Amble Links First School – Y3 Literacy Yearly Overview -2019-20

Year 3	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Year 3	Stone Age	to Iron Age	Extreme Earth		Ruthless Romans	
Texts	Fiction Model Text: Elf Road	Non-fiction: Model Text: How to trap a troll	Fiction Model Text: Escape From Pompeii	Non-fiction Model Text: Twisted Tornado	Fiction Model Text: Theseus and the Minotaur	Non-fiction Model Text: The Teacher Pleaser Machine
	Genre: Portal Tale	Genre: Instructions	Genre: Action and Adventure Tale	Genre: Information	Genre: Myth Tale	Genre: Explanation
	Focus: Settings and Description		Focus: Description		Focus: Dialogue	
	Free writing week		Free writing week		Free writing week	
Spelling	RWI Y3 Spelling Programme		RWI Y3 Spelling Programme		RWI Y3 Spelling Programme	
	Adding the prefixes dis- and in- Adding im- to root words beginning with m or p Adding the suffix -ous Adding the suffix -ly Words ending in -ture		Adding -ation to verbs to form nouns Words with the c sound spelt ch Words with the sh sound spelt ch The short i sound spelt y Adding the suffix -ion Adding the suffix -ian		Adding the prefix re- Homophones Adding the prefix anti- Adding the prefix super- Anti the prefix sub-	
	Y3/4 Word List		Y3/4 Word List		Y3/4 Word List	

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	Bullet Points Sentence Construction Embellished simple sentences: Adverbial phrases used as a 'where', 'when', or 'how' starter e.g. A few days ago, we discovered a hidden box. Compound sentences (coordination) using connectives: and/or/but/so Sentence of 3 for description e.g. The cottage was almost invisible, hiding under a thick layer of snow and glistening in the sunlight.	Present Perfect Sentence Construction Vary long and short sentences: Long sentences to add description or information. Short sentences for emphasis and making key points. Prepositional phrases to place the action: on the mat; behind the tree, in the air Develop complex sentences (subordination) with a range of subordinating conjunctions	Sentence Construction Embellished simple sentences: Adverb starters to add detail e.g. Carefully, she crawled along the floor of the cave 'ing' clauses as starters e.g. Sighing, the boy finished his homework. Drop in a relative clause using who/whom/which/whose/that e.g. The boy, whose name was George, thought he was brave. Pattern of 3 for persuasion e.g. Visit, Swim, Enjoy!	
	Word structure/language Use of determiners a or an according to whether next word begins with a vowel Prepositions	Word structure/language Powerful verbs More specific/technical vocabulary to add detail	Dialogue - powerful speech verb Word structure/language Boastful language Nouns formed from prefixes e.g. super- anti-	
	Punctuation Colon before a list	Punctuation Ellipses to keep the reader hanging on	Punctuation Secure use of inverted commas for direct speech	