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| **2016 - 17 ANNUAL Overview for New English Curriculum - Year 1** | | |
| **Reading** | **Writing** | **Grammar** |
| * Match graphemes for all phonemes * Read accurately by blending sounds * Read words with very common suffixes * Read contractions and understand purpose * Read phonics in books aloud * Link reading to own experiences * Join in stories with predictable phrases * Discuss the significance of the title and events * Make simple predictions | * Name letters of the alphabet * Spell very common ‘exception’ words * Spell days of the week * Use very common prefixes and suffixes * Form lower case letters correctly * Form capital letters correctly * Form digits 0 – 9 correctly * Compose sentences orally before writing * Read own writing to peers or teachers | * Leave spaces between words * Begin to use basic punctuation: . ? ! * Use capital letters for proper nouns * Use common plural + verb suffixes |
| **Speaking and Listening** |
| * Listen and respond appropriately * Ask relevant questions * Maintain attention and participate in discussions |

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| **Autumn 1** | **Autumn 2** | **Spring 1** | **Spring 2** | **Summer 1** | **Summer 2** |
| **Stories in Familiar Settings** | **Stories with Repeating Patterns** | **Stories with Repeating Patterns** | **Traditional Tales** | **Fairy Stories and Traditional Tales** | **Fantasy** |
| **Labels, Lists and Signs** | **Information Texts** | **Instructions** | **Information Texts** | **Letters** | **Information Texts** |
| **Songs and Repetitive Poems** | **Poems with Patterns and Rhymes** | **Poems about the Senses** | **Humorous Poems** | **Poems about Nature** | **Traditional Poems** |

**\* For Guided Reading books read during the year, children write a Book Review**