

Luxulyan Novel Study Overview

Term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	Hansel & Gretel We're Going on A Bear Hunt By Michael Rosen	Stickman by Julia Dondaldson Christmas Story	Runaway Wok by Ying Chang Compestine NF— Dinosaurs	Dinosaur Dreams by Allan Ahlberg Jack & The Beanstalk Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day Year A Flotsam by David Wiesner Year B The Lost Words	Handa's Surprise by Eileen Browne Sally Sprocket Builds a Rocket by Sue Fliess	
Beech 1/2 Year A	Novel: Stanley's Stick by Neal Layton Video Unit: The Black Hat	Novel: Black Dog by Levi Pinfold Whole School Writing Theme: Christ- mas Story	Novel: The Pirates Next Door by Jonny Duddle Video Unit: Way Back Home	Novel: Traction Man by Mini Grey Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day Flotsam by David Wiesner	Novel: The Day the Crayons Quit By Oliver Jefffers Video unit: The Clocktower	Novel: Meerkat Mail by Emily Gravett Optional Video Unit: Catch It Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular Parent Open Afternoon
Beech 1/2 Year B	Novel: The Colour Monster by Anna Lenas Video Unit: A Cloudy Lesson	Novel: Winter's Child By Angela Mcallister/Grahame Baker- Smith Whole School Writing Theme: Remembrance	Novel: Toby and The Great Fire of London By Margaret Nash Video Unit: Zahra	Novel: Dread Cat By Michael Rosen Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day The Lost Words by Robert Macfarlane & Jackie Morris	Novel: The Tin Forest by Helen Ward Video Unit: The Ugly Sharkling	Novel: Flat Stanley by Jeff Brown Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular Parent Open Afternoon
Sycamore 3/4 Year A	How to Train Your Dragon by Cressida Cowell Video Unit: Evol	A Midsummer Night's Dream By Shakespeare Whole School Writing Theme: Christmas: One Christmas Wish by Katherine Rundell	George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl Video Unit: Treasure	The Butterfly Lion by Michael Morpurgo Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day Flotsam by David Wiesner	The Boy who Grew Dragons by Andy Shepherd Video Unit: The Lighthouse	Arthur and the Golden Rope by Joe Todd-Stanton Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular Emperors and Empires Parent Open Afternoon
Sycamore 3/4 Year B	The Lost Thing by Shaun Tan Video Unit: Ride of Passage	The Nothing to See Here Hotel by Steven Butler Whole School Writing Theme: Remembrance	The Iron Man by Ted Hughes Video Unit: Girl and Robot	Varjak Paw by S F Said Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day The Lost Words by Robert Macfarlane & Jackie Morris	Matilda by Roald Dahl Video Unit: Home Sweet Home	The Firework Maker's Daughter by Phillip Pullman Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular Ancient Civilisations Parent Open Afternoon
Oak 5/6 Year A	Cogheart by Peter Bunzl Video Unit: For the Birds	Skellig by David Almond Whole School Writing Theme: Christ- mas Story Refuge by Anne Booth	Boy at the Back of the Class by Onjali Rauf Video Unit: Little Freak	Wonder by R.J. Palacio Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day Flotsam by David Wiesner	Goodnight Mr Tom by Michelle Magorian Video Unit: The Tale of Three Brothers	Clockwork by Philip Pullman Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular Parent Open Afternoon
Oak 5/6 Year B	Wolf Wilder by Katherine Rundell Video Unit: Road's End	Holes by Louis Sachar Whole School Writing Theme: Remembrance	The Arrival by Shaun Tan Video Unit: The Lego Story	A Series of Unfortunate Events by Lemony Snickett Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day The Lost Words by Robert Macfarlane & Jackie Morris	Macbeth by Shakespeare Video Unit: Eye of the Storm	Who Let the Gods Out? by Maz Evans Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular Parent Open Afternoon



Beech Novel Study Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Novel Study Year A	Stanley's Stick by Neal Layton Fantasy	Novel: Black Dog by Levi Pinfold Fable/facing fear/family/ humour	Novel: The Pirates Next Door by Jonny Duddle Friendship/adventure/humour	Novel: Traction Man by Mini Grey comic style/ adventure	Novel: The Day the Crayons Quit By Oliver Jefffers Fantasy/humour	Novel: Meerkat Mail by Emily Gravett Animals/nature/family/advenute
	Setting & Character description Narrative		formal and informal language Descriptive language Write an adventure story— narra- tive	Write a postcard Speech Write a newspaper report Interview with a character Adverbs/conjunctions Narrative	Persuasion Letter of complaint List poem	Setting description to include in diary entry. Information text Writing Fact Files
Video Unit Year A	The Black Hat Fairy-tale/1st person narra- tive	Whole School Writing Theme: Christmas Story	Way Back Home	Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day Tuesday by David Wiesner	The Clocktower	Optional Video Unit: Catch It Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular School Days Parent Open Afternoon
	Adjectives, noun phrases Free verse poetry Setting description Sentence types/word class Diary entry	Playscripts Christmas play	Write a character description adjectives, expanded noun phrases, conjunctions	Newspaper report	Narrative expanded noun phrases emotive descriptive language conjunctions	Narrative recount Sports commentary style as a comic book. Curriculum Maestro List poems
Novel Study	Novel: The Colour Monster by Anna Lenas emotions/wellbeing	Novel: Winter's Child By Angela Mcallister/ Grahame Baker-Smith Christmas Story/Nativity Fantasy	Novel: Toby and The Great Fire of London By Margaret Nash historical adventure	Novel: Dread Cat By Michael Rosen Humorous/nature/animals/ adventure	Novel: The Tin Forest by Helen Ward Fantasy/nature/Sci-Fi	Novel: Flat Stanley by Jeff Brown Stories with a moral
Year B	Free verse poetry adjectives & verbs similes & conjunctions 1st person narrative from the pov of the colour monster	Performance Poetry Writing a sense poem. Christmas Playscript	Adjectives Haiku Recount Information text	Explanation Free verse poetry adjectives, nouns, adverbs and verbs Explanation text how to stay safe from cats		Informal & Formal Letter Postcard apostrophes Information text for the famous Museum of Art.
Video Unit	A Cloudy Lesson	Whole School Writing Theme: Remembrance	Zahra Stories from around the world	Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day The Lost Words	The Ugly Sharkling	Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular Magnificent Mo archs Parent Open Afternoon
Year B	Instructions imperative verbs Diary/Journal Dialogue between two characters in a narrative.	British Legion KS1 Growing Poetry Through Remembrance Figurative language	Expanded Noun phrases sentence types Poster with character description Narrative with dialogue	Writing Outcomes: Acrostic Poetry Descriptive Vocabulary	Postcard Adjectives and character de- scription	Curriculum Maestro Kennings poems



Sycamore Novel Study Overview

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	How to Train Your Dragon by Cressida Cowell fantasy/myths & legends/ humour/adventure	A Midsummer Night's Dream By Shakespeare Classic	George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl fantasy/family/humour	The Butterfly Lion by Michael Morpurgo historical/nature/animals/ adventure	The Boy who Grew Dragons by Andy Shepherd fantasy/myths/legens/adventure	Arthur and the Golden Rope by Joe Todd-Stanton Adventure/1st person narrative
Novel Study Year A	Writing Outcomes: Narrative Writing Character emotions Propositional Phrases Punctuating Speech 1st person retelling Non Chronological report.	Writing Outcomes: 1 st person narrative Descriptive language Character & Setting Description Similes. Fronted Adverbials Head, heart & Speaking voice	Writing Outcomes: Recount— incident report/ witness statement Instructions List poem		Writing Outcomes: Poetry Information Texts Diary Entry Informal Letter	Writing Outcomes: Narrative writing Character descriptions Planning Diary Entry in character Persuasive letters
	Evol fantasy/Sci-Fi	Whole School Writing Theme: Christmas Story One Christmas Wish by Katherine Rundell	Treasure Realism/3rd person narrative	Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day Flotsam by David Wiesner	The Lighthouse	Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular Emperors and Empires Parent Open Afternoon
Video Unit Year A	Writing Outcomes: Narrative Kennings Diary Non-Chron Report	Writing Outcomes: Narrative Openings	Writing Outcomes: Riddle poem Setting description Diary entry Persuasive letter		Writing Outcomes: Diary Fronted Adverbials Expanded Noun Phrases Sentence Openers Possessive Apostrophes Formal/Informal	Writing Outcomes: Curriculum Maestro Roman Myths
	The Lost Thing by Shaun Tan Picture book, diversity	The Nothing to See Here Hotel by Steven Butler fantasy/adventure/humour	The Iron Man by Ted Hughes Fable/fantasy/fear/adventure/Sci-Fi Topic Links: Robots, Differences, Fairytales, Metal	Varjak Paw by S F Said Adventure/Dystopia	Matilda by Roald Dahl fantasy/humour/Magic Relationships/Good Vs Evil	The Firework Maker's Daughter by Phillip Pullman Fantasy/diverse culture/Adventure/ Back Story
Novel Study Year B	Writing Outcomes: Character description Poster Postcard Recount Playcript Persuasive Argument	Writing Outcomes: Postcard Diary Journalistic writing Limerick	Writing Outcomes: Description Action sequences Diary Instructions Refugees	Writing Outcomes: Narrative Non Chron. Report	Writing Outcomes: Playscript Diary	Writing Outcomes: Informal letter Character and setting description Stories from Other cultures
	Ride of Passage Adventure	Whole School Writing Theme: Remembrance	Girl and Robot	Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day The Lost Words	Home Sweet Home Adventure/playscript	Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular Ancient Civilisations Parent Open Afternoon
Video Unit Year B	Writing Outcomes: Narrative writing Demonstrating passing of time Organising paragraphs Setting description Dialogue	Writing Outcomes: British Legion KS2 Growing Poetry Through Remembrance Figurative language	Writing Outcomes: Diary entry Instruction text Narrative ending	Writing Outcomes: Acrostic Poetry Descriptive Vocabulary	Writing Outcomes: Descriptive writing Setting Character Dialogue Playscript Narrative Recount	Writing Outcomes: Curriculum Maestro select from: Instructions Free verse Poetry Stories from Other cultures



Oak Novel Study Overview

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Novel Study	Cogheart by Peter Bunzl Adventure/Historical-Victorian/ Sci-Fi/Mystery/Family	Skellig by David Almond Fantasy/Monologue/Soliloquy	The Boy at the Back of the Class by Onjali Rauf Other cultures/diversity/family/ adventure	Wonder by R.J. Palacio diversity/facing a fear	Who Let the Gods Out? by Maz Evans 3rd person narrative/Fantasy	Clockwork by Philip Pullman Historical/Spooky/Ghostly/1st per- son narrative
Year A	Journalistic Writing	Persuasion			Journalistic Writing	Formal Letter
	For the Birds	Whole School Writing Theme: Christmas Story Refuge by Ann Booth	Little Freak Monologue	Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day	The Tale of Three Brothers	Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular Parent Open Afternoon
Video Unit Year A	Persuasion Informal Letter	The Christmas story retold: Refuge – in pictures Children's books The Guardian Ist person narrative recount exploring the theme that Mary and Joseph were refugees. Links to modern refugees.	Diary/Journal Persuasion Informal Letter Figurative poetry		Narrative Poetry	
Novel Study Year B	Wolf Wilder by Katherine Rundell Fairy-tale/Fable/Other cul- tures/diversity/family/ adventure/ historical	Holes by Louis Sachar Mystery/Adventure/Humour/ Flashback	The Arrival by Shaun Tan Picture book/diversity family	A Series of Unfortunate Events by Lemony Snickett Fairy-tale/Adventure/family/ humour/mystery	Goodnight Mr Tom by Michelle Magorian 3rd person narrative/Historical text WW2	Macbeth by Shakespeare Classic
	Journalistic Writing Speech/Public Speaking Black out Poetry	Informal Letter		Diary/Journal	Speech/Public Speaking	Journalistic Writing Persuasion Debate Informal Letter Speech/Public Speaking Balanced Argument
Video Unit Year A	Road's End	Whole School Writing Theme: Remembrance	The Lego Story Monologue	Whole School Writing Theme: World Book Day The Lost Words	Eye of the Storm Flashback/Sci-Fi/Fantasy	Whole School Writing Theme: Cross Curricular Parent Open Afternoon
	1st Person narrative/Recount	War Poetry	Report Biographical	Writing Outcomes: Acrostic Poetry Descriptive Vocabulary	Diary/Journal	