



Halesowen C of E Primary School
English medium term overview

Year 5

	TERM 1 (15 weeks)			TERM 2 (12 weeks)			TERM 3 (12 weeks)						
NARRATIVE	Grammar Focus Week. (1 Week)	Author study (4 weeks)	Fiction from our literacy heritage. The Highway Man Unit (4 weeks)		Suspense and mystery Cosmic Unit (Science Link) (4 weeks)		Traditional tales-legends Beowolf Story - needs a unit creating for this. (3 weeks)		"Take One Book" (1 or 2 weeks) Choose a relevant book to a topic/ theme and use it to explore topic aspects or English objectives.				
<i>Suggested final written outcome</i>			Review Grammar from last year and look at grammar needed for first few units (From Y5 curriculum)	Anthony Browne Either Zoo or Gorilla unit	Take the plot and theme from the text to plan and write their own contemporary version.		Develop skills of building up atmosphere in writing e.g. passages building up tension.			Reflect on the main character of the legend from different viewpoints. Re-tell the story from several different perspectives.			
NON FICTION		Choose an author relevant to the age group and explore a number of books by them. Choose one book as a start point.	Recount (2 weeks)		Discussion Speech/Balanced Argument Unit (3 weeks)		Explanation (2 weeks)		Report (2 weeks)	Persuasion (3 week)	One or more writing outcome linked with fiction/ non-fiction modules covered during the term		
<i>Suggested final written outcome</i>			Compose a biographical account based on research		Write a balanced discussion presenting two sides of an argument following a debate		Links to Geography e.g. climate, biomes, vegetation, rivers, the water cycle, mountains etc					Write a newspaper report considering all features e.g. headline, subheading, introductory paragraph, interviews, e.t.c	Write a report in the form of an information leaflet, in which two or more subjects are compared... Show thorough range of writing an understanding of how persuasive writing can be adapted for different audiences and purposes..
POETRY		One or more writing outcome linked with fiction/ non-fiction modules covered last year.	Vocabulary building (2 weeks)		Vocabulary building (1 week)		Structure- spoken word poetry/rap (2 weeks)		Vocabulary building (1 week)		Structure- Kennings (Anglo Saxon) (1 week)		
<i>Suggested final written outcome</i>			Read, write and perform free verse		Research a poet. Personal responses to poetry.		Read, write and perform free verse		Listen to, read and respond to raps. Experiment with their own writing.		Read, write and perform free verse		Read and write and respond to kennings. Experiment with their own writing