

Bolsover English Curriculum Overview Year 2/3



Advent 1 – Why do people live near volcanoes?		
Vladmir the Volcano (2 weeks)	Vladmir the Volcano (2 weeks)	Escape from Pompeii (2 weeks)
Character Description	Narrative	Explanation Text
Advent 2 – How was school different in the past?		
A Year Full of Stories – Starbird (2 weeks)	The Proper Way to Meet a Hedgehog (1 week)	Whole School Christmas Themed Writing Opportunity
Traditional Tales - Retell	Poetry	Genre TBC
Lent 1 – Why is our world wonderful?		
Darwin's Super-Pooping Worm (2 weeks)	Moth: An Evolution Story (2 weeks)	Big Dreams, Little People: Greta Thunberg (2 weeks)
Non-Chronological Report	Explanation Text	Biography
Lent 2 – How did we learn to fly?		
Big Dreams, Little People: Amelia Earhart (1 week)	Big Dreams, Little People: Amelia Earhart (2 weeks)	Big Dreams, Little People: Amelia Earhart (2 weeks)
Poetry	Newspaper Report	Setting Description
Pentecost 1 – What's it like to live by the coast?		
The Boy Who Sailed the World (2 weeks)	Tadpole's Promise (2 weeks)	Tadpole's Promise (2 weeks)
Instructions	Love Letter	Diary
Pentecost 2 – What is a monarch?		
The Barnabus Project (2 weeks)	The Barnabus Project (2 weeks)	The Barnabus Project (1 week)
Non-Chronological Report	Newspaper Report	Poetry