



St Mary's Genre Overview 2023 - 2024

		Advent 1	Advent 2	Lent 1	Lent 2	Pentecost 1	Pentecost 2
EYFS		Labels and captions Story sequence Story telling Rhymes and patterns	Captions and lists Greetings cards and letters Poetry	Traditional Tales Prepositions and descriptors Descriptive writing	Captions and instructions Non-fiction texts Non-fiction writing Poetry	Lists, instructions and recipes Recounts	Simple reports Letters, postcards Poetry Maps
Year 1	Writing to Entertain	Stories with familiar settings (3) Poetry (1)	Traditional Tales (3) Poetry (1)	Stories with an Imaginary Setting (2)	Diverse/stories from other cultures (2) WBD Poetry (2)	Fairy Tales (3) Poetry (2)	Stories with familiar settings (2)
	Writing to Inform	Non-Chronological Report (2)	Recount (2)	Diary Entry (1) Instructions (1)	Recount (2)	Non-Chronological Report (2)	Postcard (2)
	Writing to Persuade			Leaflet (2)			Advertising poster (2)
	OEWO						
Year 2	Writing to Entertain	Stories with familiar settings (2) Poetry (2)	Traditional Tales (3) Poetry (1)	Stories with an Imaginary Setting (3)	Diverse/stories from other cultures (2) WBD	Fairy Tales (3) Poetry (2)	Stories with familiar settings (3)
	Writing to Inform	Diary Entry (2)	Recount (2)	Diary Entry (1) Non-Chronological Report (2)	Instructions (2) Letter (2)	Newspaper Report (2)	Non-Chronological Report (2)
	Writing to Persuade	Postcard (1)					Advert (1)
	OEWO						
Year 3	Writing to Entertain	Historical Fiction (2) Poetry (1)	Fantasy stories (3) Poetry (1)	Other cultures/traditional tales (3) Poetry (1)	Significant Author (2) WBD	Adventure and Mystery story (3) Poetry (2)	Diverse/stories from other cultures (2)
	Writing to Inform	Diary Entry (2) Letter (2)		Diary Entry (2)	Non chronological report (2) Explanation text (2)	Newspaper report (2)	Recount (2) Explanation (2)
	Writing to Persuade		Advertising (2)				
	Writing to Discuss						
	OEWO						
Year 4	Writing to Entertain	Diverse/stories from other cultures (3)	Playscripts (3) Poetry (1)	Adventure and Mystery story (2) Poetry (1)	Significant Author (2) WBD	Historical Fiction (3)	Fantasy stories (3) Poetry (1)

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	Writing to Inform	Explanation text (2)	Non chronological report (2)	Newspaper report (2) Letter (1)	Non chronological report (2)	Dairy Entry (2)	Explanation text (2)
	Writing to Persuade	Letter (2)			Letter (2)	Speech (2)	
	Writing to Discuss						
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Year 5	Writing to Entertain	Historical Fiction (3) Poetry (2)	Mystery Stories (2)	Diverse/stories from other cultures (2) WBD Poetry (2)	Novels/stories by a significant author (2) WBD	Stories with moral dilemmas/flashbacks (3)	Myths and Legends (3) Poetry (1)
	Writing to Inform		Explanation text (2) Newspaper report (2)		Biography (2)	Diary Entry (2)	Non chronological report (2)
	Writing to Persuade			Persuasive writing (2)	Speech (2)	Persuasive writing (2)	
	Writing to Discuss	Balanced argument (2)					
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Year 6	Writing to Entertain	Stories written in the first person (3) Poetry (2)	Diverse/stories from other cultures (2)	Adventure and Mystery (3)	Story – Spy/Thriller (3)	Novels and stories by a Significant Author (3)	Older Literature/playscripts (2) Poetry (2)
	Writing to Inform		Letter (2) Diary Entry (1)	Explanation Text (2)	Diary Entry (1)	Newspaper Report (2)	
	Writing to Persuade		Advertising (1)	Speech (1)	Letter (2)		Advertising (2)
	Writing to Discuss	Persuasive writing (2)				Review (2)	
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