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English: Writing Units



	Aut 1 Poetry Week		Aut 2	Spr 1	World Book Day Spr 2		Sum 1	Sum 2
Year 1 Jupiter	Captions, labels and instructions	Acrostic Poems	Stories with a rhyming pattern	Writing an alternate fairy tale	Burglar Bill	Recount: Own experience	Information Text	Stories in an unusual setting Rhyming poetry
Year 2 Venus	Non-Chronological Report Rhyming Poetry	Pile of Leaves by Denise Rodgers	A journey story with two different settings	Explanations and Instructions	Owl Moon	Stories that reflect a different culture	Recounts and introduction to diary entries	Portal story – beginning, middle and end
Year 3 Earth	Adventure stories	Free verse poetry	Persuasion: Leaflets	Diary Entries	Tuesday	Fantasy Stories	Chronological / non-chronological reports	Stories in a historical setting Shape poetry
Year 4 Neptune	Myths and Legends	Haikus	Newspapers (formal)	Suspense	The Day the Crayons Quit	Letters of complaint (formal)	Stories with a problem/dilemma to be solved	Persuasion: Adverts/discussion
Year 5 Saturn	Informal and formal communication (letters/emails)	Four Seasons by Karl Nova	Mystery/Detective	Science Fiction	Flotsam	Biography	Magazine/Newspaper articles Shape Poetry	Filmscripts featuring a flashback Genre overview
Year 6 Mercury	Journalistic Writing	Dreadful Menace monologue	Horror/Stories with a twist	Extended Journal entries	Tuesday	Anthology of different genres Academic writing – biography and autobiography		Playscripts/Leavers Assembly