coming of the Iron Man by Brenda Williams Other – The Iron Giant Refugee Week Text - The Colour of Home by Mary Hoffman			
KEY VOCABULARY	afterlife, Pharaoh, Egypt, ancient, dynasty, mummification, Tutenkhamun, Sarcophagus	avalanche, earthquake, landslide, flood, sinkhole, tsunami, volcanic, erupt, bedrock, crust, epicentre, seismic, shockwaves	aqueduct, amphitheatre, barbarian, emperor, citizen, Britannia, empire, slavery, culture, invasion, revolt.	Elizabethan, Bosworth, Tudor, Shakespeare globe, wives, reign, monarch(y), gallows, treason.	rural, population, village, city, built-up, fossil, metamorphic, igneous, sedimentary, volcanic, molten, lava, magma	scientist, engineer, inventor, force, repel, attract, gravity, discover, broadcast, program			
OUTCOMES	Non-fiction report Reply to letter from Stanley Diary entry	Story (ending) Diary entry News report Poem	Non-chronological report Poem Story opening (battle scene - action/ descriptive opening	Diary entry as Queen Anne Boleyn Poem Playscript	Persuasive piece Complete story (lost and found tale)	SPaG focus			
TERMINOLOGY	preposition, conjunction, wor	preposition, conjunction, word family, prefix, clause, subordinate clause, direct speech, consonant, vowel, letter, inverted commas (or 'speech marks')							

	YEAR 4								
	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2			
NEW TOPICS	MEDICINE THROUGH- OUT HISTORY	VIKINGS	POLLUTION	EXTREME WEATHER	MANCHESTER, SO MUCH TO ANSWER FOR.	DRAGONS			
KEY TEXTS	Fiction – George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl (Warning tale) Non- Fiction – Information books on the NHS Other – Youtube - Play of George's Marvellous Medicine	Fiction – Viking at School by Jeremy Strong (Journey tale) Non- Fiction – How to live like a Viking Warrior by Anita Ganeri, Exploring British History - Vikings by Susan Harrison, 100 Facts – Vikings by Miles Kelly. Poetry – Wars of Vikings (poemhunter.com), The Longboats story (TES.com) Other – Literacy Shed – Jotoun	Fiction – Stig of the Dump by Clive King Non- Fiction – DK Ocean a Children's Encyclopaedia, DK The Sea Book by Charlotte Milner Poetry – The Stream Where I Played by Kelly Roper, The Oceans and The Seas (hellopoetry.com), The Recycling Rap (Poetry Chest) Other – The Thing in the Sewer - onceuponapicture. co.uk/ David Attenborough videos on pollution, Netflix – A plastic ocean	Fiction - The Nightmare Man by Pie Corbett (Tale of suspense), Come on Rain by Karen Hesse Non-Fiction - texts on extreme weather Poetry - Storm by David Windle, Storm At Sea By Amar Qamar Other - Rescue from the Storm / Windy Day onceuponapicture. co.uk Youtube clips of extreme weather	Fiction –The Boy at the Back of the Class by Onjali Rauf (Journey tale) Non- Fiction – Children's History of Manchester by Tracy J Holroyd. Poetry – This is the place by Tony Walsh Other – visitmanchester. com www. onceuponapicture. co.uk - Alone	Fiction – How to train your dragon by Cressida Cowell Other onceuponapicture. co.uk - Best Friends Refugee Week Text - The Day The War Came by Nicola Davies			
KEY VOCABULARY	infection, medicine, diagnosis, examine, numb, paralyse, patient, anaesthetic, immune, physician, inventor, surgeon, syringe	conquer, invasion, chieftain, monastery, oar, longship, village, inhabited, defeat, peace, raid, plunder	pollution, source, poisonous, occur, harmful, effects, result, annoying, deterioration, destruction, misuse, resources, connect, railway, construction, global, route.	Tropical, conditions, climate, tornado, flash flood, hurricane, drought, blizzard heatwave, atmosphere, tropics, tropical humid, intense, destructive, climate change	Unique, industrial, city, urban, rural, immigration, migration, population, culture, tolerance, environment, settlement, location	Mythology, mythological, serpent, folklore, heroism			
OUTCOMES	Instructions Diary entry Character description	Non-chronological report on pollution Blackout poem Letter	Newspaper report Complete story	Letter Diary entry Story opening (descriptive/action)	Complete story				
TERMINOLOGY		conjunction word family, prefix un, possessive, pronoun, adver		speech consonant, consonant letter	vowel, vowel letter, inverted co	ommas (or 'speech marks')			

			YEAR 5			
	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
NEW TOPICS	INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION / VICTORIAN BRITAIN	CHARLES DICKENS / VICTORIAN BRITAIN	THE BRITISH ISLES / ISLANDS	MOUNTAINS AND RIV- ERS/ ISLANDS	GREECE / ANCIENT GREECE	GREEK MYTHOLOGY / TRANSITION (I AM MALALA)
KEY TEXTS	Fiction - Street Child by Berlie Doherty (Journey tale) Non-fiction - Workhouse Life text; Victorian Slums text; An Introduction to the Industrial Revolution by Readworks. Poetry - The Tyger by William Blake	Fiction - A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens (Character flaw tale) Non-fiction - Literary Lives: Charles Dickens by Twinkl. Poetry - Giant Winter by John Foster	Fiction - Five go to Treasure Island by Enid Blyton (Adventure tale) Non-fiction - Information texts on The British Isles . Poetry - This Sceptered Isle by William Shakespeare	Fiction - Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo (Journey tale) Non-fiction – Atlas. Poetry - Stream School by Peter Vacz	Fiction - A Variety of Greek myths (Monster tale) Adesus and Cyslops, Herius and Medusa, King Midas and the Golden Touch, Pandora's Box, The Wooden Horse of Troy Non-fiction - Greek Gods information books Poetry - Jabberwocky by Lewis Carroll	Greek Myths and Ancient Greece, Adesus and Cyclops, Herius and Medusa, King Midas and the Golden Touch, Pandora's Box, The Wooden Horse of Troy Poetry Refugee Week Text - Malala's Magic Pencil by Malala Yousafzai
KEY VOCABULARY	industrial, urban, rural, population, invention, cholera, factory, goods, machine, compulsory, homeless, poverty	author, social, commentator, lauded, classic, influential, 19th century, lauded, stark, era, society, orphan, imprisoned, novel.	archipelago, ocean, continent, capital city, coast, consists, Great Britain, United Kingdom, island, government, located	island, archipelago, formation, continent, glacier, volcanic, ice age, continental shelf, coral, flood, created, erupt.	myth, courageous, deity, interfere, hero, immortal, origin, victorious.	myth, courageous, deity, interfere, hero, immortal, origin, victorious.
OUTCOMES	Character description Diary Non-chronological report	Newspaper report Letter Biography – Charles Dickens	Non-chronological report on The British Isles Story (middle and end)	Complete story Persuasive piece	Writing a myth Blackout poem Newspaper report	Playscripts
TERMINOLOGY		noun, possessive pronoun, adv ronoun, relative clause, parent		ambiguity		

			YEAR 6			
	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
NEW TOPICS	POWER AND GOVERMENT / MACBETH	CRIME AND PUNISH- MENT / POWER AND GOVERNMENT	WW2 / WARTIME IN BRITAIN	WW2 / WARTIME ABROAD	RAINFORESTS	TRANSITION
KEY TEXTS	Fiction - Macbeth by William Shakespeare Non Fiction - Texts on William Shakespeare Poetry - Fire burn and cauldron bubble by William Shakespeare	Fiction – Holes by Louis Sachar Non Fiction -Texts on Dick Turpin Poetry - Funeral Blues by W H Auden	Fiction – Letters from the Lighthouse by Emma Carroll. Non Fiction - Information texts on WW2 Poetry - The Second World War by Elizabeth Jennings	Fiction - The Silver Sword by Ian Serraillier Non Fiction - Information texts on WW2 Poetry - I never raised my boy- Traditional	Fiction – The Explorer by Catherine Rondall Non Fiction - Information texts on Rainforests	Fiction – The Explorer by Catherine Rondall Refugee Week Text - The Journey by Francesca Sanna
KEY VOCABULARY	ambition, betrayal, corruption, fate, bard regarded, manipulative, superstition, throne supernatural, traitor, usurp, execution, spurred, flee, dramatist, prophecy, consumed.	government, parliament, democracy, dictatorship, president, monarch, prime minister, monarchy, republic.	allies, blackout, blitz, ration, evacuee, invasion, occur, battle, declare	blitzkrieg, surrender, political, concentration camp, holocaust, suicide, dictator	Biome, understorey, emergent layer, deforestation, biodiversity,	Biome, understorey, emergent layer, deforestation, biodiversity,
OUTCOMES	Diary entry A personal recount letter from Macbeth to his wife, explaining the events in Act 1 Scene 3 News Report Shakespeare Biography	Brochure Letter Biography on Dick Turpin	Mystery story Instructions Letter Poem (ABCB poems)	Biased news report Flashback story Diary Report on the Holocaust Poem (Haikus)	Letter Non-chron report Diary	nstructions Narrative - write the next part of the story Persuasive letter to the Brazillian Government
TERMINOLOGY		tive pronoun, relative clause, p passive synonym, antonym el				