Blue Hills Federation GRAMMAR Progression

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Word/Sentence	As previous years, and: • To use regular plural noun suffixes (-s, - es) • To use verb suffixes where root word is unchanged (- ing, -ed, -er) • To use un- prefix to change meaning of adjectives/adverbs • To combine words to make sentences • To use adjectives to describe • To use simple conjunctions to join clauses: and, but, because	As previous years, and: • To use suffixes to form new words ¬ - ful, -er, -ness -ly -less -est • To write sentences with different forms: statement, question, exclamation, command • To use subordination (using when, if, that, or because) and co-ordination (using or, and, or but) • To use expanded noun phrases to describe.	As previous years, and: • To extend the range of sentences with more than one clause by using a wider range of conjunctions, including when, if, because, although • To choose nouns or pronouns appropriately for clarity and cohesion and to avoid repetition • To use conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions to express time and cause (and place) • use the correct form of 'a' or 'an' • To form nouns using prefixes (super-, anti -) • To spell word families based on common words (solve, solution, dissolve, insoluble) • To confidently use noun phrases to describe and begin using simile to describe settings and atmosphere.	As previous years, and: • To know the difference between plural and possessive -s • To use a full range of different conjunctions • To use Standard English verb inflections (I did vs I done) • To use fronted adverbials • To use extended noun phrases with prepositions • To begin using more figurative language to add detailed descriptions, including simile and metaphor	As previous years, and: • To use a thesaurus • To use expanded noun phrases to convey complicated information concisely • To use modal verbs or adverbs to indicate degrees of possibility • To use verb prefixes ¬ dis-, de-, mis-, over-, re- • using relative clauses beginning with who, which, where, when, whose, that or with an implied (i.e. omitted) relative pronoun • To convert nouns or adjectives into verbs	As previous years, and: • To recognise vocabulary and structures that are appropriate for formal speech and writing, including subjunctive forms • To use passive verbs to affect the presentation of information in a sentence • To use the perfect form of verbs to mark relationships of time and cause • To know the differences in informal and formal language • To use synonyms & antonyms
Text	As previous years, and: • To sequence sentences to form short narratives	As previous years, and: • To use the present and past tenses correctly and consistently including the progressive form • To use some features of written Standard English	As previous years, and: • To use the present perfect form of verbs in contrast to the past tense • To begin using paragraphs	As previous years, and: • To use paragraphs to organise ideas • To make an appropriate choice of pronoun or noun to create cohesion	As previous years, and: • To use devices to build cohesion, including adverbials of time, place and number • To begin using more advanced figurative language to describe characters, settings, atmosphere and mood to drive whole pieces	As previous years, and: • To use further cohesive devices such as grammatical connections and adverbials • To confidently use a full range of more advanced figurative devices to describe character, settings, atmosphere and mood to develop whole pieces. • To use a range of layout devices • To use ellipsis
Punctuation	As previous years, and: • To separate words with spaces • To begin to punctuate sentences using a capital letter and a full stop, question mark or exclamation mark To use a capital letter for names of people, places, the days of the week, and the personal pronoun 'I'	As previous years, and: • To punctuate sentences accurately with full stops, capital letters, ! and ? • To use apostrophes for contracted forms and the possessive (singular) • To use commas in lists	As previous years, and: • To begin using and punctuating direct speech (i.e. Inverted commas)	As previous years, and: • To use commas after fronted adverbials • To indicate possession by using the possessive apostrophe with singular and plural nouns To use and punctuate direct speech (including punctuation within and surrounding inverted commas)	As previous years, and: • To use commas to clarify meaning or avoid ambiguity in writing • To use brackets, dashes or commas to indicate parenthesis • To begin to use colons and semicolons	As previous years, and: • To use hyphens to avoid ambiguity • To use semicolons, colons or dashes to mark boundaries between independent clauses • To use a colon to introduce a list • To punctuate bullet points consistently
Grammatical terminology	letter, capital letter, word, singular, plural , sentence, adjective, describe. • punctuation, full stop, question mark, exclamation mark	noun, noun phrase, statement, question, exclamation, command, compound, adjective, verb, suffix , adverb, describe. tense (past, present) ,	 adverb, preposition conjunction, word family, prefix, clause, subordinate clause, direct speech, consonant, consonant letter vowel, vowel letter, inverted commas (or 'speech marks'), simile 	determiner, pronoun, possessive pronoun, adverbial, simile	 modal verb, relative pronoun, relative clause, parenthesis, bracket, dash, cohesion, ambiguity, metaphor, simile, figurative language. 	• subject, object, active, passive, synonym, antonym, ellipsis, hyphen, colon, semi-colon, bullet points, metaphor, simile, figurative language