English Writing Genre Map – Year 2 2024-2025

Y2	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Writing Units	**Unit 1**	**Unit 1**	**Unit 1**	**Unit 1**	**Unit 1**	**Unit 1**
	Power of Reading 1 The Storm Whale	**Fiction Unit 1** Stories by the same author (Julia Donaldson)	**Non-Fiction 2** Explanation text How to catch a star	**Power of Reading 2** The Man on the Moon	**Power of Reading 3** *Egg Box Dragon*	**Power of Reading 4** Traction Man
	Unit 2	**Unit 2**	**Unit 2**	**Unit 2**	**Unit 2**	**Unit 2**
	Non-Fiction 1 Non-chronological reports (Habitats –topic link)	**Poetry 1** School Poems Please Mrs Butler **and** **Fiction Unit 2** Edgar the excitable dragon	**Poetry 2** Shape Poems **and** **Non-Fiction 3** Newspaper report (describing our enterprise)	**Non-Fiction 4** Recount (school trip)	**Continuation of Egg Box Dragon (mixture of fiction and non-fiction writing)**	**Non-Fiction 5** Instructions **and** recount/transition writing

	Word	Sentence	Text	Punctuation	Terminology
Grammar	Formation of **nouns** using **suffixes** such as –ness, -er and by compounding Formation of **adjectives** using **suffixes** such as –*ful, -less* Use of the **suffixes** *-er, -est* in **adjectives** and the use of –ly to turn adjectives into **adverbs**	**Subordination** (using *when, if, that, because*) and **co-ordination** (using *or, and, but*) Expanded **noun phrases** for description and specification (eg. *the blue butterfly, plain flour, the man in the moon*) **How grammar indicates** a *statement, question or command*	Correct choice and consistent use of **present tense** and **past tense** throughout writing Use of the **progressive** form of **verbs** in the **present** and **past tense** to mark actions in progress (eg. *she is drumming, he was shouting*)	Use of capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks to demarcate **sentences** Commas to separate items in a list **Apostrophes** to mark where letters are missing in spelling **omission** and to mark singular **possession** in nouns (eg. *the girl's name*)	Noun, noun phrase, statement, question, exclamation, command, compound, suffix, adjective, adverb, verb, tense (past, present), apostrophe, comma.