



Cantrell Literacy Yearly Unit Map Year 3

Autumn	Autumn 1							Half Term	Half Term	Autumn 2						
Key Texts Class readers	Class reader - The Little Hippo Shared reader – Lottie Lipton’s Egyptian Adventure			The diary of Howard Carter		Mask making				Lost and Found Shared read - The Iron Man (Complexity of plot)			Non-fiction texts on Volcanoes		Dear Santa (optional – complete report if needed)	
Writing units	Narrative			Non Chronological Reports		Instructions				Narrative			Non Chronological reports		Letter writing	
Grammar	Adjectives, noun phrases a or an? (vowel letter/constant letter) word classes	Noun phrases past tense Types of nouns	When and because conjunctions	Conjunctions Paragraphs Before, after and during	Conjunctions Paragraphs Before, after and during	time conjunctions imperative verbs word classes noun, adjective, verb	Editing and up levelling instruction writing alphabetical order/dictionaries (using dictionary and organisation)			Conjunctions Adjectives/Noun phrases Full stops Capital letters Prepositions noun phrases adverbs	Conjunctions Was and were Direct speech commas in a list	prepositions (general) adverbs Direct speech	prepositions before and after adverbs	subordinate and main clauses identifying and knowing subordinate conjunctions) BUT, WHEN, BECAUSE	as week 2 but using ALTHOUGH, IF, WHILE	proper and common nouns commas in a list
Spring	Spring 1						Half term	Spring 2						Easter	Easter	
Key Texts Class readers	Reading a range of adverts Shared reader - The Velveteen Rabbit (Archaic text)			The Elves and the Shoemaker Various fairytales				Beowulf Shared Reading – How to train Your dragon			Revolting rhymes (complexity of plot) Shared Reading – How to train Your dragon					
Writing units	Persuasive adverts Non- fiction text			Narrative - Fairy-tale				Narrative			Poetry					
Grammar	Persuasive language Conjunctions Full stops Adjectives/noun phrases Capital letters dictionary skills (2nd letter)	using however and as a result (linked to persuasive adverts)	Conjunctions Full stops Capital letters Adverbs Speech Dictation	Week 1- punctuating direct speech with inverted commas	Week 2 – adverbs	Week 3- Connecting adverbs (as a result, meanwhile, however, therefore, soon)		Range of conjunctions (although, because, before, after, during) Fronted adverbials Noun phrases Speech Connecting adverbs Adverbs Preposition (before, after and during)	fronted adverbials including meanwhile for narrative punctuating direct speech	up levelling sentences- adding elements to improve	?	?	?			
Summer	Summer 1					Half Term	Summer 2									
Key Texts Class readers	The Lost Island Shared reader - How to train your dragon		Animated story - The Lighthouse Shared Reading – How to train Your dragon				Non-fiction on Sea creatures Shared Reading – How to train Your dragon		Dougal’s Deep Sea Adventure Shared Reading – How to train Your dragon		Shared Reader- The Butterfly Lion					
Writing units	Play scripts		Animation narrative				Non-chronological reports		Narrative							
Grammar	Structure of play scripts Word families	Structure of play scripts Perfect present tense	Connecting adverbs(as a result, meanwhile, however, therefore, soon) Adverbs Speech Prepositions	Connecting adverbs(as a result, meanwhile, however, therefore, soon) Adverbs Speech Prepositions	Perfect present tense		Subheadings Paragraphs Range of conjunctions (although, because, before, after, during) Fronted adverbials Noun phrases Connecting adverbs Adverbs Preposition Sub headings Paragraphs Dictation	Range of conjunctions (although, because, before, after, during) Fronted adverbials Noun phrases Connecting adverbs Adverbs Preposition Paragraphs Dictation	Range of conjunctions (although, because, before, after, during) Fronted adverbials Noun phrases Connecting adverbs Adverbs Preposition Paragraphs Dictation	Range of conjunctions (although, because, before, after, during) Fronted adverbials Noun phrases Speech Connecting adverbs Adverbs Preposition (before, after and during) Paragraphs	Range of conjunctions (although, because, before, after, during) Fronted adverbials Noun phrases Speech Connecting adverbs Adverbs Preposition (before, after and during)	Range of conjunctions (although, because, before, after, during) Fronted adverbials Noun phrases Speech Connecting adverbs Adverbs Preposition (before, after and during)	Time conjunctions Conjunctions Prepositions	Time conjunctions Conjunctions Prepositions		

* Archaic texts ** Non-Linear time sequence *** Complexity of the narrator **** Complexity of plot/Symbol ***** Resistant Texts