



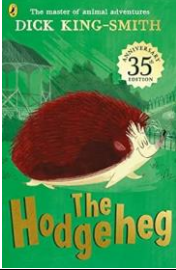
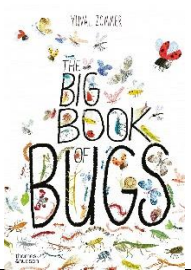
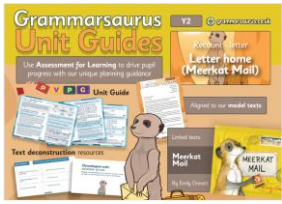
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Year 2 English Overview

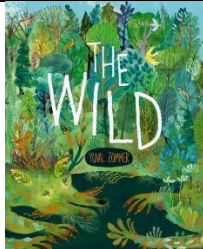
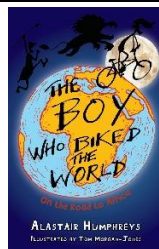
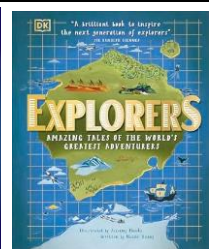
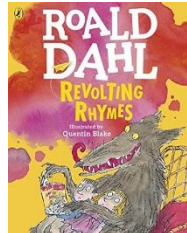
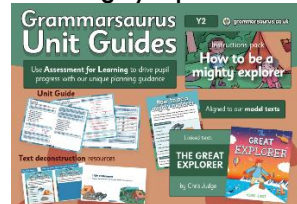
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Autumn

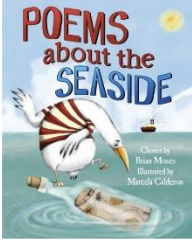
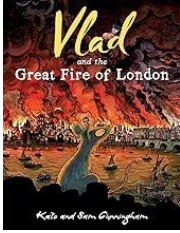
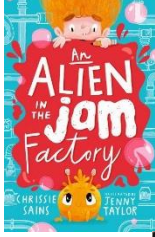
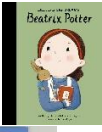
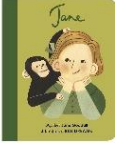
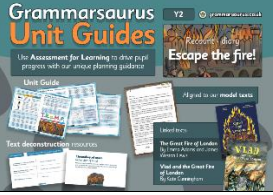


	Autumn 1		Autumn 2	
Whole Class Text	 		 	
Units & Genre	The Place Value of Punctuation 	Non-Chron – Marvellous Mini Beasts 	Recount (Letter) – Letter Home 	Setting – Sleeping Beauties Castle 
Wow Task		Mini Beast Hunt	Meerkat Artwork	Recycled Castles
Skills	Common Nouns Proper Nouns Being Verbs Action Verbs Regular Verbs Irregular Verbs Subject Single Clause Sentences Pronouns Co-ordinating Conjunctions Compound Subjects	Heading Brief introduction Subheadings Technical vocabulary Pictures and captions Third person Co-ordinating conjunctions Subordinating conjunctions Expanded noun phrases Adverbs/adverbials of manner Adverbs/adverbials of place	Address Date Salutation Brief introduction Chronological order First person Past tense Facts and opinions Rhetorical questions Sign off Subordinating conjunctions Co-ordinating conjunctions Expanded noun phrases Adverbs/adverbials of time Adverbs/adverbials of place	Introduction Paragraphs Pan the setting Third person Rhetorical questions Cliffhangers Expanded noun phrases Adverbials of manner Similes Adverbials of place Commas in a list Apostrophes for possession Apostrophes for omission Capital letters for proper nouns Question marks
Diagnostic Focus		Subject and Verb Single Clause Sentences Co-ordinating Conjunctions	Single Clause Sentences Co-ordinating Conjunctions Subordinating Conjunctions	Adverbs/Adverbials of Time Adverbs/Adverbials of Place Adverbs/Adverbials of Manner
Spelling				

Spring

	Spring 1		Spring 2	
Whole Class Text				 
Units & Genre	Character Description – Wanted Poster 	Poetry  What do you do on a nature walk? By Kate Wilson	Instructions – How to be a Mighty Explorer 	Narrative – Three Little Pigs 
Wow Task	"I'm Wanted!" Poster	Exploring the Wild Area	Meet an Explorer	Three Little Pigs Drama Task
Skills	Heading Introduction Subheadings Third person Present tense Paragraphs Pan the character Rhetorical questions Co-ordinating conjunctions Expanded noun phrases Adverbs/adverbials of place Subordinating conjunction 'if' Commas in a list	Syllable Patterns Rhyme Noun Phrases Simile Metaphor	Title statement List of equipment or materials Sequence, chronological steps Diagrams or illustrations Present tense Commands Detailed information Co-ordinating conjunctions Subordinating conjunctions Expanded noun phrases Direct address using 'you' Adverbials of place Adverbs/adverbials of time Adverbs/adverbials of manner Question marks Commas for lists Apostrophes for possession (GDS) Apostrophes for omission	Introduction Paragraphs Pan the setting Third person Rhetorical questions Cliffhangers Expanded noun phrases Adverbials of manner Similes Adverbials of place Commas in a list Apostrophes for possession Apostrophes for omission Capital letters for proper nouns Question marks
Diagnostic Focus	Single Clause Sentences Co-ordinating Conjunctions Expanded Noun Phrases	Noun Phrases Simile Subject and Verb	Apostrophes for Omission Adverbials of Time Commands	Past Tense Adverbials Commas in a List
Spelling				

Summer

	Summer 1		Summer 2	
Whole Class Text	 		   	
Units & Genre	Poetry  'What De Found' at the Seaside by Kate Williams	Recount (Diary) – Escape the Fire 	Persuasion – Jam Shop 	Narrative – Mighty Marrow 
Wow Task	Seaside Visit	Great Fire of London Drama Task	Sensory Exploration of Jam	Superhero Dress Up
Skills	Syllable Patterns Rhyme Noun Phrases Simile Metaphor Comma for List	Date Salutation Chronological order Past tense First person Facts and opinions Rhetorical questions Sign off Co-ordinating conjunctions Subordinating conjunctions Adverbs/adverbials of time Adverbs/adverbials of place Expanded noun phrases Exclamation marks Commas for lists Apostrophes for omission Apostrophes for possession	Deals and bargains Direct address Alliteration and assonance Facts and statistics Opinion Repetition Rhetorical questions Emotive/exaggerated language Triples/the rule of three Expanded noun phrases Co-ordinating conjunctions Subordinating conjunctions Commands Question marks Exclamation marks Apostrophes for possession	Story path Third person Past tense Rhetorical questions Statements and exclamation sentences Exciting action verbs Expanded noun phrases Adverbials of time Adverbials of place Adverbials of manner Question marks Exclamation marks
Diagnostic Focus	Listing Noun Phrases Simile	Question Marks Expanded Noun Phrases Adverbials of Time & Place	Expanded Noun Phrases Commands Subordinating Conjunctions	Past Tense Question Marks & Exclamation Marks Action Verbs
Spelling	    			