Genre
Year 1

Introduction – Oral, Spoken, Visual

Explanation
• Personal experience

Exposition/argument:
• Persuasive argument

Procedure:
• Message
• Rules e.g. for games

Recount:
• Personal
• Factual

Report
• Biography / autobiography
• Book talk

Transactional
• Group discussion
• Vote of thanks (spoken)
• Email

Poetry
• Acrostic
Introduction – Oral, Spoken, Visual (continued)

Narrative
• Yarn/riddle/joke
• Picture book
• Fantasy
• Fairy tale
• Fable
• Aboriginal dreaming stories

Visual/drama
• Film
• Play
• Photo story
• Skit

Explicit – Written

Procedure:
• Directions
• Instructions

Report
• Description

Transactional
• Apology
• Greeting / farewell
• Message
• Invitation

Poetry
• Alphabet poem

Narrative
• Anecdote
• Personal letter
• Folk tale
Refinement – Practice and expression

Recount:
• Imaginative

Report
• Observation / comment

Narrative
• Nursery Rhyme