

## Q1E English Curriculum: Year 4

| Term  | Text or Context   | Writing Focus         |
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| Autumn 1  | Something Else, Once upon An Ordinary School Day,                                   | Response              |
|   | Leon and the Place Between - Angela McAllister                                      | Narrative             |
|   | Leon and the Place Between – Angela McAllister                                      | Recount               |
|   | Leon and the Place Between – Angela McAllister                                      | Narrative             |
|   | Fantastically Great Women who changed the world                                     | Information           |
|   | Poetry: Kennings  | Poetry                |
|   | How does the digestive system work?   | Explanation           |
| Reading: Ellie and the Cat – Malorie Blackman                             |   |                       |
| Autumn 2  | The Lost Thing - Shaun Tan  | Response              |
|   | The Lost Thing + film - Shaun Tan   | Narrative             |
|   | The Lost Thing - Shaun Tan  | Narrative             |
|   | The Iron Man – Ted Hughes   | Recount               |
|   | The Iron Man – Ted Hughes   | Response              |
|   | The Iron Man – Ted Hughes   | Persuasion            |
|   | TV Adverts + Today is a no money day – Kate Milner                                  | Response              |
| Reading: Classic text: Charlotte's Web or Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe |   |                       |
| Spring 1  | Climate Change: global understanding: There's a Rang Tan in my Bedroom - Greenpeace | Presentation          |
|   | Climate Change: local campaign; charity visitors                                    | Explanation           |
|   | Shackleton's Journey: William Grill Being an explorer                               | Persuasion            |
|   | Shackleton's Journey William Grill  | Information           |
|   | Shackleton's Journey William Grill  | Response/information  |
|   | Shackleton's Journey William Grill  | Persuasion            |
| Reading: Race to the Frozen North – Mathew Hansen story -Catherin Johnson |   |                       |
| Spring 2  | Poetry: Sensational   | Response              |
|   | World book Day: Christian Robinson  | Narrative             |
|   | The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane – Kate DiCamillo                            | Narrative             |
|   | The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane – Kate DiCamillo                            | Poetry                |
|   | The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane – Kate DiCamillo                            | Biography             |
|   | The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane – Kate DiCamillo                            | Information           |
| Reading: The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane - Kate DiCamillo         |   | Information:          |
| Summer 1  | El Deafo (graphic novel) Cece Bell  | Narrative             |
|   | El Deafo (graphic novel) Cece Bell  | Recount – news report |
|   | El Deafo (graphic novel) Cece Bell  | Narrative             |
|   | Performance poetry: Joseph Coelho and Benjamin Zephaniah                            | Poetry                |
|   | Poetry Slam Appeal  | Persuasion            |
|   | Performance poetry: Joseph Coelho and Benjamin Zephaniah                            | Poetry                |
| Reading: Runaway Robot - - Frank Cottrell-Boyce (visit)                   |   |                       |
| Summer 2  | Runaway Robot – Frank Cottrell-Boyce  | Response              |
|   | Runaway Robot - Frank Cottrell-Boyce  | Narrative             |
|   | Runaway Robot - Frank Cottrell-Boyce  | Narrative             |
|   | Runaway Robot - Frank Cottrell-Boyce  | Narrative             |
|   | Runaway Robot - Frank Cottrell-Boyce  | Information           |
|   | Film: Oceanmaker  | Explanation           |

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