

Year 1 English Overview 2019-2020

**Suggested Reading and Writing Opportunities*

Week	1	2-4	5-7/8
Autumn 1	<u>A New Year</u> Writing about ourselves	<u>Percy in a Pickle (MoE)</u> Recounts Story writing Sentence composition Reading stories about Percy the Park-keeper	<u>Pumpkin Soup</u> Story writing Writing from own experiences Building reading fluency and confidence
Autumn 2	<u>Guy Fawkes/Bonfire Night</u> Recounts Firework poetry Historical stories Prediction reading skills	<u>Katie Visits the UK (MoE)</u> Introduce non-fiction writing Write for different purposes Inference reading skills Drama	<u>It's Christmas time!</u> Read a wide selection of favourite Christmas stories Poetry
Spring 1	<u>Toy Story</u> Short narrative writing Vocabulary extension Visual literacy		<u>Bear Stories</u> Write about own experiences Improve writing style by using new techniques
Spring 2	<u>Fairy tale Castles</u> Recount of visit to Mountfitchett Castle Character profiles	<u>RE</u> Holi Festival <i>Stepping into the scene</i>	<u>'Magical Gardens'</u> Non-chronological texts Drama techniques Reading comprehension skills
Summer 1	<u>Green Fingers (MoE) - 'Down in the Woods'</u> Offer opinions and preferences about books Creative writing Poetry		<u>We are Superheroes!</u> Non-fiction texts e.g. trump cards Reading with understanding
Summer 2	<u>'Fur, Claws and Whiskers'</u> Non-fiction writing Poetry	<u>Mister Seahorse</u> Creative storytelling poetry	<u>Moving on Up!</u> Recounts Real-life experiences