

Medium term plan - Summer 1 Lapwing Class Y3 Miss White

Fiction	Non Fiction	Poetry
<p>Myths and Legends Required texts: How to Catch A Mermaid by Jane Ray The Seal Children by Jackie Morris Beowulf retold by Michael Morpurgo Description: Using Can You Catch a Mermaid, The Seal Children and Beowulf, children explore legends identify their features. They spot and use powerful verbs and adjectives and develop their understanding of past tense and present perfect verbs. Chn plan and write their own legend. Grammar focus: 1. Use powerful verbs and adjectives. 2. Use the present perfect rather than simple past tense 3. Understand that writing can be 3rd or 1st person. 4. Use and punctuate direct speech. 5. Use apostrophes in possessives.</p>	<p>Recounts Required texts: Little Mouse's Book of Fears by Emily Gravett Description: Read Little Mouse's Big Book of Fears by Emily Gravett and enjoy her unusual style. Children discuss fears they had when they were little and create a recount page for a class book. They write a fictional recount about an animal escaping from a predator. Grammar focus: 1. Understand grammatical terms: verb, noun, adjective, adverb. 2. Use adverbs and adverbials (prepositional phrases which act as adverbs). 3. Use past tense 4. Begin to understand the perfect form of verbs.</p>	<p>Creating images Required texts: Window by Jeannie Baker Description: A picture is worth a thousand words? Not if you choose those words wisely! Chn explore how simile and metaphor can be used to create powerful images, though reading and discussing poems. Photographs, collage and Window by Jeannie Baker inspire chn's own image poetry. Grammar focus: 1. Use grammatical terminology specifically by using and recognising adjectives, nouns and adverbs 2. Understand and use adverbials and fronted adverbials. 3. Use and understand grammatical terminology</p>