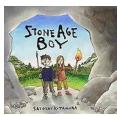
ENGLISH: MEDIUM TERM PLANNING

Focus Texts







Key Vocabulary (specific to unit)

Stone Age, tools, grindstone, flint, hide, fire, hunter-gatherer, non-chronological, traditional tale, instruction, heading, sub-heading, mechanical.

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Written Outcome	Reading focus	Writing focus	Word Study
purpose audience form	fluency	GaPS and apprentice writing	
viewpoint	knowledge and understanding of text	opportunities	
Reading focus week – Stone Age Boy	Application/revisit of mixed reading skills from previous year		Introduction to word study – vocabulary.
Theme writing week: Non-chronological report (comparing Stone Age and Iron Age) To inform Parents	Automatic word recognition: Phrase lists	Use simple organisation devices-headings and subheadings. Factual statements Organise writing into logical chunks and write coherent series of linked sentences.	plurals (including irregular)
Section of narrative (adapted of Little Red	Making links – traditional tales	Past tense including irregular forms.	'quest' ask, seek
and the Very Hungry Lion)	Identify themes and conventions	Paragraphs ordered logically.	'scrib' write
To entertain	in a wide range of books.	Coordinating and subordinating	
		conjunctions.	
		Use commas to separate items in a list.	
Non-chronological report (about own	Vocabulary – unknown words	Use simple organisation devices-headings	prefixes re-, super-, sub-, sur-
dinosaur)	 Apply their growing knowledge of 	and subheadings.	
To inform Own peer group	root words, prefixes and suffixes, both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words they meet. • Check that the text makes sense to them, discussing their understanding and explaining the meaning of words in context. • Use dictionaries to check the meaning of words that they have read.	Technical/specific vocabulary.	bus- letter string