**Books and genre coverage – Dean Gibson Catholic Primary School  
2023-2024**

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| **Robins** EYFS Nursery and Reception | | | | | | | | |
| **Autumn Term** | | | **Spring Term** | | | **Summer Term** | | |
| Texts | | | Texts | | | Texts | | |
| **Me and My World**  **Bears** | | **My Heroes and Special Days** | **Castles, Knights and Dragons**  **On the Move** | | **Spring in Our Step**  **On the Farm** | **Where we Live**  **And Once Upon a Time** | **Science Detectives and All Creatures Great and Small** | |
| Genres | | | Genres | | | Genres | | |
| Narrative (retell)  Labels and captions  Thought/speech bubbles | Poetry  Performance  Nursery Rhymes | | Narrative – predictions/ problem solving  Instructions  Letter | Poetry  Repetitive phrases and adding alternative rhyming words | | Narrative – alternative endings  Non-chronological report  Post card | | Poetry  Responding to and writing poetry |
| **Sparrows** Year 1 | | | | | | | | |
| **Autumn Term** | | | **Spring Term** | | | **Summer Term** | | |
| Texts | | | Texts | | | Texts | | |
|  | Also, a **recount** from a vet visit. | |  |  | |  | |  |
| Genres | | | Genres | | | Genres | | |
| Narrative | Letter  Poetry  Recount | | Narrative  **Non-chronological reports** about whales. | Poetry  **Postcards**  Persuasive Writing | | Narrative  Diary | | Poetry  Instructions  Newspaper |
| **Finches** Year 2/Year 3 | | | | | | | | |
| **Autumn Term** | | | **Spring Term** | | | **Summer Term** | | |
| Texts | | | Texts | | | Texts | | |
|  |  | | **History – Prehistoric Britain**  Science Plants: [Best children's books - Growing Plants Topic (booksfortopics.com)](https://www.booksfortopics.com/booklists/topics/science-maths-computing/growing-plants-ks1/) | **Geography – Hot and Cold Deserts.**  **Science- Living Things and their habitats** | | **History – Ancient Egypt**           Science - Light [Best children's books - Light and Dark Topic (booksfortopics.com)](https://www.booksfortopics.com/booklists/topics/science-maths-computing/light-and-dark-topic-ks1-eyfs/) | |  |
| Genres | | | Genres | | | Genres | | |
| Narrative  **Letters/postcards** | **Narrative Explanations**  Poetry | | Narrative  **non-chronological reports,** | **discussion/balanced argument.**  **recounts**  Poetry | | Narrative  **Instructions  journalist report ,** | | **persuasive writing,** Poetry |
| **Swifts** Year 3/ Year 4 | | | | | | | | |
| **Autumn Term** | | | **Spring Term** | | | **Summer Term** | | |
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| Genres | | | Genres | | | Genres | | |
| Narrative  Instructions | Balanced argument  Poetry | | Narrative  **Non-chronological report,**  **Persuasive writing.** | Poetry  **Explanation** | | Narrative  **Letters/Postcards**  **Journalist report** | | Poetry  **Instructions** |
| **Kingfishers** Year 5 | | | | | | | | |
| **Autumn Term** | | | **Spring Term** | | | **Summer Term** | | |
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| Genres | | | Genres | | | Genres | | |
| Narrative  **Non-chronological reports,**  **Discussion/Balanced argument.** | Poetry  **Persuasive writing.** | | Narrative  **Letters/postcards.** | Poetry  **Journalist report, Recounts.** | | Narrative  **Explanations.** | | Poetry  **Instructions.** |
| **Eagles** Year 6 | | | | | | | | |
| **Autumn Term** | | | **Spring Term** | | | **Summer Term** | | |
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| Genres | | | Genres | | | Genres | | |
| Narrative  Letter Writing  Persuasive Writing  Diaries | Poetry  Setting Descriptions  Balanced Arguments | | Narrative  Journalistic Reports | Non-Chronological Reports  Instructions  Explanation Texts | | Narrative  Recounts | | Poetry  Shakespearean Texts |