

Year 6 English Long Term Plan

| | Autumn 1 7 weeks | Autumn 2 7 weeks | |
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| Curriculum Areas | Great Britain – World War Two The Circulatory System | Survival – Evolution and Adaptation World Trade | |
| CLPE Texts | Goodnight Mister Tom (5 weeks) | Ice Trap (3 weeks) | The Highwayman (3 weeks) |
| Writing Outcomes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Debate writing • Drawing and annotating • Letter writing • Thought, feeling and speech bubbles • Poetry • Role on the Wall / Double Bubble • Diary entries • Postcards • Story maps • Questions for hot-seating • Newspaper writing • Book reviews | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drawing and annotating • Note writing in role as characters • Reading journals • Text marking • Story mapping • Role play • Character description • List poetry • Letter writing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Likes, dislikes, puzzles and patterns • Drawing and annotating • Storyboards • Research • Questions for hot-seating • Narratives • Poetry |
| Grammar Focus | Revision of objectives Year 1 - 3: See below for all objectives – after assessment identify key objectives for revision. | Revision of objectives Year 4 - 5: See below for all objectives – after assessment identify key objectives for revision. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How words are related by meaning as synonyms and antonyms • Use of the semi-colon, colon and dash to mark the boundary between independent clauses • Use of the colon to introduce a list and use of semi-colons within a list |

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| | Spring 1 5 weeks | Spring 2 6 weeks |
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| Curriculum Areas | Heroes and Villains Classification | The Wonders of the World Light |
| CLPE Texts | Macbeth 4 weeks | The London Eye Mystery 6 weeks |
| Writing Outcomes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letter writing • Writing and performing poetry • Note writing for report • Advertising posters • Recounts • Tickets • Play scripts • Invitations • Prophecies • Reviews | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diary/journal entries • Persuasive speech • Explanatory booklet • Police report • Free verse poetry • Formal letter • Newspaper report • Television news speech • Restricted form poetry: Nonet and Haiku • Advertisement • Poetry – Iambic Pentameter / Sonnet • Narrative |
| Grammar Focus | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The difference between vocabulary typical of informal speech and vocabulary appropriate for formal speech and writing • The difference between structures typical of informal speech and structures appropriate for formal speech and writing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Link ideas across paragraphs using a wider range of cohesive devices, including adverbials and ellipsis • Use of the passive to affect the presentation in a sentence. |

| | Summer 1 6 weeks | Summer 2 6 weeks |
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| Curriculum Areas | The Tudors Electricity | Coasts Famous Scientists |
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| CLPE Texts | Suffragette: The Battle for Equality 6 weeks | The Journey 5 weeks |
| Writing Outcomes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tell Me’ book talk responses • Reading Journal • Research notes and mind maps • Timeline • Pen portraits • Biographies • Speeches • Persuasive letters and responses • Prison letters and accounts • Petition • Eyewitness accounts • Newspaper report – with bias • Banners and slogans • Posters, flyers and pamphlets • Flags, badges and sashes • Song lyrics for an anthem • Persuasive text of choice: letter, poster, blog, petition, film script | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annotations • Text marking • Note taking • Captions • Poetry • Writing in role • Persuasive letter • Book/booklet/leaflet • Collection of short stories • Class newspaper • Documentary script • Lyrics • Argument • Emotive letter • Extension to narrative |
| Grammar Focus | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Layout devices • Punctuation of bullet points to list information • How hyphens can be used to avoid ambiguity | Revision of Year 6 grammar objectives. See below for all objectives – after assessment identify key objectives for revision. |

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| Year 1: Detail of content to be introduced (statutory requirement) | |
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| Word | Regular plural noun suffixes –s or –es [for example, <i>dog, dogs; wish, wishes</i>], including the effects of these suffixes on the meaning of the noun Suffixes that can be added to verbs where no change is needed in the spelling of root words (e.g. <i>helping, helped, helper</i>) How the prefix un– changes the meaning of verbs and adjectives [negation, for example, <i>unkind</i> , or <i>undoing: untie the boat</i>] |
| Sentence | How words can combine to make sentences Joining words and joining clauses using <i>and</i> |
| Text | Sequencing sentences to form short narratives |
| Punctuation | Separation of words with spaces Introduction to capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks to demarcate sentences Capital letters for names and for the personal pronoun I |
| Terminology for pupils | letter, capital letter word, singular, plural sentence punctuation, full stop, question mark, exclamation mark |

| Year 2: Detail of content to be introduced (statutory requirement) | |
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| Word | Formation of nouns using suffixes such as <i>–ness, –er</i> and by compounding [for example, <i>whiteboard, superman</i>] Formation of adjectives using suffixes such as <i>–ful, –less</i> (A fuller list of suffixes can be found in the year 2 spelling section in English Appendix 1) Use of the suffixes <i>–er, –est</i> in adjectives and the use of <i>–ly</i> in Standard English to turn adjectives into adverbs |
| Sentence | Subordination (using <i>when, if, that, because</i>) and co-ordination (using <i>or, and, but</i>) Expanded noun phrases for description and specification [for example, <i>the blue butterfly, plain flour, the man in the moon</i>] How the grammatical patterns in a sentence indicate its function as a statement, question, exclamation or command |
| Text | Correct choice and consistent use of present tense and past tense throughout writing Use of the progressive form of verbs in the present and past tense to mark actions in progress [for example, <i>she is drumming, he was shouting</i>] |
| Punctuation | Use of capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks to demarcate sentences Commas to separate items in a list Apostrophes to mark where letters are missing in spelling and to mark singular possession in nouns [for example, <i>the girl's name</i>] |
| Terminology for pupils | noun, noun phrase statement, question, exclamation, command compound, suffix adjective, adverb, verb tense (past, present) apostrophe, comma |

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| Year 3: Detail of content to be introduced (statutory requirement) | |
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| Word | Formation of nouns using a range of prefixes [for example <i>super-</i> , <i>anti-</i> , <i>auto-</i>] Use of the forms <i>a</i> or <i>an</i> according to whether the next word begins with a consonant or a vowel [for example, <i>a</i> rock, <i>an</i> open box] Word families based on common words , showing how words are related in form and meaning [for example, <i>solve</i> , <i>solution</i> , <i>solver</i> , <i>dissolve</i> , <i>insoluble</i>] |
| Sentence | Expressing time, place and cause using conjunctions [for example, <i>when</i> , <i>before</i> , <i>after</i> , <i>while</i> , <i>so</i> , <i>because</i>], adverbs [for example, <i>then</i> , <i>next</i> , <i>soon</i> , <i>therefore</i>], or prepositions [for example, <i>before</i> , <i>after</i> , <i>during</i> , <i>in</i> , <i>because of</i>] |
| Text | Introduction to paragraphs as a way to group related material Headings and sub-headings to aid presentation Use of the present perfect form of verbs instead of the simple past [for example, <i>He has gone out to play</i> contrasted with <i>He went out to play</i>] |
| Punctuation | Introduction to inverted commas to punctuate direct speech |
| Terminology for pupils | preposition, conjunction word family, prefix clause, subordinate clause direct speech consonant, consonant letter vowel, vowel letter inverted commas (or 'speech marks') |

| Year 4: Detail of content to be introduced (statutory requirement) | |
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| Word | The grammatical difference between plural and possessive –s Standard English forms for verb inflections instead of local spoken forms [for example, <i>we were</i> instead of <i>we was</i> , or <i>I did</i> instead of <i>I done</i>] |
| Sentence | Noun phrases expanded by the addition of modifying adjectives, nouns and preposition phrases (e.g. <i>the teacher</i> expanded to: <i>the strict maths teacher with curly hair</i>) Fronted adverbials [for example, <i>Later that day</i> , <i>I heard the bad news.</i>] |
| Text | Use of paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme Appropriate choice of pronoun or noun within and across sentences to aid cohesion and avoid repetition |
| Punctuation | Use of inverted commas and other punctuation to indicate direct speech [for example, a comma after the reporting clause; end punctuation within inverted commas: <i>The conductor shouted, "Sit down!"</i>] Apostrophes to mark plural possession [for example, <i>the girl's name</i> , <i>the girls' names</i>] Use of commas after fronted adverbials |
| Terminology for pupils | determiner pronoun, possessive pronoun adverbial |

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| Year 5: Detail of content to be introduced (statutory requirement) | |
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| Word | <p>Converting nouns or adjectives into verbs using suffixes [for example, <i>-ate</i>; <i>-ise</i>; <i>-ify</i>]</p> <p>Verb prefixes [for example, <i>dis-</i>, <i>de-</i>, <i>mis-</i>, <i>over-</i> and <i>re-</i>]</p> |
| Sentence | <p>Relative clauses beginning with <i>who</i>, <i>which</i>, <i>where</i>, <i>when</i>, <i>whose</i>, <i>that</i>, or an omitted relative pronoun</p> <p>Indicating degrees of possibility using adverbs [for example, <i>perhaps</i>, <i>surely</i>] or modal verbs [for example, <i>might</i>, <i>should</i>, <i>will</i>, <i>must</i>]</p> |
| Text | <p>Devices to build cohesion within a paragraph [for example, <i>then</i>, <i>after that</i>, <i>this</i>, <i>firstly</i>]</p> <p>Linking ideas across paragraphs using adverbials of time [for example, <i>later</i>], place [for example, <i>nearby</i>] and number [for example, <i>secondly</i>] or tense choices [for example, he <i>had</i> seen her before]</p> |
| Punctuation | <p>Brackets, dashes or commas to indicate parenthesis</p> <p>Use of commas to clarify meaning or avoid ambiguity</p> |
| Terminology for pupils | <p>modal verb, relative pronoun</p> <p>relative clause</p> <p>parenthesis, bracket, dash</p> <p>cohesion, ambiguity</p> |

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| Word | <p>The difference between vocabulary typical of informal speech and vocabulary appropriate for formal speech and writing [for example, <i>find out</i> – <i>discover</i>; <i>ask for</i> – <i>request</i>; <i>go in</i> – <i>enter</i>]</p> <p>How words are related by meaning as synonyms and antonyms [for example, <i>big</i>, <i>large</i>, <i>little</i>].</p> |
| Sentence | <p>Use of the passive to affect the presentation of information in a sentence [for example, <i>I broke the window in the greenhouse</i> versus <i>The window in the greenhouse was broken (by me)</i>].</p> <p>The difference between structures typical of informal speech and structures appropriate for formal speech and writing [for example, the use of question tags: <i>He's your friend, isn't he?</i>, or the use of subjunctive forms such as <i>If I <u>were</u></i> or <i><u>Were they</u> to come</i> in some very formal writing and speech]</p> |

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| Text | <p>Linking ideas across paragraphs using a wider range of cohesive devices: repetition of a word or phrase, grammatical connections [for example, the use of adverbials such as <i>on the other hand</i>, <i>in contrast</i>, or <i>as a consequence</i>], and ellipsis</p> <p>Layout devices [for example, headings, sub-headings, columns, bullets, or tables, to structure text]</p> |
| Punctuation | <p>Use of the semi-colon, colon and dash to mark the boundary between independent clauses [for example, <i>It's raining; I'm fed up</i>]</p> <p>Use of the colon to introduce a list and use of semi-colons within lists</p> <p>Punctuation of bullet points to list information</p> <p>How hyphens can be used to avoid ambiguity [for example, <i>man eating shark</i> versus <i>man-eating shark</i>, or <i>recover</i> versus <i>re-cover</i>]</p> |
| Terminology for pupils | <p>subject, object</p> <p>active, passive</p> <p>synonym, antonym</p> <p>ellipsis, hyphen, colon, semi-colon, bullet points</p> |