

Neston Primary School – English: Curriculum Map – Year 3









Year 3	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Snack and story texts	The Hodgeheg - Dick King Smith The Secrets of a Sun King - Emma Carroll	The Secrets of a Sun King - Emma Carroll (continued) The Time Travelling Cat and the Egyptian Goddess - Julia Jarman Tadeo Jones (Literacy Shed) video	Littlenose Collection - John Grant	Stig of the Dump - Clive King	Roman Diary: The Journal of Iliona - A Young Slave	The Thieves of Ostia - Caroline Lawrence
Class text/s	Egyptian Cinderella - Shirley Cimo	Tadeo Jones (Literacy Shed) video	Stone Age Boy by Satoshi Kitamura	Stig of the Dump by Ciive King	Escape from Pompeii - Christina Balit	Romulus and Remus The Firework Maker's Daughter - Philip Pullman
Other texts, including non-fiction and poetry	List poems from Year 3 Lockdown poetry by Pie Corbett and Dean Thompson Listen to a reading of these three poems here: https://soundcloud.com/talkforwriting/delicate/s- WHFBgukqul Six things that I spy Listen to a reading of these three poems here: https://soundcloud.com/talkforwriting/delicate/s- WHFBgukqul Haiku Samples from Hamilton Trust (year 3) Facing the Truth Haiku Through the Year Haikus The Haiku Monster	Gods and Goddesses of Ancient Egypt - Leon Ashworth	Syllabic poetry such as Haiku, Tanka or Cinquain	Juggling with Gerbils - Brian Patton Acrostic Poems		Instructions on how to wash an elephant
Fiction writing opportunities	Cold Write – Cinderella Write a narrative based on Egyptian Cinderella Talk for Writing - Egyptian Cinderella (narrative) Diamante poetry	Cold Write - Diary Writing Write a diary from the point of view of Tadeo Jones My List of Delicate Things (Poetry) Six Things That I Spy (Poetry)	Talk for Writing - The Stone Age Boy Children write their own version of The Stone Age Boy - with innovations (e.g. how character travelled to the Stone Age, who the main character met in the cave, etc.)	Writing a poem for Mother's Day - Acrostic Poem	Planning their own story based on Escape from Pompeii	Playscript of a conversation between Romulus and Remus
Non-fiction writing opportunities		Non-fiction non- chrological report on an Egyptian God or Goddess	Stone Age leaflet - The Celtic Roundhouse (in history)	Cold Write - letter to Mrs Evans to persuade her to allow the Year 3 class next year to go on a trip to Stonehenge Model the letter above Writing a persuasive letter to parents (child's choice)		Instructions on how to wash an elephant

VGP objectives	Determiners – a and an Adjectives Pronouns Verbs Adverbs Conjunctions Inverted Commas	Statements / Questions Adverbs / fronted adverbials and commas Paragraphs Apostrophes Conjunctions and subordinating conjunctions Prepositions	Inverted Commas Paragraphs Adverbials Fronting adverbials with appropriate punctuation Adjectives Expanded noun phrases Punctuation	Paragraphs Conjunctions (time, cause and place) Fronted adverbials Commas after a fronted adverbial and general punctuation Plurals and possessive apostrophes	Simple noun phrases and expanded noun phrases Prepositions Prepositional phrases Verbs and verb tenses including present perfect tense Determiners	Punctuation used for effect Present tense and imperative verbs (bossy verbs)) Adverbs for time, place and cause Adjectives (expanded noun phrases) Prepositions (prepositional phrases) Dialogue Conjunctions
Curriculum links	Ancient Egypt (History)	Ancient Egypt (History)	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain