YEAR 5 writing units – progression map

		Aut	umn 1	Autumn 2		
	Literary Leaf Text	The Good Thieves By Katherine Rundell THE GOOD THE EVES	Hidden Figures: Young Reader's edition Margot Lee Shetterly HIDDEN FIGURES	Cogheart Peter Bunzi	Who Let the Gods Out By Maz Evans	
Author focus this term	Writing Root (Unit)	The Man Who Walked Between the Towers By Mordical Gerstein	Hidden Figures By Margot Lee Shetterly	The Tempest William Shakespeare	The Odyssey By Gillian Cross	
	Outcomes Narrative Non-fiction	Fact files Journalistic writing Setting descriptions Letters of advice Persuasive speeches	Non-chronological reports Job adverts Formal persuasive letters Informal letters Diary entries Character descriptions Opinion pieces	Setting descriptions Character descriptions / comparisons Diary entries Dialogue	Speeches Diary entries Dialogue Missing scenes Postcards Advertisements	
	Main Outcome Audience/ Form	Fact file about twin towers Letter of advice to Philippe Diary entry as Philippe Interview transcript Persuasive speech to a judge Biography of Philippe Petit	Report about NASA Recruitment advert for NACA or NASA Formal letter to the judge Letter from Katherine to her daughters Diary entry of Dorothy Vaughan Opinion piece about women's achievements Non-chronological report about the women from 'Hidden Figures'	Playscript Informal letter describing a setting Character descriptions Diary entry of the tempest Missing play scene Character comparisons Desert island playscript	Oral proclamation to begin the Odyssey Persuasive speech of a lotus eater Soliloquy in role as Odysseus Diary entry as Odysseus Conversation between Odysseus and Circe Postcard to Penelope Advert for a Greek monster Epic adventure based on The Odyssey	
Grammar	Purpose Word	Inform Persuade Reflect Recount -ing words as adjectives	Inform Persuade Reflect Discuss Recount -er, -ologist, -cian, -ist suffixes	Describe Reflect Entertain converting verbs into adjectives / nouns	Persuade Reflect Entertain Inform converting nouns to adjectives with	
coverage		figurative language	un- / in- prefixes most / -est superlatives *		-ful / -less / -ness suffixes most / -est superlatives *	

(these may be taught multiple times throughout the sequence) * indicates coverage from a different year group	Sentence	modal verbs conjunctions to explain * range of sentence types * multi-clause sentences order of clauses expanded noun phrases * relative clauses formal adverbials of time and place	conjunctions to link ideas * range of sentence types * abstract noun phrases subjunctive form * conditional sentences – if * fronted adverbials	relative clauses range of relative pronouns / omitted relative pronouns adverbial phrases of manner * modal verbs multi-clause sentences conjunctions to extend ideas *	modal verbs expanded noun phrases * adverbs to indicate degrees of possibility range of sentence types * multi-clause sentences adverbs / adverbial phrases relative clauses relative pronouns / omitted pronouns
	Punctuation	sentence ending punctuation * apostrophes for contraction * use of colons dialogue punctuation *	sentence ending punctuation * apostrophes for contraction * bullet points to list information * parenthesis	parenthesis punctuation use of colons	dialogue punctuation * commas / semi-colons to avoid ambiguity commas to avoid ambiguity parenthesis
	Text	subheadings * pronouns to avoid repetition * present perfect tense * tense choice for cohesion paragraphs to organise around a theme *	subheadings * paragraphs to organise around a theme * adverbials of time for cohesion	present perfect tense * adverbials to link ideas	range of tenses - present progressive / past perfect * authorial devices for cohesion future tense adverbial phrases to advance action

		Sprir	ng 1	Spring 2		
	Literary Leaf Text	Me, My Dad and the End of the Rainbow By Benjamin Dean	Bright Stars of Black British History BY JT Williams	When the Stars Come Out By Nicola Edwards	The Listeners By Walter de la Mare	
Author focus this term	Writing Root Unit	The Lost Thing By Sean Tan	The Island By Armin Greder	The Whale By Ethan and Vita Murrow	Beowulf By Michael Morpurgo	
	Outcomes	Diary entries	Welcome guides	Reported speech	Letters of advice	
		Formal letters	Descriptions	Speech and thought bubbles	Diary entries	
	Narrative	Explanations	Letters of advice	Description	Dialogue	
	Non-fiction	Adverts	Analysis	Recount in role	Character descriptions	
		Character descriptions	Comparisons	Letter to newspaper editor	Setting descriptions	
		Setting descriptions	Diary entries		Actions scenes	
		Non-chronological reports	Imagined conversations		Obituaries	
	Main	Own version narrative	Narrative sequel	Film pitch	Own version legend	
	Outcome					
	Audience/	 Diary entry of the boy 	 Welcome guide for a new 	 Reported speech for newspaper 	 Letter of advice to the king 	
	Form	Formal letter of advice	arrival	article	Heroic speech by Beowulf	
		 Explanation of how to look 			 Descriptive fight scene 	

		 after a lost thing Advert for the Department of Odds and Ends Lost & found tags Own version fantasy Narrative based on original story 	 Description of 'normal' island life Letter of advice to the fisherman Text analysis Diary entry of the man Conversation between Andrew and the man Narrative sequel from an alternative perspective 	 Thought and speech bubbles in role Description of sighting the whale Recount of whale sighting in role Response letter to newspaper editor Film pitch for The Whale 	 Recount in role as Hrothgar Description of a party Obituary for Beowulf Legend based on Beowulf
	Purpose	Reflect Persuade Inform Explain Entertain	Inform Describe Persuade Discuss Reflect Entertain	Recount Reflect Describe Inform	Persuade Describe Recount Reflect Entertain
Grammar coverage (these may be taught	Word	synonyms / antonyms for effect * shifts in formality *	idioms	synonyms for effect * precise verb choices	alliteration -ful / -less suffix * superlatives dis- / de- / mis- / over- / re- prefixes idioms
multiple times throughout the sequence) * indicates coverage from a different year group	Sentence	multi-clause sentences order of clauses subordinating conjunctions subjunctive form * modal verbs range of sentence types * relative clauses / pronouns noun phrases expanded with prepositions*	modal verbs difference between formal / informal structures * question tags * passive voice * subjunctive form * subordinating clauses / conjunctions expanded noun phrases *	multi-clause sentences modal verbs subordinating conjunctions expanded noun phrases * adverbs / adverbial phrases * relative clauses	modal verbs subjunctive form * relative clauses abstract noun phrases sentence order adverbial / prepositional phrases *
	Punctuation	sentence ending punctuation * parenthesis	commas for clarity dialogue punctuation *	commas for clarity parenthesis punctuation	use of hyphens dialogue punctuation *
	Text	paragraphs to organise around a theme * past progressive tense *	present perfect * dialogue to advance action cohesive devices consistency of tense for cohesion	short sentences consistent present tense cohesion between paragraphs	tense choice for cohesion

	Summer 1			Summer 2			
af Text	The Story of Titanic for Children Joe Fullman	TITANIC	When Hitler Stole Pink Rabbit Judith Kerr	When Hitler Stotle Pink Rabbit	Overhead in a Tower Block By Joseph Coehlo	Overheard in a Tower Block Blo	Real-life Mysteries By Susan Martineau and Vicky Barker

	Writing Root Unit	Children of the Benin Kingdom By Dina Orji	Alte Zachen By Ziggy Hanaor	High Rise Mystery By Sharna Jackson	Curiosity By Markus Motum
	Outcomes Narrative Non-fiction	Informal letter Contrasting diary entries Survival guides Eyewitness reports Summaries	Character descriptions Flashbacks Diary entries Short autobiographies	Character descriptions Police reports Setting descriptions Newspaper articles Dialogue Persuasive letters	Proposals to NASA Information labels Short explanations NASA logs News report
	Main Outcome Audience/ Form	Non-chronological report Letter from Papa Eze to Ada Contrasting diaries of Mama Ginika / children Jungle survival guide Eyewitness report to the Chief Summary of a section of story Non-chronological report about the Benin Kingdom	Analytical essay Character analysis of Bubbe Flashback in role as Bubbe Diary entry in role as Bubbe Thought bubbles for Benji and Bubbe Autobiography as Bubbe Analytical essay about learning from older generations	Character descriptions Diary entry as Nik or Norva Murder investigation manual Description of a police cordon Article for Cloud News Letter to the police Extended detective narrative	Proposal to NASA for a new Mars rover Labels for Curiosity diagram Explanation of Curiosity's launch NASA log of Mars landing News report for Mars landing Expanded explanation of a new Mars rover
	Purpose	Reflect Inform Recount	Describe Discuss Reflect Recount Discuss	Describe Reflect Recount Inform Persuade	Inform Explain Recount
Grammar coverage	Word	synonyms / antonyms formal vocabulary	synonyms / antonyms for contrast dis-/ mis- prefix *	technical vocabulary figurative language	differences in formality of language -er / -or suffix
(these may be taught multiple times throughout the sequence) * indicates coverage	Sentence	modal verbs contrasting conjunctions * multi-clause sentences order of clauses relative clauses / pronouns passive voice *	modal verbs + contractions question tags * noun phrases expanded with prepositions * conjunctions to justify * adverbial phrases * sentence order exclamatory sentences * range of sentence types *	modal verbs conjunctions to justify * order of clauses passive voice * command sentences * adverbial phrases * relative clauses subjunctive form * fronted adverbials *	modal verbs multi-clause sentences relative clauses adverbial phrases * sentence order passive voice * expanded noun phrases
from a different year group	Punctuation	apostrophes for contractions * dashes for parenthesis use of single dash bullet points to list information *	apostrophes for contractions * use of hyphens dashes for parenthesis	parenthesis punctuation dialogue punctuation *	commas for clauses use of single dash
	Text	future tense adverbial phrases to link ideas paragraphs to organise around a theme *	cohesive devices - tense choice, adverbs /adverbial phrases, pronouns	short sentences formal speech vocabulary tense choice for cohesion	progressive verb forms * adverbials for cohesion

subheadings *	subheadings *		
	paragraph structure		