Year 1 Seahorses – English Overview:

Autumn 1

Colour Monster/ The Colour Monster Goes To School

Developing vocabulary, punctuation and confidence in writing.

KLIPS:

- Separate words with spaces.
- Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- o Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Writing on the line.
- o Letter formation.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- o Begin to use simple adjectives.

We're going on a Bear Hunt

Developing descriptive vocabulary and sentence writing.

KLIPS:

- Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Write simple sentences.
- Separate words with spaces.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Writing on the line.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- Gain confidence using simple adjectives in their writing.

Marshmallows for Martians

Reading and writing poems

KLIPS:

- Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Begin to plan and write simple sentences
- Finger spaces between words
- Use simple adjectives
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- o Begin to practice reciting poems.

Autumn 2

Bonfire Night Writing

Information Text Writing

KLIPS:

- o Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Begin to plan and write simple sentences
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- o Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- CLs for people and places.

Lost & Found

Using adjectives to develop descriptive vocabulary.

Information Text - Penguins

KLIPS:

- Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Plan and write simple sentences
- Build confidence using simple adjectives & plurals.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- o Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.

Stick Man

Writing short narratives.

KLIPS:

- o Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Plan and write simple sentences
- Build confidence using simple adjectives.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- o Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- Letter formation.

Spring 1

The Three Little Pigs

Fiction & using familiar plots in narratives. Recount writing. Instruction Writing.

KLIPS:

- o Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- o Plan and write simple sentences
- Build confidence using simple adjectives.
- o Begin to use conjunctions.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with punctuation.
- Use capital letters for names and places.
- o Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- Begin to join sentences using 'and'.
- Use ascenders and descenders

Lost in the Toy Museum

Narrative writing & story sequencing. Developing vocabulary. Letter Writing.

KLIPS:

- o Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Plan and write simple sentences
- Use simple adjectives.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- o Join sentences using 'and'.
- Begin to use plurals.
- Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- Begin to join handwriting.
- Use ascenders and descenders
- Begin to identify and use question marks and exclamation marks.

Spring 2

Handa's Surprise

Recount writing. Developing vocabulary. Book Review.

KLIPS:

- o Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- o Plan and write simple sentences
- Use simple adjectives.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- Join sentences using connectives such as 'and'.
- Begin to use plurals.
- Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- Begin to join handwriting.
- o Use ascenders and descenders

Holi Festival

Information texts.

KLIPS:

- Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Plan and write simple sentences
- Use simple adjectives.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- o CL for names and places.
- Join sentences using connectives such as 'and'.
- Begin to use plurals.
- Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- Begin to join handwriting.
- Use ascenders and descenders

All About Easter Traditions & Recount Writing.

KLIPS:

- Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Plan and write simple sentences
- Use simple adjectives.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- Join sentences using connectives such as 'and'.
- o Begin to use plurals.
- Finger spaces between words

- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- Begin to join handwriting.
- o Use ascenders and descenders

Summer 1

On the Way Home

Recount Writing & sequencing events.

Drafting & writing short narratives.

KLIPS:

- Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Plan and write simple sentences
- Build confidence using simple adjectives.
- Begin to use conjunctions.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- Use capital letters for names and places.
- Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- Join sentences using connectives such as 'and'.
- Use ascenders and descenders

Seasonal Poetry

Reading and writing poems.

- o Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Plan and write simple sentences
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- Join sentences using connectives such as 'and'.
- Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.

Summer 2

The Day the Crayons Quit

Sequencing events and developing vocab, grammar & punctuation skills. Letter writing.

KLIPS:

- o Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Plan and write simple sentences
- Use simple adjectives.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- Join sentences using connectives such as 'and'.
- Begin to use plurals.
- Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- Begin to join handwriting.
- Use ascenders and descenders
- Use prefixes & suffixes to change the meanings of verbs and adjectives.

Memories & Invitation Writing

KLIPS:

- Orally rehearse ideas for writing.
- Plan and write simple sentences
- Use simple adjectives.
- Use capital letters and end sentences with full stops.
- Join sentences using connectives such as 'and'.
- Begin to use plurals.
- Finger spaces between words
- Read their own work to check that it makes sense.
- Spelling words using taught phonemes.
- Begin to join handwriting.
- Use ascenders and descenders