

Writing Genre Coverage 2020/21

*There is no set order in which these genres need to be covered. But they must be covered within the year.

Links to topic/foundation subjects should be made at all times and should always reflect writing objectives suited to each year group.

Writing Assessment for each year group should be determined from independent work.

Where genres are repeated in multiple year groups progression must be evident.

<u>Year group</u>	<u>Fiction</u>	<u>Non-fiction</u>	<u>Poetry</u>
1	<u>Narratives including:</u> Traditional and fairy tales. Stories based on texts with predictable and patterned language. Stories about fantasy worlds. Stories with familiar settings. Character/setting descriptions.	Instructions Labels, lists, captions Letters / Invitations (informal) Simple Information reports Dictionary work	Acrostics Shape Poems/Calligrams Riddles
2	<u>Narratives including:</u> Traditional Stories Different stories by the same author. Stories with familiar settings. Character/setting descriptions. Extended stories using story mountain. Stories based on other cultures.	Non-Chronological Reports Instructions Recounts Letters / Invitations (informal) Diary entries	Diamantes Haikus
3	<u>Narratives including:</u> Stories with familiar settings - Myths and Legends. Adventure / Mystery stories. Dialogue and Plays. Character / setting descriptions.	Instructions Non-Chronological Reports Letters/Informal (formal) Recounts Explanation texts Leaflets	Clerihews Limericks Free Verse

4	<p><u>Narratives including:</u> Stories with a historical setting. Stories which raise issues or dilemmas. Stories set in an imaginary world. Stories from other cultures. Play scripts. Writing from different viewpoints. Character/ settings descriptions.</p>	<p>Newspapers Persuasive texts Explanation texts Letters (informal) Recounts Note writing Leaflets</p>	<p>Kenning Poems Tetractys Free Verse</p>
5	<p><u>Narratives including:</u> Setting descriptions. Fables. Myths and Legends. Stories from other cultures. Play scripts Diary Writing</p>	<p>Instructions Non-Chronological Reports Explanation texts Recounts Persuasion Letters</p>	<p>Haikus/Senryus Renga Free Verse</p>
6	<p><u>Narratives including:</u> Stories with flashbacks Description/setting writing</p> <p>Genres dependant on transition activities and summer term project.</p>	<p>Autobiographies/biographies Journalistic texts - newspapers Arguments Formal/ Impersonal writing Letters – formal/informal Persuasive texts Recounts Non chronological reports</p>	<p>Ottava Rima; Free Verse: Remembrance Poetry.</p> <p><u>SATS Preparation</u></p>