

### Whole School Overview of Writing Genres

	Reception	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
<b>NARRATIVE</b>	Setting & character descriptions	Setting & character descriptions	Setting & character descriptions	Setting & character descriptions	Setting & character descriptions	Setting & character descriptions	Setting & character descriptions
	Stories- adventure	Stories- adventure	Stories- mystery	Stories- with historical settings	Stories- from different cultures	Stories- set in imaginary worlds	Stories- flashbacks
	Traditional tales & fairy stories	Traditional tales & fairy stories	Traditional tales & fairy stories	Traditional tales- myths & legends	Traditional tales- myths, legends & fables	Traditional tales in different contexts	Traditional tales in different contexts
					Play scripts	Play scripts	Play scripts
<b>NON-FICTION</b>	Instruction texts	Instruction texts	Instruction texts	Instruction texts	Instruction texts	Instruction texts	Instruction texts
			Explanation texts	Explanation texts	Explanation texts	Explanation texts	Explanation texts
			Information texts	Information texts	Information texts	Information texts	Information texts
			Non-chronological reports	Non-chronological reports	Non-chronological reports	Non-chronological reports	Non-chronological reports
				Biographies	Biographies	Biographies & autobiographies	Biographies & autobiographies
		Persuasive texts-wanted posters	Persuasive texts- adverts	Persuasive texts- letters	Persuasive texts	Persuasive texts	Persuasive texts
					Balanced arguments	Balanced arguments	Balanced arguments
	Recounts- diaries	Recounts- diaries	Recounts- diaries	Recounts- diaries & newspaper reports	Recounts- diaries & newspaper reports	Recounts- diaries & newspaper reports	Recounts- diaries & newspaper reports
		Letters- informal	Letters- informal	Letters- formal & informal	Letters- formal & informal	Letters- formal & informal	Letters- formal & informal
<b>POETRY</b>	Nursery/ Traditional rhymes List poems	List poems Shape poems/ Calligrams	Acrostic poems Kennings	Haikus Cinquains	Rhyming poems Limericks	Clerihews Rhyming couplets	Narrative poems Metaphor and simile poems