

## Year 4 Writing Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2				
Genre	<ul><li>Settings</li><li>Characters</li></ul>	<ul><li>Suspense</li><li>Historical fiction</li></ul>	<ul><li>Adventure story</li><li>Myth</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Journey story</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Time travel story</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Historical fiction</li> </ul>				
Short burst writing	Character description, setting description, letter, recounts, diary entry, instructions, non-chronological reports									
Authorial Intent	To use descriptive techniques to describe and imagined setting. To use carefully select vocabulary which enhances the mood. Paint a picture of a character in the reader's mind through the use of the character's appearance and actions.	To use techniques which indicate a sense of danger for the reader. To use carefully select vocabulary which enhances the mood. To carefully select vocabulary to describe settings. To use dialogue to create suspense.	To use carefully select vocabulary which enhances the mood. To carefully select vocabulary to describe settings. To use dialogue effectively to show character.	To use carefully select vocabulary which enhances the mood. To carefully select vocabulary to describe settings. To use dialogue to show character. To lead the reader through the story so it makes sense and flows.	To use carefully select vocabulary which enhances the mood. To carefully select vocabulary to describe contrasting settings and characters that are encountered. To use dialogue to show character. To lead the reader through the story so it makes sense and flows.	To use carefully select vocabulary which enhances the mood. To carefully select vocabulary to describe settings and characters from a different time To use dialogue and language to show how characters from a different time period would speak. To lead the reader through the story so it makes sense and flows.				
Sentence level	Expressing time, place and cause using conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions. Expanded noun-phrases for description and detail	A range of different sentence types to vary the writing for the reader (statement, question, exclamation and command).	A range of different sentence types to vary the writing for the reader (statement, question, exclamation and command).	A range of different sentence types to vary the writing for the reader (statement, question, exclamation and command)	A range of different sentence types to vary the writing for the reader (statement, question, exclamation and command)	A range of different sentence types to vary the writing for the reader (statement, question, exclamation and command)				

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		Expressing time, place and	Expressing time, place and	Expressing time, place	Expressing time, place	Expressing time, place and			
	Fronted adverbials	cause using conjunctions,	cause using conjunctions,	and cause using	and cause using	cause using conjunctions,			
		adverbs and prepositions.	adverbs and prepositions.	conjunctions, adverbs	conjunctions, adverbs	adverbs and prepositions.			
				and prepositions.	and prepositions.				
		Secure use of sentences	Secure use of sentences			Secure use of sentences			
		extended with a range of	extended with a range of	Secure use of sentences	Secure use of sentences	extended with a range of			
		conjunctions (if, although).	conjunctions (if, although)	extended with a range of conjunctions (if,	extended with a range of conjunctions (if,	conjunctions (if, although)			
		Precise use of expanded	Precise use of expanded	although)	although)	Precise use of expanded			
		noun-phrases for	noun-phrases for			noun-phrases for			
		description and detail.	description and detail	Precise use of expanded	Precise use of expanded	description and detail			
				noun-phrases for	noun-phrases for				
		Noun-phrases expanded by	Noun-phrases expanded	description and detail	description and detail	Noun-phrases expanded by			
		the addition of preposition	by the addition of			the addition of preposition			
		phrases.	preposition phrases.	Noun-phrases expanded	Noun-phrases expanded	phrases.			
		F	h there is a second	by the addition of	by the addition of	F			
			Appropriate choice of	preposition phrases.	preposition phrases.	Appropriate choice of			
			pronoun or noun to aid	h	hh h	pronoun or noun to aid			
			cohesion and avoid	Appropriate choice of	Appropriate choice of	cohesion and avoid			
			repetition.	pronoun or noun to aid	pronoun or noun to aid	repetition.			
				cohesion and avoid	cohesion and avoid				
				repetition.	repetition.				
<u> </u>	Commas after the fronted		Apostrophes for singular	Speech punctuation	Apostrophes for plural				
ma	adverbial (time, place and		possession.	(including the comma	possession				
ami	manner).			after the reporting					
nctu gra				clause and other speech					
Punctuation and grammar				punctuation).					
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S	<ul> <li>Full stops</li> </ul>								
- t	Capital letters								
Non- negotiables	Question and exclamation marks								
	Commas in lists								
2	Apostrophe for contraction								