

English Genres

Year 3

	Autumn 1: Local Area	Autumn 2: Ancient Egypt	Spring 1: Ancient Egypt	Spring 2: Extreme Earth	Summer: Stone Age
Stories with historical settings		Egyptian Cinderella			The Stone Age Boy
Myths and legends			Egyptian Myth Isis & Osiris		
Adventure and mystery	The Magic Finger Voices in The Park				The Stone Age Boy
Authors and letters					Letters from Stone Age
Diary Entries		Egyptian Cinderella		Earthquakes	Stone age experience
Dialogue and plays		The Twits Perform a play. Write a Christmas play.			
Recounts					Recount of Spring Break
Instructions		How to make a paper chain			How to Wash A Woolly Mammoth (fiction)
Information texts	Denton Burn Double sided info spread		Information Poster Biography of Cleopatra	Earthquakes/Tsunamis information leaflets/ safety posters	Non-Chronological Report
Poetry – poems to perform	Perform 'The pig' by Roald Dahl Don't say Said				
Poetry – shape poetry and calligrams	Kennings about themselves		Shape poems on Egypt & Nile		
Newspaper Reports			Cleopatra's Death	Earthquake	

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Stories with familiar settings?

Myths and legend ✓

Adventure and mystery ✓

Authors and letters? ✓

Dialogue and plays ✓

Reports ✓

Instructions ✓

Information texts ✓

Poetry - Poems to perform?

Poetry - Shape poetry and calligrams ✓

Poetry - Language play

Recounts

Retelling stories in English lessons and other curriculum areas such as RE

Giving accounts of schoolwork, sporting events, science experiments and trips out

Writing historical accounts

Writing biographies and autobiographies

Letters and postcards

Diaries and journals

Newspaper reports

Magazine articles

Obituaries

Encyclopaedia entries