Thurnby Mead Writing Progression Document Year 4 Summer Term

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Summer 1 7 weeks	Odd and the frost giants by Neil Gaiman 7 weeks	British History Disability Myths and Legends Morals Kindness- empathy Conflict resolutions	To explain 2 weeks	His mum	An informal letter to Odd's mum explaining why he has left (from the perspective of Odd)	First person Tense work	A description of a Viking Warrior History Books.	Shared Reading. Hot seating Role play
			To describe 2 weeks	Year 4 children	A character description of their own god/goddess.	Expanded noun phrases. Plural and possessive s		
			Narrative 3 weeks Polished Pieces	Year 4 children who have read the book.	An alternative ending to Odd and the Frost Giants.	Inverted commas Paragraphing Fronted adverbials. Coordination and subordination.		
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Summer 2 5 weeks (Final week summer activities)	Spiderwick Chronicles by Diterblizzi and Black 5 weeks		To retell 2 weeks	Yourself	A diary entry from the perspective of Jarred explaining why he hates living in the country. Informal	Expanded noun phrases. Punctuation- rhetorical questions and explanation marks.	Create their own animal and write a short description of their habitat and how the	Shared reading Role play of their character- how do they speak, move, what do they look like?

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