

Writing Overview – Class 4

Autumn 1: Fiction	Autumn 2: Non-fiction	Spring 1: Fiction	Spring 2: Non-fiction	Summer 1: Fiction	Summer 2: Non-fiction
Vehicle Texts					
The Whale	Leaf	Arthur and the Golden Rope	The Lost Happy Endings	The Journey	Manfish
Writing Outcome & Writing Purpose					
Writing Outcome: Setting Narrative Purpose: To narrate	Writing Outcome: Information Report Purpose: To inform	Writing Outcome: Myth Narrative Purpose: To narrate	Writing Outcome: Letter Purpose: To persuade	Writing Outcome: Refugee Narrative Purpose: To narrate	Writing Outcome Jacques Cousteau Biography Purpose: To recount
Grammar: Word					
Build on previous units & focus on: - Develop understanding of standard English forms for verb inflections e.g. 'we were' instead of 'we was' - Grammatical difference between plural and possessive -s					
Grammar: Sentence					
Build on previous units & focus on: - Noun phrases expanded by the addition of modifying adjectives, nouns and prepositions - Expressing time and place and cause using prepositions (for example, before, after, during, in and because of) – recap from Year 3 - Fronted adverbials					
Grammar: Text					
- Appropriate choice of pronoun or noun within and across sentences to aid cohesion and avoid repetition		Build on previous units & focus on: - Use adverbials and conjunctions for cohesion		Build on previous units & focus on: - Nouns or pronouns to aid cohesion and avoid repetition	
- Develop understanding using the present perfect forms of verbs (reinforcement from Y3)		- Paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme, with headings and subheadings		Build on previous units & focus on: - Paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme	
Grammar: Punctuation					
Build on previous units & focus on: - Use commas after fronted adverbials					
Build on previous units & focus on: - Inverted commas and other punctuation to indicate direct speech	Build on previous units & focus on: - Apostrophes for possession (plural nouns)			Build on previous units & focus on: Inverted commas and other punctuation to indicate direct speech	
Terminology for Pupils					
determiner, pronoun, possessive pronoun and adverbial					