St Philip Neri with St Bede Catholic Voluntary Academy Writing Progression

Year 5							
Term	Topic	Outcome	Grammar Objectives to be taught				
			Word Level	Sentence Level			
Advent 1	Pharaohs	Instructions- how to mummify a body.	Know and use the following modal verbs can could may might must shall should will would	Use a colon to introduce and bullet points to demarcate a list The boy carried: • a torch • a lantern • his packed lunch			
		Character description	Use adjectives that describe age young fresh elderly ancient Avoid pleonasm when using adjectives huge giant cold ice future plans white snow Know and use the following relative pronouns that when where which who whose	Understand a relative clause as a type of subordinate clause that starts with a relative pronoun Describe a noun phrase with a relative clause, separating with commas Rats, whose eyes <u>flashed</u> in the light, <u>skittered</u> away into the dark. The boy <u>stepped</u> over broken furniture, which <u>littered</u> the floor.			
Advent 2	Peasants, princes and pestilence	Newspaper reports		Insert a reporting clause into longer speech. "Should I go in?" the boy <u>asked</u> . "It doesn't look very safe to me." When at the end of a sentence, capitalise direct speech, separate from the sentence with a comma, and close with a full stop, question mark or exclamation mark The boy <u>said</u> , "It's dark tonight." The boy <u>asked</u> , "Should I go in?" The boy <u>cried</u> , "A ghost!"			
		Historical fiction- A narrative focused on a person surviving the black death (Diary entries).	Use prepositions to compose adverbial phrases of manner with great care in disgust in a fit of rage	Use brackets, commas and dashed to indicate parenthesis. Use a parenthetic adverbial clause, separating with commas			
		Poetry Cinquain based on the symptoms/attitudes towards the Black Death	Understand an abstract noun as concept, idea or emotion love terror religion friendship success				

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Lent 1 & 2	Firedamp and Davy Lamp	Adventure story (Dilemma and Resolution)	Use adjectives that describe age young fresh elderly ancient Use adjectives that describe material Silk bronze plastic porcelain Avoid pleonasm when using adjectives huge giant cold ice future plans white snow	Coordinate 2 -ing non-finite clauses Coordinate 2 -ing non-finite clauses The boy crept through the room, <u>sweeping</u> his torch around the room and <u>chasing</u> away the shadows. Constrained the shadows. Slithering beneath closed doors, <u>snaking ghostly tendrils across the floor</u> , a grey mist <u>filled</u> the house. Use ellipsis to show incompletion The boy opened the door, stepped through and
		A recount of a school trip to Hathersage.	Know and use the following linking adverbs besides furthermore in conclusion in fact likewise similarly still To link ideas across paragraphs using time and place adverbials. Avoid pleonasm when using adverbs: smiled happily shouted loudly ran quickly	Begin a sentence with 2 adverbial clauses \triangle = \triangle = \triangle As clouds <u>gathered</u> overhead, as the moon <u>faded</u> from view, darkness <u>stole</u> across the land. Zoom out using 3 'when' or 'where' fronted adverbials \triangle = \triangle = \triangle = \triangle In an abandoned house, upon a lonely hill, at the edge of a deserted street, something <u>stirred</u>
Pentecost 1	Rainforests	Persuasion text (letter)- plastic pollution Shakespeare and play-scripts Focus on Romeo and Juliet balcony scene in script. Write a contemporary version (conversation with a friend). Sentence level- stage directions. Limerick	Know and use the following linking adverbs besides furthermore in conclusion in fact likewise similarly still Know and use the following demonstrative determiners that these this those	Join 2 main clauses with a semi colon Color Col
Pentecost 2	Revolution	Balanced argument Fables	Know and use the following subordinating conjunctions now that so that whatever whenever whereas wherever whoever	Coordinate using 2 different coordinating conjunctions A A A B The boy heard a scream in the darkness and <u>shivered</u> but <u>made</u> his way towards the sound. A A A B A B A B A B A B A B A B A B A B
				The old house, a place of untold terrors and a source of great evil, <u>stood</u> at the edge of the village. Coordinate 2 relative clauses $\blacksquare \bigtriangleup \blacksquare \blacksquare$ The evil, which <u>lurked</u> in the basement and <u>which</u> filled the house with terror, <u>grew</u> ever stronger.