

Curriculum Matrix Year group: 2

Subject: English	Autumn 1 (8)	Autumn 2 (7)	Spring 1 (6)	Spring 2 (5)	Summer 1 (6)	Summer 2 (7)
Text / Stimulus	Traditional tales from around the world inc. Three little Pigs/Wolves (UK) Hansel & Gretel (Germany) Tiddalik (Australia) Why the sun and moon live in the sky (Nigeria) Aladdin (Middle East, potentially Syria) The boy who wanted a drum (India)	Poetry inc. poetry based on bonfire night. Information texts on the Great Fire of London. Diaries including Samuel Pepys' diary.	The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark	Information texts about Rosa Parks Social stories including those about fairness and equality. If a bus could talk – the story of Rosa Parks	Castle Adventure	Charlie & the Chocolate Factory
Genre	Traditional tales Stories Descriptions	Letters Diary entries Information texts Reports Poetry	Writing animal non-fiction Writing stories Play scripts letters Write recounts of trip information texts	Writing stories Write recounts of trip Information texts about Rosa Parks	Writing stories Writing diaries Letters-writing letters with possessive apostrophe to someone's servant/ maid.	Recipes for made-up chocolates Instructions for making chocolate lollies Diaries Writing stories Writing book reviews Poems about food
SPaG	Capital letters Full stops Four sentence types Commas in lists Word classes (noun verb adjective adverb) Tense Expanded noun phrase Compound noun Suffixes ful and less	Possessive apostrophe Contracted words Suffix er Suffix ness Homophones	Exclamations Subordination Verbs Apostrophes Tense Suffixes –ment and -ly	Consolidation. Word classes Tense Sentence types Punctuation Turning adjectives into adverbs	Consolidation. Word classes Tense Sentence types Punctuation	Consolidation. Word classes Tense Sentence types Punctuation

	Contracted words					
Spelling	<p>Common exception words Springspell Y2 spelling patterns: j sound s spelled c before e, l, y n spelled gn or kn r spelled wr</p>	<p>Common exception words Springspell Y2 spelling patterns: L spelled le, el, il, al lgh spelled y at end of the word ler iest ied at end of word les at end of nouns</p>	<p>Common exception words Zappers Ing e der est y to consonant and e ending Ending words of 1 syllable with single consonant A before l or ll Ee spelled as ey</p>	<p>Common exception words Zappers U spelled with o Er and or after w Dz sound e.g. television O sound as a after w or qu Suffixes ful, less, ly, ment, ness</p>	<p>Common exception words Zappers contractions Recap spelling patterns as needed</p>	<p>Common exception words Zappers Recap spelling patterns as needed</p>