## Garden Suburb Junior School

English Curriculum Overview 2021 - 2022

Year Group: 4



	Autumn 1 (7 weeks)		Autumn 2 (7 weeks)			
Genre & Text Type	Narrative	Biographies	Biographies	Poetry	Narrative – Story writing	
Possible Novels & Extracts	Woof – Alan Ahlberg	Ruby Bridges – Black History Inspirational Women	Research over Christmas An inspirational person of choice to write about	Alan Ahlberg - scissors Alan Ahlberg Please Mrs Butler <u>https://clpe.org.uk/poetry/poet/allan-</u> <u>ahlberg-14412</u>	Butterfly Lion Michael Morpurgo	
Punctuation and grammar	Narrative & biography - Grammar         • To use personification, metaphors and similes         • To use a wide range of adverbials         • To use a wide range of conjunctions         • To use a wide range of conjunctions         • To use fronted adverbials         • To use fronted adverbials         • To use subordinate clauses and subordinating conjunctions         • To use subordinate clauses and subordinating conjunctions         • To use a mix of nouns and pronouns for cohesion         • To use a variety of sentence structures         • Techniques to build tension/suspense         Narrative & Biography - Punctuation         • To punctuate direct speech correctly         • Apostrophes for possession         • Use commas after fronted adverbials and subordinate clauses         • To use commas to mark relative clauses         • To use commas to mark relative clauses         • To use bullet points to list items		Poetry - Grammar         • To use a variety of sentence structures         • To use expanded noun phrases         • To use personification, metaphors and similes         • To identify rhyming words         • To follow a rhyme scheme         • To include a certain number of syllables in a line of poetry         • To organise writing into stanzas         Poetry -Punctuation         • To use capital letters at the start of each line         • To use a comma at the end of a line when a sentence is split across two lines         • To use exclamation marks accurately         • To use ellipsis to indicate a pause			
Spelling	<ul> <li>Adding suffixes beginning with syllable –ing</li> <li>I sound spelt y, U sound spelt</li> </ul>	n vowels to words with more than one ou, Prefixes- in, im	<ul> <li>Before root word beginning with m or p, in- becomes im-</li> <li>Before a root word starting with r, in- becomes ir-</li> <li>Prefix - inter- means between or among</li> <li>Prefix - super- means above, Prefix - anti- means against, auto- means self or own</li> </ul>			

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	Spring 1 (6 weeks)		Spring 2 (6 weeks)		
Genre / Text Type	Narrative – Story writing	Narrative: character description	Persuasive texts:	Performance Poetry	
Possible Novels / Extracts	Butterfly Lion Michael Morpurgo	Iron Man Ted Hughes	Russian culture/tourism	Alan Ahlberg Please Mrs Butler Alan Ahlberg – heard it in the playground	
	Narrative & biography - Grammar		Persuasive texts - Grammar		
	• To use personification, metaphors and similes		• To use imperative verbs		
	• To use a wide range of adverbials		To use rhetorical questions		
	• To use a wide range of conjunctions		• To use expanded noun phrases		
	• To use fronted adverbials		• To use relative pronouns and clauses		
	To use expanded noun phrases		<ul> <li>To use a wide range of adverbials</li> </ul>		
Punctuation and	<ul> <li>To use subordinate clauses and subordinating conjunctions</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>To use a wide range of conjunctions</li> </ul>		
Grammar	• To use a mix of nouns and pronouns for cohesion				
	• To use a variety of sentence structures		Persuasive texts - Punctuation		
	Techniques to build tension/suspense		• To use capital letters for proper nouns		
	Narrative & Biography - Punctuation		<ul> <li>To use question marks and exclamation marks accurately</li> </ul>		
	To punctuate direct speech correctly		• To use commas to mark relative clauses		
	<ul> <li>To use apostrophes for possession</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>To use commas after fronted adverbials and subordinate clauses</li> </ul>		
	• To use commas after fronted adverbials and subordinate clauses				
	HFW from the Year 4 spelling list		• Suffix sound 'sure'		
	<ul> <li>Suffix '-ation' - added to verbs to form nouns</li> </ul>		• suffix '-ous'		
Spelling	• Suffix '-ly'		• words with the 'k' sound spelt 'ch' e.g. scheme, chorus		
	• Suffix '-sure'		• To spell words with the 'sh' sound spelt 'ch' e.g. chef, machine		
	• Suffix '-sion'		<ul> <li>Suffix sound 'sion' – tion, sion, ssion, cion</li> </ul>		

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	Summer 1 (6 weeks)		Summer 2 (7 weeks)		
Genre / Text Type	Narrative	Non-chronological reports	Non-chronological reports	Explanation	
Possible Novels / Extracts	Theseus and the Minotaur Other Greek myths	Greek Myths	Greek Myths	Until I Met Dudley Context of machines	
Punctuation and Grammar	<ul> <li>Narrative &amp; non-chronological reports - Grammar</li> <li>To categorise comparative adjectives and adverbs</li> <li>To use explore the use of precise verbs</li> <li>To use paragraphs</li> <li>To use prepositions</li> <li>Techniques to build tension/suspense</li> <li>Narrative &amp; non-chronological reports - Punctuation</li> <li>To punctuate direct speech correctly</li> <li>To use apostrophes for possession</li> <li>To use commas after fronted adverbials and subordinate clauses</li> <li>To use capital letters for proper nouns</li> <li>To use commas to mark relative clauses</li> </ul>		Explanation texts - Grammar         • To use subordinate clauses and subordinating conjunctions         • To use expanded noun phrases         • To use relative pronouns and clauses         • To use the perfect present tense         • To use a wide range of adverbials         • To use a wide range of conjunctions <b>Explanation texts - Punctuation</b> • To use commas to separate items in a list         • To use question marks and exclamation marks accurately         • To use commas to mark relative clauses         • To use commas to mark relative clauses		
Spelling	<ul> <li>To explore words which have the endings (ture, sure, sion)</li> <li>To explore words which use t(cher) with an er ending To explore words which have the suffix ous</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>To explore words which have the suffix ous</li> <li>To explore words which end in tion, sion, ssion, cion</li> <li>To explore words with the k sound spelt ch</li> <li>To explore words with the sh sound spelt ch</li> <li>Words ending with the g sound spelt gue and k sound spelt que To explore words with Latorigin – <i>s sound spelt sc</i></li> </ul>		