



St. Christopher's Catholic Primary School

English Overview

		Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	English					RWI	RWI
	Reading						
Reception	English	RWI	RWI	RWI	RWI	RWI	RWI
	Reading	Friendship and Animals	Stars and Space	Superheroes	Traditional tales	Seaside	Growing
Year 1	English	RWI	RWI	RWI	RWI	RWI	RWI
	Reading	History: Living Memory	Reading Breadth: Fairy Stories & Rhymes	Geography: Locality	Reading Breadth: Traditional Tales & Poems	Science: Animals inc. Humans	Reading Breadth: Stories & Poems
Year 2	English	RWI	RWI	RWI/ Bog Baby Narrative: Finding Narrative Purpose: To narrate Instructions: How to build a habitat Purpose: To instruct	RWI/ Grandad's Island Narrative: Return Narrative Purpose: To narrate Information: Jungle Animals Purpose: To inform	RWI/ The King who Banned the Dark Narrative: Mistake Narrative Purpose: To narrate Information: How to be a Regal Leader Purpose: To inform	RWI/ Rosie Revere Narrative: Invention Narrative Purpose: To narrate Explanation: How a machine works Purpose: To explain
	Reading	Geography: UK – Rivers and Seas	Reading Breadth: Fairy Stories & Poetry - Classics	Science: Living Things Habitats / Plants	Reading Breadth: Traditional Tales & Poetry -	History: Events Beyond Living Memory – Great	Reading Breadth: Stories and Plays & Poetry -

					Contemporary	Fire of London	Contemporary
Year 3	English	The Iron Man Narrative: Approach Threat Narrative Purpose: To narrate Explanation: How to capture the Iron Man Purpose: To explain	Fox Narrative: Fable Narrative Purpose: To narrate Information: Foxes Purpose: To inform	Rhythm of the Rain Narrative: Setting Narrative Purpose: To narrate Recount: River Information Leaflet Purpose: To inform	Jemmy Button Narrative: Return Narrative Purpose: To narrate Information: Letters Purpose: To recount	Egyptology Narrative: Egyptian Mystery Narrative Purpose: To narrate Instructions: Secret Diary Purpose: To recount	Into the Forest Narrative: Lost Narrative Purpose: To narrate Recount: Newspaper Report Purpose: To recount
	Reading	Science: Forces & Magnets / Rocks	Reading Breadth: Stories & Poetry - Different Forms	Geography: Mountains and Rivers	Reading Breadth: Fairy Stories & Poetry - Different Forms	History: Egyptians	Reading Breadth: Stories and Plays & Poetry - Different Forms
Year 4	English	The Whale Narrative: Setting Narrative Purpose: To narrate Recount: Newspaper Report Purpose: To recount	Leaf Narrative: Outsider Narrative Purpose: To narrate Information: Polar Bears Purpose: To inform	Arthur and the Golden Rope Narrative: Myth Narrative Purpose: To narrate Information: Defeating a Viking monster Purpose: To inform	The Lost Happy Endings Narrative: Twisted Narrative Purpose: To narrate Persuasion: Letter Purpose: To persuade	The Journey Narrative: Refugee Narrative Purpose: To narrate Recount: Diary Purpose: To recount	Manfish Narrative: Invention Narrative Purpose: To narrate Recount: Jacques Cousteau Biography Purpose: To recount
	Reading	Science: Living Things/Habitats/Animals/Humans	Reading Breadth: Stories & Poetry - Different Forms	History: Vikings	Reading Breadth: Myths and Legends & Poetry - Different Forms	Geography: Europe	Reading Breadth: Stories and Plays & Poetry - Different Forms
Year 5	English	Where Once We Stood	FAR-TH-ER	The Hound of The Baskervilles	The Promise	The Lost Book and Adventure	King Kong

		<p>Narrative: Exploration Narrative Purpose: To narrate</p> <p>Recount: Formal Report Purpose: To recount</p>	<p>Narrative: Setting Narrative Purpose: To narrate</p> <p>Recount: Letter Purpose: To recount</p>	<p>Narrative: Cliff hanger Narrative Purpose: To narrate</p> <p>Recount: Formal Event Report Purpose: To inform</p>	<p>Narrative: Character Narrative Purpose: To narrate</p> <p>Instructions: Newspaper Report Purpose: To recount</p>	<p>Narrative: Survival Narrative Purpose: To narrate</p> <p>Explanation: Survival Guide Purpose: To explain</p>	<p>Narrative: Dilemma Narrative Purpose: To narrate</p> <p>Discussion: Balanced Argument Purpose: To discuss</p>
	Reading	Science: Space	Reading Breadth: Modern Fiction & Poetry – Wider Range	History: Victorians	Reading Breadth: Myths and Legends & Poetry – Wider Range	Geography: North & South America / World	Reading Breadth: Other Cultures and Traditions & Poetry – Wider Range
Year 6	English	<p>Rose Blanche / Anne Frank</p> <p>Recount: Diary Purpose: To recount</p> <p>Recount: Bravery Speech Award Purpose: To recount & inform (hybrid)</p>	<p>A Story like the Wind</p> <p>Narrative: Flashback Narrative Purpose: To narrate</p> <p>Recount: Newspaper Report Purpose: To recount</p>	<p>Origin of the Species</p> <p>Narrative: Discovery Narrative Purpose: To narrate</p> <p>Explanation: Adaptation Purpose: To explain</p>	<p>The Way of the Wolves / Wolves in the Wall</p> <p>Recount: First Person Narrative Purpose: To narrate Discussion: Balanced Argument Purpose: To discuss</p> <p>Information Text: Wolves Purpose: To inform Narrative: Suspense Narrative Purpose: To narrate</p>	<p>Shackleton's Journey</p> <p>Narrative: Endurance Narrative Purpose: To narrate</p> <p>Recount: Magazine Article Purpose: To recount</p>	<p>Hansel and Gretel</p> <p>Narrative: Dual Narrative Purpose: To narrate</p> <p>Persuasion: Letter Purpose: To persuade</p>
	Reading	History: War	Reading Breadth: Modern Fiction & Poetry – Wider Range	Science: Evolution and Inheritance	Reading Breadth: Literary Heritage and Plays & Poetry – Wider Range	Geography: Coasts	Reading Breadth: Traditional Tales and Poetry – Wider Range

