



## English Overview - Year 2

### Theme 1

#### Cross Curricular Theme - A Very Victorian Adventure

**Class Text(s)-** The Great Stink, Queen Victoria's Bathing Machine, The Wolf's Story, The Troll  
By Julia Donaldson

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| English Unit - Narrative<br>Traditional Tales<br>Stories by Significant Authors<br>Text- The Wolf's Story,<br>The Troll By Julia Donaldson | English Unit Non-Fiction<br>Information<br>Text - Dr Barnardo | English Unit- Poetry (Looking at<br>patterns poems)<br>Text- Raps and Rhyme (theme<br>linked) |
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### Theme 2

#### Cross Curricular Topic - Heroes and Heroines

**Class Text(s) -** Little People, Big Dreams Books (Selection)

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|  | English Unit Non Fiction -<br>Diary Writing Linked to<br>Theme - Zero to Hero | English Unit -Poetry<br>Really Looking |
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### Theme 3

#### Cross Curricular Topic - An Influential Woman

**Class Text(s) -**

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| English Unit Narrative - | English Unit- Non-fiction<br>Non-chronological report<br>Text- Medicine Woman | English Unit -Poetry<br>Patterns on the page |
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### Theme 4

#### Cross Curricular Topic - A Pirate's Journey

**Class Text(s) -** The Pirates Next Door

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| English Unit- Narrative<br>Stories with familiar settings<br>Text -The Pirates Next Door | English Unit Non - Fiction -<br>Explanation (Science) Life<br>cycle | English Unit -Poetry<br>English Unit- Poetry Silly Stuff<br>Pirate Poetry |
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### Theme 5

#### Cross Curricular Topic - Paddington and Peru

**Class Text(s) -**

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| English Unit - Narrative<br>Different stories by the same<br>author<br>Text- Paddington by M Bond | English Unit - Non Fiction<br>Instructions<br>Paddington's Packed Lunch | English Unit -Poetry |
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