Year 3 Writing Overview 2023 – 2024

	Autumn Term 1	Autumn Term 2	Spring Term 1	Spring Term 2	Summer Term 1	Summer Term 2
History and Geography unit	**Ancient Egypt**	**The UK**	**Prehistoric People**		**Extreme Earth**	**Land use**
Class reader	**Mary Poppins by P.L. Tavers**	**Julius Zebra – Rumble with the Romans**	**Stories for children by Oscar Wilde**	**How to train your dragon – Cressida Cowell**	**Charlotte's Web – E.B. White**	**The Bad Mood and the Stick – Lemony Sticket**
Week 1	Monday 4th September Author Study (P.L Tavers) Reading Record Intro Accelerated Reader Star Test	Monday 30th October **Narrative (Setting Description)**	Monday 8th January **Instructions**	Monday 26th February **Narrative (Character Description)**	Monday 15th April **Digital non-chronological report (Earthquakes)**	Monday 3rd June (4 days) **Narrative (Humour)**
Week 2	Monday 11th September **Narrative** Fantastic Mr Fox by Roald Dahl	Monday 6th November **Narrative (Setting Description)** Peter Pan	Monday 15th January **Instructions** The Dentist and the Crocodile (Poem)	Monday 4th March **Narrative (Character Description)** The Suitcase Kid	Monday 22nd April **Digital non-chronological report (Earthquakes)** The Jungle Book	Monday 10th June **Narrative (Humour)** The Incredible Book Eating Boy
Week 3	Monday 18th September **Non-Chronological Report** Tutankhamun's Treasure	Monday 13th November **Narrative (Setting Description) - Assessed** Peter Pan	Monday 22nd January **Instructions** The Bare Necessities (Lyrics)	Monday 11th March **Explanation text** Louis Braille (Non-Fiction)	Monday 29th April **Narrative** Anisha, Accidental Detective: Granny Trouble	Monday 17th June **Narrative (Humour)** Garden Birds (Non-fiction)
Week 4	Monday 25th September **Non-Chronological Report - Assessed** Leila and the City of the Cat Goddess	Monday 20th November **Performance Poetry** Peter Pan	Monday 29th January **Narrative (Linked to class reader)** Quest	Monday 18th March **Explanation text** The Street Beneath	Monday 6th May (4 days) **Narrative** The True Story of the Three Little Pigs / Hansel and Gretel	Monday 24th June **Narrative (Character description)** The Humpback Whale (Non-Fiction)
Week 5	Monday 2nd October **Narrative (Character Description)** The Diary of the Killer Cat	Monday 27th November **Performance Poetry** Walking With My Iguana (Poem)	Monday 5th February **Narrative (Linked to class reader)** David Attenborough (Non-fiction)	Monday 25th March (4 days) **Explanation text - Assessed** The Street Beneath	Monday 13th May **Narrative - Assessed** The True Story of the Three Little Pigs / Hansel and Gretel	Monday 1st July **Narrative (Character description)** The Great Plague
Week 6	Monday 9th October **Narrative (Character Description)** The Diary of the Killer Cat	Monday 4th December **Narrative (Adventure)** Foreign Lands (Non-fiction)	Monday 12th February **Narrative (Linked to class reader) - Assessed** Stone Age Boy		Monday 20th May **Discussion (Natural Disasters)** Extreme Weather (Non-fiction)	Monday 8th July **Narrative (Character description)** Oliver and the Seawigs
Week 7	Monday 16th October **Narrative (Retelling)** How does the lighthouse work? (Non-fiction)	Monday 11th December **Narrative (Adventure)** The Christmasaurus				Monday 15th July **Summer poems** Be Glad Your Nose Is On Your Face (Poem)
Week 8		Monday 18th December (3 days) **Narrative (Adventure)** The Christmasaurus and the Winter Witch				
Week 9						