

## SSSC English Whole School Overview 2025 - 2026

English Overview	Autumn 1: (7 weeks English)	Autumn 2: (7 weeks)	Spring 1: (6 weeks)	Spring 2: (5 weeks)	Summer 1: (6 weeks)	Summer 2: (7 weeks)
<b>Primary 1 and Nurture Blue</b>	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> All about me and people I know.  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Stories Character/setting descriptions	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Fact files  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Comparison and author study	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Invitations and postcards  <u>Weeks 4-6</u> Stories Tales and Fables and traditional stories	<u>Weeks 1-2</u> Poetry – Rhyme and repetition  <u>Weeks 3-5</u> Fact, Opinion and report writing	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Instructions, directions and recipes  <u>Weeks 4-6</u> Brochures and adverts	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Recounts  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Play scripts and role play
<b>Primary 2 and Nurture Yellow</b>	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Autobiographies and Biographies  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Stories Characters/setting descriptions	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Non-chronological reports  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Comparison and author study	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Postcards and letters  <u>Weeks 4-6</u> Stories Myths and Legends and traditional stories	<u>Weeks 1-2</u> Poetry Performance and writing  <u>Weeks 3-5</u> Reports and Newspapers	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Instructions, directions and explanation texts  <u>Weeks 4-6</u> Brochures, advertisement and Vlogs	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Recounts and diaries  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Play scripts
<b>KS3 Cognition and Nurture Green</b>	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Autobiographies and Biographies  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Descriptive Writing	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Non-chronological reports and information texts  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Comparison and author study	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Letters  <u>Weeks 4-6</u> Creative Writing Adventure Stories	<u>Weeks 1-2</u> Poetry Language and Writing  <u>Weeks 3-5</u> Newspapers, articles and the Media.	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Instructions and explanation texts  <u>Weeks 4-6</u> Persuasive writing including effective debates and balanced arguments	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Diaries  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Play scripts
<b>KS4 Cognition</b>	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Autobiographies and Biographies  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Descriptive Writing	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Non-chronological reports and information texts  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Comparison and author study	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Letters and Applications  <u>Weeks 4-6</u> Creative Writing Fantasy Stories and/or mystery stories	<u>Weeks 1-2</u> Poetry Analysis and Writing  <u>Weeks 3-5</u> Journalism and news writing	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Instructions and explanation texts  <u>Weeks 4-6</u> Persuasive writing including speeches	<u>Weeks 1-3</u> Diaries and reflections  <u>Weeks 4-7</u> Play scripts
<b>GCSE English Language</b>	21 <sup>st</sup> Century Dystopian Novel Hunger Games	Non-Fiction Texts and comparing skills	Creative Writing	Speeches and Persuasive Language	Exam Technique	Bespoke Exam Techniques and Revision Review and Comparison Skills

<b>Whole school expectation of lesson structure:</b>	
9.15am – 9.45am	Reading, No Nonsense Phonics/No Nonsense Spellings as applicable.
9.45am - 10.30am	English lesson following the whole school overview