



Writing Curriculum Overview 2026 - 2027

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	See Nursery Long Term Plan	See Nursery Long Term Plan	See Nursery Long Term Plan	See Nursery Long Term Plan	See Nursery Long Term Plan	See Nursery Long Term Plan
Puffins (R)	Drawing Club What happens in Autumn? (finger space, full stops)	Drawing Club Why do we celebrate? (common and proper nouns)	Drawing Club What is it like in frozen lands? (formal introduction to adjectives)	Drawing Club Where do we live? (verbs -ing, er, ed, est)	Drawing Club How does your garden grow? (two single clauses joined by conjunction -and un prefix)	Drawing Club What happens beneath the waves? Short narratives (exclamations and question marks)
Kittiwake (Yr 1/2)	PVPG (Place Value, Punctuation and Grammar) Sentence building Unit- Me and my dragon	Non-Chronological Report Marvellous Minibeasts Poetry Fire of London	Recount Diary – Charles Darwin Character description Have you seen this wolf?	Persuasive Write - Advert - Join our pirate crew! Instructions - How to be a mighty explorer.	Explanation- How do butterflies change? Narrative- Three Little Pigs	Setting description- Robin Hood's forest Plot weave- The search for Robin Hood.



Oystercatcher (Yr 3/4)	PVPG (Place Value, Punctuation and Grammar)	Non-Chronological Report - Pre historic Park Setting description- Anywhere arcade	Recount – letter- Beowulf Characterising Speech- Egyptian Cinderella	Plot Weave- Wonka world Instructions- How to raid an Anglo- Saxon settlement	Explanation text- How does the digestive system work? Persuasive advert- Visit your locality	Narrative- Land of whale songs Poetry- Animal poetry
Cormorant (Yr 4/5)	PVPG (Place Value, Punctuation and Grammar)	Non chronological report- Dragons Setting description- Jungles/rainforest	Diary- Surviving on a desert island Characterising Speech- Alma vs the dressmaker	Plot weave- Pandora Into the Plains of Goliath Instructions- How to slay a legendary beast	Explanation text- How do bees make honey? Persuasive advert- Come to the space hotel	Narrative- Robin Hood 8 ½ Poetry- Personal poetry
Curlew (Yr 5/6)	PVPG (Place Value, Punctuation and Grammar) Setting Description- Whitby Abbey	Non-Chronological Report – Bandits, outlaws and pirates Recount- letter- Evacuee's letter	Characterising Speech- Rock, paper, scissors Narrative- Dark fairy tale	Instructions- How to survive an alien invasion Explanation Text	Persuasive advert- Visit California	Narrative- Danger at the lighthouse Poetry- Personal poetry

