



English Overview - Year 1

Theme 1

Cross Curricular Theme - Me and My Community

Class Text(s)- Dogger, The Elves and the Shoemaker

English Unit - Narrative Stories
with familiar settings

Traditional stories

Text - Dogger, Beegu, The Elves and the Shoe Maker, Cinderella, The Ugly Duckling

English Unit Non-Fiction
Labels and captions

Maps and photos of our school grounds and local area

English Unit - Poetry

Senses poems

Winter/Autumn and Seasons

Theme 2

Cross Curricular Topic - Intriguing Inuits

Class Text(s) - An Inuit Son/An Eskimo Tale: Chunks of Light

English Unit Narrative - Stories
from a range of cultures

Text - An Inuit Son/An Eskimo Tale: Chunks of Light

English Unit Non - Fiction -
Dictionaries

Fact or Fiction

Text - An Inuit Son/An Eskimo Tale: Chunks of Light

English Unit - Poetry -

Theme 3

Cross Curricular Topic - Let's Go on a Fossil Hunt

Class Text(s) - Stone Girl, Bone Girl

English Unit Narrative -
Text - The Owl Who was Afraid of the Dark

English Unit Non - Fiction -
Instructions
Text - Stone Girl, Bone Girl

English Unit -Poetry

Theme 4

Cross Curricular Topic - The Curious Compass

Class Text(s) -

English Unit Narrative - Stories
with a Fantasy Setting
Text - Man on the Moon

English Unit Non - Fiction -
Recount

English Unit -Poetry
Oi Frog - Rhyming Poem
Patterns

Theme 5

Cross Curricular Topic - London's Burning

Class Text(s) - Zog, Vlad and the Great Fire of London

English Unit Narrative -
Zog

English Unit Non - Fiction -
Information
Vlad and the Great Fire of London

English Unit -Poetry
Poem on a theme