## TMBSS English Curriculum Plan –Year Three

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Thematic unit Racism	Poetry – War and Conflict	Thematic unit Crime and Mystery	Language Out Loud	Shakespeare	Discursive Writing
Reading	Refugee Boy – B. Zephaniah Associated literary texts Inc Half-Caste by J Agard	Extract from out of the blue – Armitage Belfast Confetti – Ciaran Carson Dulce – Owen Who's for the game? Jessie Pope Flag – John Agard The Hero - Sassoon	To include Sherlock Holmes, alongside appropriate literature, poetry and non-fiction extracts will be studied to support pupil understanding. Poss The Speckled Band	Extract based – Exploring the differences between informal and formal spoken language. Multi modal texts. Texts covering range of speech styles and students complete analytical work on spoken source texts.	A Midsummer Night's Dream	Non fiction and media various texts Topical issue – chosen to suit group inc historical texts
Writing	Letter from Alem to his father	How is conflict presented in poetry? How do different poets use language and structure to convey feelings about war? Create original poem that uses specific devices to explore futility of war.	Creative writing based on creating suspense.	Analytical writing – comparing difference between formal and informal spoken language Instructional writing – writing a script for a 'how to video'	Analytical writing – how has Shakespeare made given scene so dramatic. Write a letter to an agony aunt, based on love life difficulties.	Discursive article for a newspaper publication
Spoken Language	Class debate based on issues from the Novel Prepare script for news report based on asylum seekers in UK	Rehearsing and performing poetry aloud to the group. Structured discussion about use of language, intonation, tone and volume for impact.	Eyewitness account interview – role play activity	Creation of 'How to' video	Rehearsing and performing selected scenes from the play	Structured debate based on topical issue.
SPAG	Taught through literacy progress units/booklets					