EPA Reception Writing Long Term Plan

	<u>Term 1</u>	Term 2	Term 3	<u>Term 4</u>	<u>Term 5</u>	<u>Term 6</u>
Phonics Phase	Phase 2	Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase 3 Mastery	Phase 4	Phase 4 Mastery
		Phase 3				
(See Phonics						
Progression within the						
'EPA EYFS LTP')						
	Range 4 and 5 (24 – 48 months old: 4	Range 4 and 5 (24 – 48 months	Range 6 (48 months – 71 months: 4	-	Range 6 (48 months – 71 months: 4	Early Learning Goal
	·		•		years old – almost 6 years old)	
Expected Progress and		secure:	Beginning		Secure	Children at the expected level of
Outcomes	Range 4:		5 5		Range 6:	development will:
(end of the term)	 Distinguishes between the set of the set o	een the different	 Enjoys creating texts to 	 Enjoys creating texts to 	 Enjoys creating texts to 	
	marks they make		communicate meaning	communicate meaning for	communicate meaning	
	 Enjoys drawing and 	writing on paper,	for an increasingly wide	an increasingly wide range	for an increasingly	most of which are correctly
	on screen and on d	• • • •	range of purposes, such	of purposes, such as making	wide range of	formed
	such as in sand or p	laydough and	as making greetings	greetings cards, tickets, lists,	purposes, such as	 Spell words by identifying
	through using touch	h-screen technology	cards, tickets, lists,	invitations and creating	making greetings	sounds in them and
			invitations and creating	their own stories and books	cards, tickets, lists,	representing the sounds with a
	Range 5:		their own stories and	with images and sometimes	invitations and	letter or letters
	 Makes up stories, p 		books with images and	with words, in print and	creating their own	 Write simple phrases and
	drawings in respons	se to experiences,	sometimes with words,	digital formats	stories and books with	sentences that can be ready by
	such as outings	ooning to their	in print and digital	 Gives meaning to the marks 	images and sometimes	others.
	 Sometimes gives m 	-	formats o Gives meaning to the	they make as they draw, write, paint and type using a	with words, in print and digital formats	
	 drawings and paint Ascribes meanings 	-	 Gives meaning to the marks they make as 	keyboard or touch-screen	 Gives meaning to the 	
	 Ascribes meanings and words that the 	• • •	they draw, write, paint	technology	marks they make as	
	places, including th		and type using a	 Begins to break the flow of 	they draw, write, paint	
	themselves	obe they make	keyboard or touch-	speech into words, to hear	and type using a	
		ing and early writing	-	and say the initial sound in	keyboard or touch-	
	in their play		 Begins to break the flow 	words and may start to	screen technology	
	 Imitates adults' wri 	ting by making	of speech into words, to	segment the sounds in	 Begins to break the 	
	continuous lines of	shapes and symbols	hear and say the initial	words and blend them	flow of speech into	
	(early writing) from	left to right	sound in words and may	0	words, to hear and say	
	 Attempts to write t 	heir own name, or	start to segment the	 Starts to develop phonic 	the initial sound in	
	other names and w	· •	sounds in words and	knowledge by linking sounds	-	
	combinations of lin		blend them together	to letters, naming and	segment the sounds in	
	curves, or letter-typ	•	 Starts to develop phonic 	_		
		etters on a keyboard,		of the alphabet, identifying	together	
		al letter of their own	sounds to letters, naming and sounding	letters and writing recognisable letters in	 Starts to develop phonic knowledge by 	
	name and other far		some of the letters of	sequence, such as in their	linking sounds to	
	 Begins to make lett represent the initia 		the alphabet, identifying		letters, naming and	
	name and other far		letters and writing	 Uses their developing 	sounding some of the	
			recognisable letters in	phonic knowledge to write	letters of the alphabet,	

	Children will begin to:	 sequence, such as in their own name Uses their developing phonic knowledge to write things such as labels and captions, later progressing to simple sentences Children will begin to: 	things such as labels and captions, later progressing to simple sentences Children will begin to:	 identifying letters and writing recognisable letters in sequence, such as in their own name Uses their developing phonic knowledge to write things such as labels and captions, later progressing to simple sentences Children will begin to: 	
Specific Phonics development within writing: examples	 Use some of their print and letter knowledge in their early writing. For example: writing a pretend shopping list that starts at the top of the page; write 'm' for mummy. Write some letters accurately. Hear, say and write the sounds in words based on their phonic knowledge. Write Phase 2 CEW and read them back. Children to sit with correct posture at a table. In a small writing group, (Term 2). Begin to use tripod grip when writing. Are beginning to write some Phase 2 sounds, especially the beginning sounds of known words. 	 Write words by segmenting with familiar sounds learned so far (Phase 2) To be able to break down a sentence into words and to keep it in their head. Write Phase 2 CEWs 	 Write simple captions and sentences that they can read back. Write Phase 2 and 3 CEW and read them back. Write words by segmenting with familiar sounds learned so far (Phase 2 and Phase 3 sounds taught so far) 	 Write short sentences with words with known sound-letter correspondences using a capital letter and full stop. This includes writing with Phase 3 and 	Children use their phonic knowledge to write words in ways which match their spoken sounds. This includes writing with Phase 3 and Phase 4 used and applied, including the key and CEWs (UL & S) They also write some irregular common words. Phase 3 and Phase 4 key and CEWs (UL & S)
PD progression for Writing	 Children will begin to: Children to sit with correct posture at a table. In a small writing group, (Term 2). Begin to use tripod grip when writing. 	 Children will begin to: Beginning to form taught lower-case and capital letters correctly with adult support. Begin to use tripod grip when writing. 	 Children will begin to: Children to sit with correct posture at a table for a supported period of time in a small writing group. Continuing to form taught lower-case and capital letters correctly with adult support. Use tripod grip when writing. 	 Children will begin to: Children to use tripod grip when writing. Continuing to form taught lower-case and capital letters correctly independently. Children to sit with correct posture at a table for an extended period of time in a small writing group. 	 Children will: Use tripod grip when writing. Continuing to form taught lower-case and capital letters correctly independently. Children to sit with correct posture at a table for an extended period of time in a small writing group.

Assessment (UL&S) (See Phonics sounds covered so far within the 'EPA EYFS LTP')	Every 3 weeks	Every 3 weeks	Every 3 weeks	Every 3 weeks	Every 3 weeks	Every 3 weeks
drop)	Baseline CLF RBA	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes

CLF Curriculum EYFS Outcomes:

Introduce: Introduce: <th> ntroduce: Finger spaces Full stops </th> <th>Introduce: o Finger spaces</th> <th>Introduce:</th>	 ntroduce: Finger spaces Full stops 	Introduce: o Finger spaces	Introduce:
 Understanding of beginning/middle/end Retell simple 5-part story: Once upon a time, First/Then/Next/But, so Finallyhappily ever after, (adapted to 3-part OR supported retell for individual needs) Simple factual sentences based around a theme Names, labels, captions, lists, diagrams, messages 	• Capital letters	 Letter Grapheme Word Sentences Caption Label Full stops Capital letters 	 Children use their phonic knowledge to write words in ways, which match their spoken sounds. They also write some irregular common exception words. They write simple sentences, which can be read by others. Some words are spelt correctly and others and phonetically plausible.

Ready for Year 1 – On entry to Year 1 children should be able to:

- Use finger spaces
- Use story language in retelling
- Form lower and upper case letters correctly
- Show some awareness in their writing of full stops and capital letters
- Confidently spell using phase 3 and 4 graphemes and phonemes
- Write captions, labels and simple sentences
- Read their own writing aloud.



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PREPARING FOR LITERACY Improving communication, language and literacy in the early years

Prioritise the development of communication and language



Language provides the foundation of thinking and learning and should be prioritised.

High quality adult-child interactions are important and sometimes described as talking with children rather than just talking to children.

Adults have a vital role to play in modelling effective language and communication.

Use a wide range of approaches including shared reading, storytelling, and explicitly extending children's vocabulary.



Develop children's early reading using a balanced approach



Early reading requires the development of a broad range of capabilities.

Using a number of different approaches will be more effective than focusing on any single aspect of early reading.

Promising approaches to develop early reading include storytelling, activities to develop letter and sound knowledge, and singing and rhyming activities to develop phonological awareness.

Prior to the introduction of systematic phonics teaching. activities to develop children's phonological awareness and interest in sounds are likely to be beneficial.

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Develop children's capability and motivation to write



Writing is physically and intellectually demanding.

Expressive language underpins writing and should be prioritised.

Provide a wide range of opportunities to communicate through writing and develop children's motivation to write.

Support children to develop the foundations of a fast, accurate, and efficient handwriting style.

Monitor the product and process of children's handwriting and provide additional support as necessary.



Embed opportunities to

develop self-regulation

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'Self-regulation' refers to children's ability to manage their own behaviour and aspects of their learning.

A number of approaches to developing self-regulation exist, including the 'Plan-Do-Review' cycle.

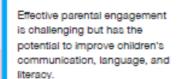
Embed opportunities to develop self-regulation within day-to-day activities.

Monitor the development of children's self-regulation and ensure activities remain suitably challenging.



Support parents to understand how to help their children learn





Promising strategies include:

- · encouraging parents to read to children before they can read, then to begin reading with children as soon as they can; and
- running workshops showing parents how to read and talk about books with their children effectively.

Less promising strategies include occasional home visits or homework tasks.

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Use high quality assessment to ensure all children make good progress



Ensure clarity of purpose about the different assessments used in your setting.

Collect a small amount of high quality information to ensure that

- children who are struggling receive the right type of support; and
- time is used efficiently by avoiding rehearsing skills or content that children already know well

Use assessments to inform. not replace, professional judgement.

Monitor children's sensory needs to ensure they do not impede learning.

Avoid using assessments to label children and split them into fixed groups.



Use high quality targeted support to help struggling children

High quality targeted support can ensure that children falling behind catch up as quickly as possible.

Small-group support is more likely to be effective when:

- children with the greatest needs are supported by the most capable adults;
- adults have been trained to deliver the activity being used: and
- the approach is evidencebased and has been evaluated elsewhere.

In addition to using evidencebased programmes, some specialist services are likely to be best delivered by other professionals, such as speech and language therapists.

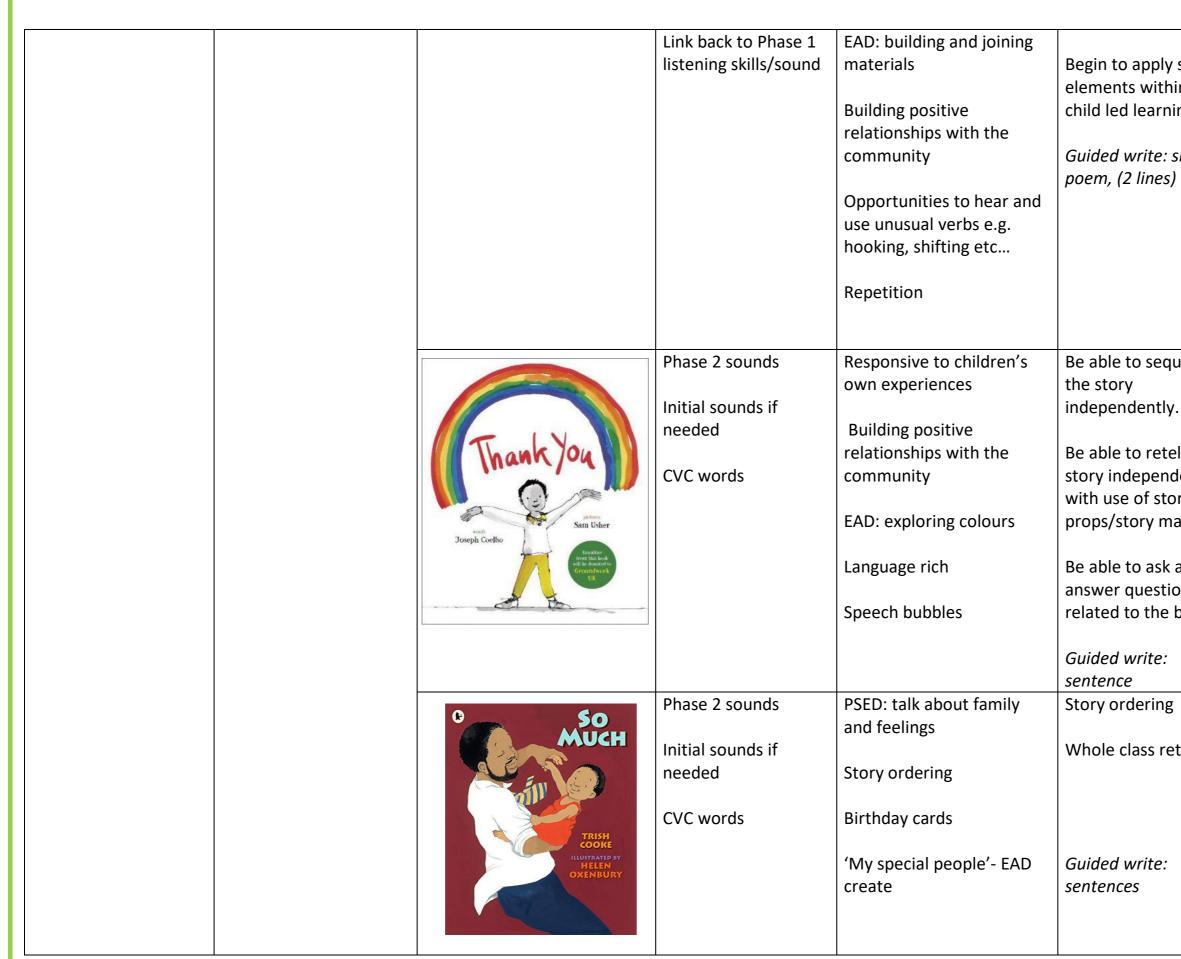
Child led	Adult led	High Quality Text	<u>Phonics</u>	Areas of Learning	AFL	<u>Vocabulary</u>
<u>learning</u>	learning			<u>/ Birth to 5</u>		
			<u>Term 1</u>			
Some provision linked to class text Giving meaning to marks Children are beginning to use phase 2 sounds in their writing during child led learning time	Phonics sessions taught – 9:00 – 9:20 Unlocking Letters and Sounds (Revisit, Teach, Practise) Small Phonics groups Unlocking Letters and Sounds in the afternoon (Practise, Apply) Handwriting practise	my world, your world	Phase 1 Listening	PSED: becoming more aware of the similarities and differences between themselves and others in more detailed ways and identifies themself in relation to social groups and to their peers	Speaking and listening Mark making Retelling/joining in with stories	World Different Same School Home
Writing and recognising name Rehearsal of letter formation – indoor and outdoor environment Teacher observations of child led/independent writing.	 upon arrival separate from phonics Writing focus: Gives meaning to marks Use some of their print and letter knowledge in early writing Write some letters accurately 		Phase 1 Listening	 PSED: help them to understand different points of view and to challenge their own and others' thinking PSED: Shows confidence in speaking to others about their own needs, wants, interests and opinions in familiar group 	Speaking and listening Mark making Retelling/joining in with stories	Okay Tall Short Freckles Glasses Laugh Cray Embedding: Different Same

	Is beginning to write		Phase 2 initial sounds	Traditional tale	Retelling of story	Questions- who, why
	some Phase 2 sounds, especially the beginning sounds of known words.	Goldlocks the Three Bears Monare Carlieros	CVC writing	Repetition Number- embedding understanding of 3 Size comparison	Application during child led learning	bowl -porridge -spoon -chair -bear -number 3 -Goldiocks
		e adybird First Favourite Tales	Phase 2 initial sounds CVC writing	Traditional tale Repetition Number- embedding understanding of 3	Retelling of story Application during child led learning Story ordering	Questions- who, why brick -straw -stick -pig -house -wolf
			Term 2			
Some provision linked to class text Continue to give	Phonics sessions taught – 9:00 – 9:20 Unlocking Letters and Sounds (Revisit, Teach, Practise)	Pumpkin Soup Helen Cooper	Begins to identify the initial sounds in words and forms letters correctly.	UTW: Developing an understanding of growth, decay and changes over time	Application of phase 2 phonics Retelling of the story	Pumpkin Soup Cat Duck Squirrel
meanings to marks Children are beginning to use phase 2 sounds in their writing during	Small Phonics groups Unlocking Letters and Sounds in the afternoon (Practise, Apply)	Here		UTW: • Talks about the features of their own immediate environment and how environments	Application of taught writing during child lead learning.	Squirrel Barrow Leaves Woods Autumn

- Writing phrases,	Handwriting practise			another • Makes	Guided write:	
labels and some	upon arrival separate			observations of animals	labelling	
sentences.	from phonics			and plants and explains	lasening	
sentences.	in onli priorites			why some things occur,		
Rehearsal of letter	Adult led writing groups			and talks about changes		
formation – indoor	recorded in books					
and outdoor environment.	(Authors)			Role play using props.		
				Oral description		
				Giving meanings to marks		
			Application of phase	Orally construct simple	Be able to retell the	Up
		Whatever Next!	2 phonics	sentences	story independently	Down
		JUL MURPHY			using props.	Welly boots
			CVC application	UTW- Plan a		Box Rocket
				route/sequence	Application of phonics	Bath
						Cullender
				EAD: Uses various	Can independently	Picnic
		•		construction materials,	orally construct	Owl
				e.g. joining pieces, stacking	sentences.	Moon
				vertically and horizontally,		Areoplane Star
				balancing, making		
				enclosures and creating	Guided write:	
				spaces	labelling	
		A C P	Application of phase	Exploration of the dark	Retell the story using	Mother Owl
		OWL BABIES	2		props	Sarah
		MARVIN WADDELL + PATRICK BENSON		PSED: talk opportunities		Percy
		St Var	CVC words	about feelings and	Speech from the	Bill
				emotions	characters	Woods
						Branch
				Create own props to use	Guided write: caption	Hole
		No. of A and A second		for retelling		lvy
						Night
						Frightened
						Missing

		And the second second	Application of phase 2 CVC words	UTW: festival- how do some people celebrate Christmas? UTW: changing of the seasons EAD: painting skills PSED: friendship / loneliness	Retell the story props Speech from the characters <i>Guided write:</i>
			Term 3		
Children are beginning to use phase 2 and 3 sounds in their writing during child led learning time, including writing phrases, labels and some sentences Rehearsal of letter formation – indoor and outdoor environment, Opportunities including writing	 Phonics sessions 9:00 – 9:30 Handwriting practise upon arrival separate from phonics Adult led writing groups recorded in books (Authors) 	<image/>	Phase 2 sounds Phase 2 digraphs Beginning of phase 3	 Explore and describe changes in materials Observe and record the weather outside Explore animals from different countries (Antarctica) PSED: feeling left out C&L: verbs 	Application of sounds in writi Retelling the si independently group using props/resourc <i>Guided write:</i> sentence
phrases, labels and some sentences		ENERGENCY, Margaret Mayo Alex Ayliffe	Onomatopoeia Rhythm Rhyme Phase 2 sounds CVC words	Poetry opportunities for rhythm and rhyme UTW: people and communities PD: moving in different ways	Independently about the vehi the book. Application of in writing. Be able to rete from the book little support.

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cles in	Police car
	Ambulance
	Breakdown train
phonics	Lifeboat
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with	Snow plough
	Fire engine
	Breakdown train Lifeboat Police motorbike Fire-fighting plane Rescue boat Snow plough



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tell	Baby Mum Auntie Uncle Granma Cousin Daddy Love Special Birthday

			<u>Term 4</u>	-		
Children are beginning o use phase 2 and 3 ounds in their writing luring child led earning time, ncluding writing ohrases, labels and ome sentences Rehearsal of letter ormation – indoor and outdoor environment,	Phonics sessions 9:00 – 9:30 Handwriting practise upon arrival separate from phonics Adult led writing groups recorded in books (Authors)	Walking Through The Jungle Julie Lacons	Application of phase 3 phonics CVCC words CVC words CEWs spelt correctly	UTW: Knows about similarities and differences in relation to places, objects, materials and living things Describes main story settings, events and principal characters in increasing detail • Re- enacts and reinvents stories they have heard in their play • Knows that information can be	Be able to retell the story independently with support of story props Be able to ask and answer questions related to the book <i>Guided write:</i> <i>sentences</i>	Jungle Snake Tiger Elephant Lion Monkey Crocodile
Opportunities including writing phrases, labels and some sentences		Old Macdonald had a farm	Application of phase 3 phonics CVCC words CVC words	retrieved from Rhythm and rhyme Repetition Make observations of similarities and differences and begin to group observable characteristics Name familiar living things	Be able to retell the story independently with support of song. Recall facts/information	Farm Farmer Tractor Hay Pig Cow
		tilde by Pan Adams Childe Pisy	CEWs spelt correctly	 and their young and talk about observable similarities and differences Pets Farm animals Minibeasts Experience visiting a farm. Repetition Song, rhythm and rhyme. 	retrieved/taught Guided write: a new page for the book	Sheep Horse Chicken

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			Term 5		
 Whole class writing or some adult initiated time Role play Phonics Book making Story map Character exploration Children are continuing to use phase 3 sounds in 	Phonics sessions taught 9:00 – 9:30 Phase 4 Cvcc Ccvc Ccvcc Multisyllabic words Handwriting practise upon arrival separate from phonics Adult led writing groups recorded in books		Application of phase 2, 3 and 4 phonics throughout a variety of writing opportunities. Most common exception words and being spelt correctly within longer pieces of writing. Application of phase 3 phonics	UTW- festival: how do some people celebrate Ramadan? Oracy opportunities for children to speak about their own experiences. Retell past events. Repetition	Be able to sequentiate story. Guided write: sentence Know days of t
their writing during child led/adult initiated learning time. This time includes	(Authors) Can write words by segmenting with familiar	_	CVCC words CVC words	Days of the week – I am a Historian	Be able to rete

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	Butterfly Leaf Fruit
s of the	Oranges Strawberries Pear
ý	Apple Variety of food
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he	Seed Root Stem
ell the uals	Plant Flower
	Growing

 writing labels, sentences, captions and phrases. Children are beginning to implement key and tricky words within their group and independent writing. Rehearsal of letter formation – indoor and outdoor environment. 	sounds learned so far (phase 2 and 3) Sentence focus – application of phase 2 and 3 sounds and some tricky words/common exception words spelt correctly.		High frequency words spelt correctly Phase 2 sounds Initial sounds if needed CVC words	Experience planting seeds and observing what happens Observe a plant grow over time and talk about changes Help to take care of plants as they grow in their immediate environment. Sort seeds/leaves into groups by characteristics. Lifecycles Repetition Number play- composition Recognise some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries. Healthy eating	Application of pl to retell the stor Use of story lang Be able to seque the story independently. Be able to retell story independe with use of story props/story map Be able to ask an answer question related to the bo Be able to descr some of the feat of fruit e.g. spiky leaved pineapple <i>Guided write:</i> <i>sentences</i>
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pry	Gardening tools
nguage	Days of the week
uence Il the lently ry aps. and ons book cribe atures ky- ble.	Africa Fruits Delicious Banana Orange Mango Pineapple Animals Passion fruit

Whole class teaching	Phonics sessions		Application of phase	Application of story	Be able to write for a	-ship
related to book	9:00 - 9:30	Same and the second second	2, 3 and 4	language	range of purposes	-shark
		4	consistently		independently.	-treasure
- Narratives	Handwriting practise			Beginning, middle and end		-plank
- Instructions	upon arrival separate	No A	Full sentences		Apply phonics to	-teddy
- Diary entries	from phonics				writing independently	Beginning
- Descriptions		IAN WHYBROW RUSSELL AVTO	Capital letters, full		and consistently	Middle
- Menu	Adult led writing	TIM, TED & THE	stops and finger			End
- Character	groups recorded in	PIRATES	spaces		Guided write: story	
exploration	books (Authors)				sentences	
- Setting						
description			Application of phase	Fantasy focus and writing	Be able to apply	Once upon a time
- Character			2, 3 and 4 phonics	stimulus	traditional story	Beginning
Following		1 7 7 OG 🎿	throughout writing.		language to writing	Middle
instructions				EAD opportunities		End
			Common exception		Be able to retell the	Dragon
Children and now			words and being	Role play	story using visuals	Knight
applying phase 2, 3 and			spelt correctly and			Princess
4 sounds to their			consistently used	Character speech	Apply phonic	Roar
writing		A THURA DONALDSON A AVEL SCHEFFLER	within writing.		knowledge taught to	Fire
regularly/consistently.					writing.	Flying
			Capital letters, full			
Rehearsal of letter			stops and finger		Guided write: story	
formation			spaces		sentences	
			Application of phase	Application of story	Be able to apply	Journey
			2, 3 and 4 phonics	language	traditional story	Magic
		JOURNEY	throughout writing.		language to writing	Forest
				Writing for a range of		Create
			Common exception	purposes: letter, story,	Be able to retell the	Invent
			words and being	instructions etc	story using visuals	Fantasy
		a la sue de	spelt correctly and			
			consistently used		Apply phonic	
		Aaron Becker	within writing.		knowledge taught to writing.	
			Capital letters, full		,	
			stops and finger		Guided write: story	
			spaces		sentences	



