Highgate Primary Year 3 Writing Curriculum

Autumn I Palaeontology to Archaeology	Autumn 2 Chocolate	Spring I Treasures of Ancient Egypt	Spring 2 Race to the South Pole	Summer I From Source to Sea	Summer 2 Meadowsong
 Non-chronological report Non-chronological report/fact-file about a dinosaur species Stories with historical settings Story about a character falling back into the stone age, based on the model of Stone Age Boy Word play Poems on a theme - Dinosaur poems 	Fantasy stories Additional chapter to Charlie and the Chocolate Factory or The Whizz Pop Chocolate Shop Explanation Text Explanation of how a chocolate bar is made Persuasive writing Advert for a chocolate bar	 Myths and Legends Oral retelling of an ancient Egyptian myth (e.g. Isis and Osiris) Shape Poems Shape poems/calligrams based on animals in the Jill Paton Wash story, 'Pepi and the Secret Names' Adventure and Mystery Stories Adventure and mystery stories based on Ancient Egypt/Ancient Egyptian artefacts (e.g. The Missing Mummy) 	Newspaper reports Newspaper reports about the race to the South Pole Description Write a description of an unfamiliar landscape (polar) Diary writing Diary of an Arctic Explorer (Scott of the Antarctic Non- chronological report Non chronological reports about a polar animal.	Metaphor poems Metaphor poems about a river, with each verse describing a different aspect of the river (model on Valerie Bloom's 'The River') Explanation texts Explanation of the Water cycle Instructional texts Write a set of instructions for making a three-dimensional model of the course of a river	Poem about a Wildflower Meadow Non-chronological report Write a non-chronological report about wildflower meadows Imaginative stories Narrative story about a bee visiting a wildflower meadow