Year 2 English Curriculum Summer 2023-2024

Year Group	Subject	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year	Topic Title	Local Heroes	Local Heroes
	HOOK/Raft	Piece 1 R: Video of spaceship in the playground. Report our findings to Mr Hollingsworth. A: Mr Hollingsworth F: subordination – when, if, that, because. All other aspects taught. T: Formal Piece 2 - Beegu R: Continuing with the alien theme – narrative of Beegu. A: Year 1 – share our stories with them. F: expanded noun-phrases, question marks and exclamation marks. T: Informal – storytelling.	Piece 1 – Toys in Space R: Children find toys in classroom surrounded by space dust - A: EYFS – Allow children to choose their own audience F: Sentences with different forms: statement, question, exclamation, command • Expanded noun phrases to describe and specify [for example, the blue butterfly] • The present and past tenses correctly and consistently including the progressive form • Subordination (using when, if, that, or because) and co-ordination (using or, and, or but) T: Storytelling - Informal Piece 2 – Meet the planets R: Children to present a version of stargazing/ WGE live. Children to use the information from this text to help when writing their script and planning. Non-chron report to be used as script. A: Rest of school F: Oracy – all skills learned so far plus non-negotiables. T: Formal
	Focus Genres	Piece 1 Recount Piece 2 Narrative	Piece 1 Narrative Piece 2 Non chron report Oracy skills
	Stimulus (videos, texts etc)	Piece 1 Video of spaceship in the sky. Piece 2 Beegu text	Piece 1 Toys in Space text Piece 2 Meet the planets text
	Sticky Writing Focus	Video of alien landing. Piece 2 Picture stimulus – moon on pobble	Piece 1 Real life event – destruction of the classroom Piece 2 Picture stimulus – once upon a picture.

GPS	Piece 1 Subordination Non negotiables	Piece 1 The grammar for year 2 in English Appendix 2 Non negotiables
Coverage	Piece 2 Noun phrases Non negotiables	Piece 2 The grammar for year 2 in English Appendix 2 Non negotiables
Whole Class Reading	Little Wandle Fluency	Little Wandle Fluency
Class Book	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone	Classic Novel – The railway children
Cross Curricular Writing	Letter to recipient of their choice – all about Brian Cox.	Oliver Jeffers Here We Are – narrative/ recount.