

## Whole School Overview of Writing Genres

Genre	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Narrative	mystery	issues and dilemmas	legends	flashbacks
	stories from other cultures		stories from other cultures	stories from other cultures
	novel as a theme	novel as a theme	novel as a theme	novel as a theme
	fables	fairy tales	historical narrative	classic fiction
	folk tales	myths	Fiction from our literary heritage	science fiction
	playscripts	playscripts	film & playscripts	detective/crime
		fantasy		
Non-fiction		instructions	instructions	
	recounts in diaries	recounts in newspapers	recount in autobiography	recounts in diaries in role of character recounts in biographies
	recount in autobiography			
	non-chronological reports	non-chronological reports	formal report writing	Report writing both NCR & chronological
	persuasion in letters	Persuasion in letters	persuasion in radio or T.V	persuasion in letters and brochures
	explanations	explanations	explanations	explanations
	discussion: debating	discussion: for & against	discussion with a formal debate	discussion formal written
Poetry	take 1 poet: poetry appreciation	take 1 poet: poetry appreciation	take 1 poet: poetry appreciation	take 1 poet: poetry appreciation
	classic poetry for learning by heart & performance	poems for learning by heart & performance	RAP learning by heart & performance	RAP learning by heart & performance
	Structure calligrams, couplets -kennings & cinquain	Structure kennings & cinquain	Structure haiku & limericks	
		poems with figurative language	poems with figurative language	
			-classic narrative poetry	-classic narrative poetry
		non-sense poems		free verse poetry