Coverage of English Genres Year Group	1	2	3
Fiction	Stories with repeating patterns Stories in familiar settings Fairy stories and traditional tales Stories about fantasy worlds	Stories in familiar settings Traditional tales from a variety of cultures Stories by the same author Quest and Adventure stories	Plays and dialogues Stories with a historical setting Stories from other cultures Adventure Stories
Non-fiction	Labels, lists, captions Instructions Information texts Dictionary work Recount	Postcards & Letters Instructions Information texts Reports Explanation texts	Non-chronological Reports Instructions and Explanations Recounts Persuasive writing Letters/ informal writing
Poetry	Poems with pattern and rhyme Poems about the senses Humorous poems/ rhymes	Songs and repetitive poems Traditional poems for young children Favourite poems	Poems to perform Shape poems Poetry to express emotions

Coverage of English Genres Year Group	4	5	6
Fiction	Myths and Legends Play scripts Stories from other cultures Imaginative Stories	Fables, myths and legends Older literature Classic fiction Diary writing	Historical settings Short stories Shakespeare drama Stories with flashbacks
Non-fiction	Information texts Recounts Persuasive Writing Instructions and Explanations Chronological reports	Biographies/ autobiographies Newspaper style Recounts Explanation reports Letters Arguments	Persuasive writing Non-chronological Reports Recounts Blogs and reports Chronological reports
Poetry	Creating images List poems and kennings Odes and insults	Poetic style Narrative poetry Performance poetry	Choral or performance poems Free form poetry Classic poems