

Progression of Genre at Tannery Drift First School

Genre	Early years	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
To entertain...	Favourite story books Story books with a pattern Animal stories Journey stories Traditional tales My very own story book	Storyboards Short picture books Fairy tales/ Traditional tales Short stories Poetry	Picture books Short stories Narratives based on real experiences Fairy tales/ traditional tales Poetry	Narrative s Setting-focused short stories Personal narratives (memoirs) Fables Poetry	Graphic novel Character-driven short story Poetry
To inform...	All about me books Things I like (unique me) books My celebration books My amazing body books Natural world books	Lists, labels and captions Instructions Recipes Rules Letters Recounts Explanations (simple life cycle)	Instructions Letters Postcards Recounts (inc. real events) Simple non-chronological reports	Non-chronological reports Instructions	Explanations Newspaper reports/ Recounts Non-chronological reports
To persuade...				Letters Speeches	Letters Speeches Travel leaflets