

English Curriculum Key Vocabulary

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
<p>English Grammar: letter, capital letter, word, sentence, full stop, question mark</p>	<p>English Grammar: letter, capital letter, word, sentence, plural, singular, full stop, question mark, exclamation mark, punctuation</p>	<p>English Grammar: noun, noun phrase, statement, question, exclamation, command, compound, suffix, adjective, adverb, verb, tense (past present), apostrophe, comma</p>	<p>English Grammar: Preposition, conjunction, word family, prefix, clause, subordinate clause, direct speech, consonant, consonant letter vowel, vowel letter, inverted commas</p>	<p>English Grammar: Determiner, pronoun, possessive pronoun, adverbial</p>
<p>Genre specific vocab: Non-fiction: Poster, non fiction, information, instructions, letter, title</p> <p>Poetry: Descriptive, rhyming</p> <p>Narrative: Story writing, imagination, fiction</p>	<p>Genre specific vocab: Non Fiction: Bossy words, recount, first person, non-chronological report, postcard, greeting, captions, order</p> <p>Poetry: List poem, alliterative poem</p> <p>Narrative: Traditional tale, setting, characters, plot</p>	<p>Genre specific vocab: Non-fiction: Diary entry, pronouns, imperative verbs, persuasive letters, subheading, chronological order</p> <p>Poetry: Descriptive poem</p> <p>Narrative: Exclamatory sentence, introduction, build-up, problem, ending, paragraphs</p>	<p>Genre specific vocab: Non-fiction: information leaflet, newspaper report, explanation text, informal language, eye-witness, pun, for and against</p> <p>Poetry: Simile poem, simile conjunction poem</p> <p>Narrative: Fable</p>	<p>Genre specific vocab: Non-fiction: instruction guide, biography</p> <p>Poetry: Character poem, haiku poem, metaphor poem,</p> <p>Narrative: Myth narrative</p>
<p>Vocab related to the text: Autumn 1: underneath, peered, doorway, disappeared, guarding, otherwise</p> <p>Autumn 2: treasure, tickly, glittery, special, loved, shinier</p> <p>Spring 1: sneaky, brave, lonely, mission side-kick, checklist, audition, daunted, perfect</p> <p>Spring 2:</p>	<p>Vocab related to the text: Autumn 1: marvellous, wobble, collapsed, rotten, propellor, whizzed, muffled, propped, bravely</p> <p>Autumn 2: trapped, riches, cackled, curse boldly, explore, secretly suspected, snarled, returning</p> <p>Spring 1: Detective, typewriter, pest, reward, hurl, mysteries, suspects</p>	<p>Vocab related to the text: Autumn 1: mangroves, peer, gazing stretching into the distance, swept away, towards the horizon, plumes of smoke, murmuring of running water, feel many eyes watching, river opens up, endless stream of busyness</p> <p>Autumn 2: discovered, sculpture, dashed, masterpiece, festivities, unfamiliar,</p>	<p>Vocab related to the text: Autumn 1: possessions, consuming, mayhem, armed, consider, sheer, disguising, vivid, bait, selected, immobilise, disastrous</p> <p>Autumn 2 charred, clamped, tend scrub, stringybarks, rejoices streak, exults, scarcely, triumph, huddles, adrift</p> <p>Spring 1: streams, plunge, current, winding jets, gratefully</p>	<p>Vocab related to the text: Autumn 1: rickety, ominous, unkempt, elusive, billowed, quest, torrents, tormented</p> <p>Autumn 2 habit, situation, drifted, deserted, rifled, matted, shunned, landmark</p> <p>Spring 1: humble ancestors subsequent epic, unlikeliest, plunged, bounded, clambered, canopy, embers,</p>

<p>journey, forest, growled, plan, shortcut, spare, nightdress peeped, leapt</p> <p>Summer 1: ordinary, roamed, soared, planted,tools,eventually,imagini ng</p> <p>Summer 2: raged, shore, washed up, wondered, belonged, sneak</p>	<p>clues</p> <p>Spring 2: gnashed, tamed, rumpus, supper,vines, mischief, wild,cried</p> <p>Summer 1: glimpse mysterious outsmart unnoticed,translucent, scrapes, shore, echoed</p> <p>Summer 2: hunting flung popgun supplies,stalking,lurked slithered, bracken, pounced, Lynx</p>	<p>admire, evidence</p> <p>Spring 1: dell, newts, bluebells, gravel damp, pale</p> <p>Spring 2: boomed, deck, lurched,horizon shore, shack,shipshape, wonders, ledge</p> <p>Summer 1: unusual, ban, reign,advisors revolt, rumours ,demanded</p> <p>artificial, installed, issued,inspectors, fine, glare, distraction, elsewhere, dim, unguarded, shuddered, avoided</p> <p>Summer 2: stash, perplexed, eaves, gizmos, pythons, dismayed hooted, wheezed,hauled cockpit, baffled, sputter</p>	<p>Spring 2: voyage, magnificent, civilised,yearn drape, farewell,possessions, gazed, boughs,orchid, savages, garments</p> <p>Summer 1: glimpse, ornate, unearthly,papyrus location, archaeologists,reveal, tomb, excavations</p> <p>Summer 2: huddling, terrified, becoming darker, children huddled, all was quiet, sweet fruity cake, dreadful sound, something was following me</p>	<p>meddling, outwit,justice parchment,triumphantly,solemnly</p> <p>Spring 2: fumbling, kindling, jackpot villainous, skimmed, noosed vicious, snarled,lair, tipple,hideously, agog</p> <p>Summer 1: chaos, escape, sighs, avoid, border, appears, migrating, guard</p> <p>Summer 2: blueprints, allowance, villainous, manfish, dove, camouflaged</p>
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