## **English Long Term Overview – Year 5**

Autumn 1:	Autumn 2:	Spring 1:	Spring 2:	Summer 1 & 2:	
To Infinity and Beyond	Urban warriors	The Circle of Life	Fairtrade	Time Travellers	
Learning Journey 1	Learning Journey 1	Learning Journey 1	Learning Journey 1	Learning Journey 1	Learning Journey 3
Text Driver: The Life of Canadian Astronaut Chris Hadfield  Darkest Dark Darkest Dark Chris Hadfield	Text Driver: The majestic plastic bag  (mockumentary)  Plastic Bag  George's Secret Key, chapter 26	Text Driver: The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe; The Snow Walker's Son; Alice's Adventures in Wonderland	Text Driver: Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl	Text Driver: The Highwayman  The Highwayman  Highwayman  All Mines Carlo Rapets	Text Driver: The Battle of Hastings
Outcome: To write a biography about a scientist  Key Skills Taught: Grammar – using conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions to express time and cause Organising paragraphs around a theme	Outcome: To write a narrative about how the Great Pacific Garbage Patch began.  Key Skills Taught:  Composition – selecting appropriate grammar to enhance meaning; develop a range of devices to build cohesion in paragraphs – pronouns, determiners, conjunctions and adverbials.  Sentence structure – vary the length of sentences  Grammar – introduction to relative clauses; using the prefect form of verbs to mark relationships of time and cause (have, has, had, will have)	Outcome: To write a narrative description about journey through a portal.  Key Skills Taught:  Sentence structure - (rule of 3 verbs); semi-colon to join 2 independent clauses Composition - changing the position of adverbs for effect; in narratives describe settings, characters and atmosphere	Outcome: To write a new chapter for the book – introduction of a new character who wins a golden ticket.  Key Skills Taught: Composition - Using dialogue to convey character and enhance meaning Grammar - Use inverted commas to indicate speech and new line, new speaker	Outcome: To write a letter or internal monologue from a different viewpoint.  Key Skills Taught:  Composition – figurative language  Sentence structure – parenthesis (dashes)	Outcome: To write a report Key Skills Taught: Grammar – Cohesion within paragraphs  Sentence structure – vary the position of clauses within sentences (colon, semicolons, relative clauses)
Learning Journey 2	Learning Journey 2	Learning Journey 2	Learning Journey 2	Learning Journey 2	Learning Journey 4
Text Driver: Avatar  The Wonder Garden by Jenny Broom  Outcome: To write an information page.  Key Skills Taught:  Composition – Figurative Language –  alliteration, simile, metaphor, onomatopoeia, personification  Sentence structure - Identifying main and	Text Driver: Making Christmas Greener  8 ways to have a green Christmas  Outcome: To write a balanced argument – should we make Christmas greener?  Key Skills Taught: Grammar – introduce modal verbs – limited range; commas for clarity	Outcome: Write a non-chronological report about a 'newly discovered' creature. Explain what animal group it belongs to and what it's life cycle is.  Key Skills Taught: Grammar – Cohesion within paragraphs; relative clauses with a focus on relative pronouns.	Text Driver:  BBC documentary    Section   Sec	Outcome: To write a speech, persuading the soldiers to fight Grendel.  Key Skills Taught:  Sentence structure – vary the position of clauses within sentences (colon, semicolons, relative clauses)	Text Driver: Beowulf  MICHAEL  MORPURGO  BCONVIL  Outcome: To write a Viking kenning  Key Skills Taught:
subordinate clauses and varying the position  Learning Journey 3	Learning Journey 3	Composition – organisational and presentational devices – bullets points, sub-headings  Learning Journey 3	Learning Journey 3		Learning Journey 5
Text Driver: Unsung Hero  https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uaWA2GbcnJU	Text Driver: Earth Shot Prize  DISCOVERTIE POWEROF  CLIMATE  CREATIVITY	Text Driver: Top Gun of the Sky	Text Driver: David Attenborough speech https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o7EpiXViSIQ		Text Driver: Beowulf  MICHAEL  MORPURGO  BEOWULF
Outcome: To write a short letter Key Skills Taught: Sentence structure - Expanded nouns phrases to convey complicated information concisely. Grammar - Commas after fronted adverbials	Outcome: To write to the head teacher to ask for a change in school  Key Skills Taught: Composition – discuss choices linked to purpose and audience  Grammar – formal speech  Sentence structure – sentences with more than one clause	Outcome: To write a poem, which compares an animal to a form of transport  Key Skills Taught: Composition — figurative language -alliteration, simile, metaphor, onomatopoeia, personification, hyperbole	Outcome: To create a leaflet to persuade someone to change a view  Key Skills Taught: Composition – figurative language for persuasion  Grammar – modal verbs wider range used		Outcome: To write a mini-saga, re-telling one of the stories.  Key Skills Taught: Composition — correct tense  Grammar — variety of punctuation to show parenthesis — dashes, brackets and commas