Reception Writing Cycle

| YR | | Autumn – First Half Term | Autumn – Second Half Term | Spring – First Half Term | Spring – Second Half Term | Summer – First Half Term | Summer – Second Half Term |
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| Р | Project | Me and My School | Starry Night | <u>Dangerous Dinosaurs /</u> <u>Reptiles</u> | Heroes and Villains | Creep, Crawl and Wriggle | On the Beach |
| | Focus Subjects | PSED / C&L / UW People, Cultures and Communities Past and Present | EAD Creating with materials UW Natural world | UW Natural world Past and Present | Literacy Writing EAD Being imaginative and expressive | UW Natural World | Literacy Writing / Reading PSED Building relationships |
| | Key text (fiction) | More people to Love Me By Mo O'Hara Note People to Love Me Full, full, full of Love By Trish Cooke Full, Full, Full of LOVE | Whatever Next By Jill Murphy Whatever Next In Marphy Whatever Next | Blue Chameleon by Emily Gravett Blue Gravett Blue Gravett I Don't Like Snakes By Nicola Davies (Fiction/Non- Fiction) I DON'T LIKE SNAKES Nicola Davies (Fiction/Non- Fiction) | Supertato By Sue Hendra SUPERIALO A Superhero Like You By Dr Ranj Singh | Adaargh Spider By Lydia Monks Fider What the Ladybird Heard By Julia Donaldson | Sharing A Shell By Julia Donaldson The Night Pirates By Peter Harris |
| а | Addition al Texts (Fiction) | My dad is brilliant/My mum is amazing (Nick Butterworth) So Much (Trish Cooke) Leon and Bob (Simon James) My Daddy is a Giant (Carl Norac) How to Babysit a Grandma (Jean Reagan) Mum and Dad Glue (Kes Gray) | Look Up – Nathan Bryan Night Monkey, Day Monkey by Julia Donaldson Peace At Last by Jill Murphy Man on the Moon by Simon Bartram Beegu by Alexis Deacon | What's So Special About by Nicky Dee Stomp, dinosaur, Stomp! By Margaret Mayo The Girl and the Dinosaur by Hollie Hughes Dinosaur Lady by Linda Skeers Tyrannosaurus Drip by Julia Donaldson Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs by There's A Snake in My School by David Walliams Never Shake A Rattlesnake by Michaela Morgan The Snake Hotel by Brian Moss The Mixed Up Chameleon by Eric Carle The Magic Paintbrush by Julia Donaldson Cleversticks by Bernard Ashley Snakes (National Geographic Kids) by Melissa Stewart Snakes by Annabelle Lynch Snakelet to Snake by Camilla de la Bedoyere | Even Superheroes Have Bad Days Supertato story series Traction Man by Mini Grey Superworm by Julia Donaldson Superhero Dad by Timothy Knapman Eliot the midnight super hero by Anne Cottringer Juniper Jupiter* by Lizzy Stewart Super Daisy by Kes Gray Nat Fantastic by Gile Andreae | The Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle Superworm by Julia Donaldson What the Ladybird Heard Next by Julia Donaldson Mad About Minibeasts by Giles Andreae Bad-Tempered Ladybird by Eric Carle Snail Trail by Ruth Brown | Anemone is not the Enemy — Anna McGregor My Ocean is Blue — Darren Lebeuf Mrs Pirate by Nick Sharratt Pirates Love Underpants by Claire Freedman My Granny is a Pirate by Val McDermid 10 Little Pirates by Mike Brownlow What the Ladybird Heard on Holiday by Julia Donaldson Tiddler/Snail and the Whale by Julia Donaldson Commotion in the Ocean by Giles Andreae Barry the Fish with Fingers by Sue Hendra 1 is a Snail, 10 is a Crab by April Sayre |

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| Key text (non- fiction) | Martha Maps it Out – Leigh Hodgkinson | All through the night – Polly Faber Meet the Planets – Caryl Hart We are all astronauts – Kate Parkhurst Look Inside Space - Usborne | Do you love bugs? Matt Robertson Big Book of Bugs – Zommer The Bug Collector – Alex Griffiths | Super Milly and the Super School Day – Stephanie Clarkson | Colours, colours everywhere – Julia Donaldson Do you love bugs? – Matt Robertson Insect Detective – Steve Voake The Big Book of Bugs – Yuval Zommer | Meet the Weather – Caryl Hart |
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| poem | Humpty Dumpty | Twinkle Twinkle Little Star | The Dinosaur Subtracting | Grand Old Duke of York | Incy, Wincy Spider | At the Seaside |
| Writing Opportu nities | Initial sounds (labelling map feature) Begin CVC word writing Introduce correct handwriting posture and tripod grip. Letter formation. Labels and captions Name writing (own and family names) – use of Name cards | Develop CVC word writing Sequencing a story and adding captions. Name writing – Independently and using Name Cards List writing (ingredients Pumpkin soup/Christmas wishlist) Letter formation. | - Continue to develop CVC word writing (incorporating phonemes and digraphs) - Reptile fact sentences (beginning to use punctuation: capital letters and full stops) | - Onomatopoeia/in terjections - Design own superhero and write descriptive sentence Begins to use some Red Words in short sentences. | - Minibeast fact sentences (using full stops and capital letters) - Writing instructions to make a wormery. Sentences using language: first, next, after that, finally - Invitations to a minibeast tea party | - Descriptive undersea sentences (adjectives) - Writing a poem using Commotion in the Ocean (Giles Andreae) as inspiration - Sentence writing inspired by The Night Pirates – use adjectives created previously - Create a mixed up animal and write about it (inspired by The Singing Mermaid) |