Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
8 weeks	7 weeks	6 weeks	5 weeks	6 weeks	7 weeks
	•	Core	e Texts		
Who was William Shakespeare? by Celeste Mannis Who was william Shakespeare? by Celeste Mannis Fire and Ice by Robert Frost	The Wizard of Oz by L Frank Baum(Talk 6) FRANK L BAUM			Wonder by R J Palacio (LPDS Talk 6 Unit)	
		Complem	entary Texts		
Fiction Non-Fiction What's so special about Shakespeare by Michael Rosen Little People Big Dreams Series – various titles King Charles III: Celebrating His Majesty's Coronation and Reign by Andrea Mills I am not a label by Cerrie Burnell Trailblazers series – various titles	Fiction Toto: The Wizard of Oz as told by the dog by Michael Morpurgo The Wizard of Oz Collection Box Set - Classic Magical Adventure Book Series for Kids by L Frank Baum Harry Potter by J K Rowling Spellstoppers by Cat Gray Tom's Midnight Garden by Phillipa Pearce Non-Fiction The Big Picture: Extreme Earth by Jon Richards Wild Weather: Find out how weather and climate affect our world by Liz Gogerly	Fiction Mr William Shakespeare's plays by M Shakespeare Story by Andrew Matth to Shakespeare's plays) Shakespeare's Tales Retold for Childr Twelfth Night, Macbeth, Romeo and A Stage Full of Shakespeare Stories b Film: extracts from Romeo & Juliet by Juliet by Franco Zeffirelli (1968) Westside Story Non-Fiction	Marcia Williams lews and Tony Ross (various titles linked ren: A Midsummer Night's Dream, Juliet by Samantha Newman by Angela McAllister y Baz Luhrmann (1996) & Romeo & the history, comedy and tragedy of the a Roberts	Fiction Wonder DVD and film trailer on YouTube https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ngiK1gQKgK8 Auggie and Me: Three Wonder Stories by RJ Palacio Mini-trailers from characters' perspectives https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PKG2 qQiB- U&index=1&list=PLJ7A97yl90Xo1V-4H_JJc1bPC_bRmNc0_ Tamara animation https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B4frsp-rR6c The Present animation https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WiqiU5FgsYc Little Freak animation https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=INHVxA-rM48 Non-Fiction A newspaper article about Simon Weston https://www.walesonline.co.uk/news/wales-news/35-years-after-bombed simon- 13166875 Katie Piper's charity foundation https://katiepiperfoundation.org.uk/ Katie Piper performing on Strictly https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mTyf4UzWOS4 An explanation of Treacher Collins Syndrome (The condition affecting August Pullman) https://www.health.com/eye-health/treacher-collins-syndrome A biography of J.K. Rowling https://harrypotter.bloomsbury.com/uk/jk-rowling-biography/	
		Rhyme d	and Poetry		
'City Jungle' Pie Corbett The school bell http://www.bbc.co.uk/education /clips/zpgfb9q Owl by Pie Corbett Cosmic Disco by Grace Nichols The warm and the cold by Ted Hughes The Sea by James Reeves Ten things found in a wizard's pocket by Ian McMillan Winter Morning by Ogden Nash	A range of poems on extreme weather: Tornado by Carole Gerber Hurricane Hideout by Jane Wong In a twist (tornado poem) Tornado by Rebecca J Gomez Tornado by Jim Vandergriff Song If I were a Boy by Beyonce	Song of the Witches (from Macbeth A Fairy Song by William Shakespeare Shall I compare thee by William Shak Song: Love Story by Taylor Swift		Song This is me (The Greatest Showman) by Benj Pasek and Justin Paul Ugly song lyrics https://genius.com/Sugababes-ugly-lyrics and music video https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4nD2vZfdzGg Beautifully different, Wonderfully the same' by Joseph Coelho http://www.thepoetryofiosephcoelho.com/portfolio_page/richmond-park- 3-2/ Nationwide advert Jardel and Isaiah. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HRUk600ohmQ Pretty Ugly by Abdullah Shoaib https://www.wattpad.com/627547958- poems-pretty-ugly-by-abdullah-shoaib	

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Writing Outcomes – Th	e units below are the genre o	utcomes. It is expected that t	hese are enhanced with regu	ılar incidental writing opportu	ınities to apply and embed
	writing skills and	d non-negotiables; providing	a breadth and depth of writing	ng opportunities.	
Poems with Imagery	Letters – formal and	Fiction- Older Literature	Non-fiction - persuasion	Narrative - Communication,	Poetry – poems with a
Poems with Imagery (3-4 weeks) Purpose: A descriptive poem Audience: published on the school's website	Letters – formal and informal (2-3 weeks) Purpose: complaint from Dorothy to Oz Audience: Characters within the book.	Fiction- Older Literature (2 weeks) Purpose: Narrative re-tell of key scenes: feud and fish tank Audience: other characters within the play	Non-fiction - persuasion (2.5 weeks) Purpose: persuasive advert 'potion' Audience: The people of Verona	Narrative—Communication, Diary & re-tell (3 weeks) Purpose: another event in the story where one or more characters, August's diary entry the night before he goes to school for the first time & re-tell with innovated context Audience: Character from the book & pupil's in Year 5	Poetry – poems with a structure (2 weeks) Purpose: innovated song based on a model Audience: Assembly / leavers production
Biography (3-4weeks) Purpose: A biography on a person of interest Audience: Ducksters.com website have asked for updated entries	Assessment Week	Fiction – Older Literature (1-2 week) Purpose: a diary entry in role as character Audience: Missing entries in the play.	Assessment week	Non-fiction - Biography (2 weeks) Purpose: biography based on the main character August Pullman Audience: To be added to the end of the book	Writing Moderation - June
	Classic Fiction (4 weeks) Purpose: Write a missing chapter Audience: Puffin Classics publishers	Non-Fiction (2 weeks) Purpose: Formal/informal letter Audience: characters from the play	Non-fiction - debate (2.5 weeks) Purpose: To debate a key point from Romeo and Juliet Audience: Other Year 6 pupils	Non-fiction – discussion & debate (1 week) Purpose: discursive essay on a given subject matter from the book Audience: Peers – hold a class 'question time' / record on IPADs and share with QR codes ** The unit lends itself to an extra outcome of a newspaper if the extra skills and evidence are required**	*A range of writing genres to fulfil framework expectations for a range of evidence*