Ashwell Primary School English Curriculum Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2			
EYFS	See EYFS birth to 5 years and Development Matters Documents Pages 1 and 5 for key strands to cover								
Year 1	Year R Grammar skills F: Stories with predictable phrasing NF: Labels, lists and captions P: Vocabulary building	*Assessment week task NF: Recount P: Structure – rhyming couplets TOB: Narrative focus	Year 1 Grammar skills F: Contemporary fiction NF: Instructions P: Vocabulary building	*Assessment Week Task NF: Report P: Structure – rhyming couplets TOB: Narrative focus	F: Traditional Tales – Fairy Tales NF: Report P: Vocabulary building	*Assessment Week Task NF: Explanations P: Take one poet TOB: Narrative focus			
Year 2	Year 1 Grammar skills F: Traditional Tales – Fair Tales NF: Explanations P: Vocabulary building	*Assessment week task NF: Recount P: Structure calligrams - single words TOB: Narrative focus	Year 2 Grammar skills F: Stories with recurring literacy language NF: Report P: Vocabulary building	*Assessment Week Task P: Structure calligram – shape poems TOB: Narrative focus	F: Traditional Tales - Myths NF: Instructions P: Vocabulary building	*Assessment Week Task NF: Explanations P: Take one poet TOB: Narrative focus			
Year 3	Year 2 Grammar skills F: Traditional Tales – Fables NF: Recount P: Vocabulary building	*Assessment Week Task F: Writing and performing a play NF: Instructions – giving directions P: Structure – limericks TOB: Narrative focus	Year 3 Grammar skills F: Traditional Tales – alternative fairy tales NF: Explanations P: Vocabulary building	*Assessment Week Task F: Stories with recurring literacy language NF: Report P: Vocabulary building TOB: Narrative focus	F: Adventure stories NF: Persuasion - letters P: Vocabulary building	*Assessment Week Task P: Take one poet TOB: Narrative focus			

Year 4	Year 3 Grammar Skills F: Traditional Tales – Myths (Quests) NF: Report P: Vocabulary Building	*Assessment week task P: Structure – riddles TOB: Narrative Focus	Year 4 Grammar Skills F: Writing and performing a play NF: Persuasion P: Vocabulary Building	*Assessment Week Task F: Story Settings P: Structure – narrative poetry TOB: Narrative Focus	F: Story with a theme NF: Discussion P: Vocabulary Building	*Assessment Week Task NF: Explanation TOB: Narrative Focus P: Take one Poet study
Year 5	Y4 Grammar Skills recap F: Narrative- Traditional Tales, Legends NF: Recount P: Structure - Cinquain TOB: Narrative Focus	*Assessment Week Task NF: Explanations P: Vocabulary Building	Y5 Grammar Skills recap F:Suspense and Mystery Narrative NF: Instructions P: Structure – spoken word/rap	*Assessment Week Task NF: Persuasion - Letter P: Vocabulary Building TOB: Narrative Focus	F: Fiction From Our Literary Heritage NF: Reports P: Vocabulary Building	*Assessment Week Task NF: Discussion TOB: Narrative Focus P: Take one Poet study
Year 6	Y5 Grammar Skills recap P: Vocabulary Building NF: Recount -Diary Entry Fiction: Narrative Workshop P: Poetry Appreciation	*Assessment Week Task NF: Report - Newspaper NF: Explanation Text P: Poetry- Monologues	Y6 Grammar Skills recap F: Narrative Workshop NF: Persuasion - Letter	*Assessment Week Task NF: Non- Chronological Report P: Vocabulary Building TOB: Narrative Focus	Year 6 SATS Assessment Week F: Fiction Genre Swap Story NF: Persuasion - Advert	*Assessment Week Task NF: Discussion NF: Debating Skills P: TOB Vocabulary Building

*Whole school writing assessment week once per term across the year (Autumn/ Spring/ Summer)

P = Poetry

F = Fiction

NF – Non-Fiction

TOB = Take one book