

YEAR 5	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
English text	Cosmic by Frank Cottrell and Steven Lenton	Anthony and Cleopatra (Anthony Ross)	The Journey by Francesca Sanna	Clockwork – Philip Pullman	Beetle Boy – M.G Leonard	The Highwayman – Alfred Noyse
Text type	Contemporary novel	Shakespeare	Picture book	Short narrative	Novel	Picture book
Topic	Earth and Space Science - Earth and Space	Pharaohs History – Ancient Egypt Science – Properties of materials	Geography – Exploring Egypt	Science – Forces and pulleys	History – The Battle of Britain Science – Living things and habitats	Geography – What is it like in Kenya?
Guided Reading texts (whole class)	Cosmic.	Information text: Mummies Unwrapped	Marcy and the Riddle of the Sphinx	There's a Boy in the Girl's bathroom – Louis Sachar	Beetle Boy – M.G. Leonard	Dark Sky Park poetry anthology
Writing activities and tasks	Free Writing Free Verse Poetry Letter Writing Writing in role Character Viewpoint Narrative	Character description Diary Entry – Writing in role Setting description Monologue Newspaper report	Letter Setting description Writing in role	Free Verse Poetry Writing in role Non-fiction voiceover Persuasive letter	Letter writing Setting description	Descriptive writing
Main writing outcomes	Alternative ending narrative Persuasive leaflet	Newspaper report Playscript	Instructions Narrative	Narrative	Newspaper report	Newspaper report Monologue

