English Learning Pathway

Year 4	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer
Class Text / Literacy Devices/ Stimulus	The Silver Swan SPaG Introductory unit (T) (Michael Morpurgo)	Poetry – Creating Images (T) Beowulf The Barve- SPaG unit Diary Entry Imaginary	Recount – Imaginary World The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe (T) (CS Lewis)	Performance Poetry- Edward Lear Vs John Lyons Poetry unit (T) Narrative - WW2	Bug Catching Machine- Explanations (T)	Improving the environment- Persuasive Letters When the Humans
	Viking Historical Narrative unit	Worlds- The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe (T) (CS Lewis) Description-Imaginary Worlds- The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe (T) (CS Lewis) The Bear and the Hare (FW)	Non Chronological Report – Imaginary World The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe (T) (CS Lewis) Once In a Lifetime (FW)	- The Lion and the Unicorn (T) (Shirley Hughes)	Habitat Reporters- Newspaper reports on How to Help A Hedgehog and Protect A Polar Bear (T) (Jess French)	Came (T) Poetry elements- children explore the effects on humans on the Earth Extra-The Mousehole Cat- Revision unit (Antonia Barber)
Whole Class Reader	Odd and The Fro st Giant (Neil Gaiman) Comprehension in Daily English book	NEIL GAIMAN ODDD FROST CIANTS	The Magician's Nephew (Narnia Chronicles) (CS Lewis)	A construction of the second s	WW2 Information Text	The Last Bear (Hannah Gold)

	and for homework weekly					
Writing Outcome	 The Silver Swan (T) Descriptive unit with a focus on: word class and word choice sentence structure Sentence openers Tense and Person Viking Narrative unit Historical narrative with a dilemma. Focus on: Setting description Introduction that hooks the reader Character description Sentence types Senses Similes and metaphors Speaking and Listening Various opportunities within all lessons to share work. 	Poetry- Creating Images (T) Similes Rhyme Alliteration Personification Word choice Beowulf SPaG Lessons focussing on: Fronted adverbials Speech Expanded noun phrases Variety of pronouns Imaginary Worlds- The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe (T) Diary entry with a focus on: Empathising 1st person and past tense Character traits and details Editing Description with a focus on: Word choice Character details Film clip notes Figurative language Rule of 3 Complex sentences	Imaginary World The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe (T) Recounts : letter)with a focus on: Chronological order Key parts of stories Past tense and 1 st person Comparison of books and films Time conjunctions Non-Chronological Reports with a focus on: Structural features of a non-chron report Word choice Sentence openers Planning Sources of information Once In a Lifetime (FW) Adverbials Subordinating conjunctions	Performance Poetry Edward Lear Vs John Lyons Poetry Comparison between the 2 poets. Learning, performing and writing poems in the style of both poets. WW2 - The Lion and the Unicorn (T) Historical Clues Narrative with a focus on: Creating atmosphere Empathising Character profiles Problems/dilemmas in stories Settings with historical clues Story structure Diary War time evacuation Instructions How to put on a gas mask Letter Empathising with parent in war time	Explanations T4W recall of explanation Design and explanation of own Bug Catching Machine Habitat Reporters- Newspaper Reports Key features of journalistic report Direct and reported speech Facts Character sketches	Persuasive Writing Persuasive devices to persuasive our local community to look after the environment When the Humans Came Poetry Powerful vocabulary Rhyming couplets Senses Performing Extra- Mousehole Cat Recap of genres Speaking and Listening Various opportunities within all lessons to share work.

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			share work.	

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Sentence, Grammar and Punctuation Skills	Demarcating Sentences Commas in a List Expanded Noun Phrases Fronted Adverbials Past/Present Tense Autumn Assessment 1-Rising Stars	Pronouns Proof Reading Direct Speech Coordinating Conjunctions Spelling- Homophones Autumn Assessment 2-Rising Stars	Direct Speech Subordinate Conjunctions Possessive Apostrophe Exciting Sentence Openers Spelling -Suffixes- ture sure Suffixes- sion ssion tion cian Spring Assessment 3-Rising Stars	Paragraphs Fronted Adverbials Past/Present Tense Pronouns Spelling - Doubling letter spelling rule Spring Assessment 4-Rising Stars	Punctuation Similes and Metaphors Subordinate Conjunctions Direct Speech Spelling Double letters Summer Assessment 5-Rising Stars	Apostrophes Spelling- Suffixes ous, ious, eous Revision of: Word origins Antonyms and synonyms Comparative adjectives Summer Assessment 6-Rising Stars