

## Literature Spine

Nursery	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
T4W Texts	Fiction: Goldilocks and the Three Bears	Poetry: Nursery rhymes  Fiction: Hug by Jez Alborough	Poetry: Nursery rhymes  Fiction: The Little Red Hen	Poetry: Nursery Rhymes  Fiction: The Train Ride by June Crebbin	Poetry: Hooray for fish  Fiction: The Enormous Turnip	Poetry: Nursery rhymes  Fiction: Jasper's Beanstalk by Nick Butterworth
Author Focus Texts	Eric Hill –  Where's Spot? Spot Goes to School Spot Loves his Friends Spot Goes to the Farm Spot Says Please Spot's Snowy Day	Chris Haughton –  Oh No George! Goodnight Everyone Don't Worry Little Crab Maybe Shhhh We Have a Plan A Bit Lost	Sam Lloyd –  Calm Down Boris You're Not So Scary Sid Turn it up Doris Ernie the Eye Monster Wendy the Wide Mouthed Frog Hello Dudley	Sophy Henn –  Almost Anything Super Duper You Pass it On Bedtime with Ted Life Size Series	Lou Kuenzler –  Eat your People Not Yet Zebra Calm Down Zebra	Nicola Kent –  Grumpy Hat The Strongest Mum
Books to support other areas of learning	Non – fiction: Instruction text	Non-fiction: Recount Text	Non-fiction: Instruction Text	Non-fiction: Information Text	Non-fiction: Recount	Non-fiction: Information Text
Reception	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2

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T4W Texts		Poetry: 'Autumn Poem'	Poetry: '5 Little Snowmen'	Poetry: 'Spring Acrostic Poem'	Poetry: '5 Little Men on a Flying Saucer'	Poetry: 'Animal Riddle'
	Fiction: Wishing Tale - 'Hugless Douglas' David Melling	Fiction: Defeating the Monster Tale – 'The Three Little Pigs' – Mara Alperin	Fiction: Rags to Riches Tale – 'The Ugly Duckling' – Mara Alperin	Fiction: Rags to Riches Tale – 'Jack and the Beanstalk' – Mara Alperin	Fiction: Journey Tale - 'Whatever Next' – Jill Murphy	Fiction: Character Flaw - 'The Bad-Tempered Ladybird' – Eric Carle
Author Focus Texts (used in Reading lessons)	Kes Grey  Oi Frog Oi Dog Oi Cat Oi Goat Oi Puppies	David Mckee  Elmer and Rose Elmer Not now Bernard Elmer and Wilbur	Inga Moore  Six Dinner Sid A House in the Woods Captain Cat Moose's Book Bus	Janet and Allen Alberg  Starting school Burglar Bill The Jolly Postman It was a dark and stormy night	Jill Murphy  On the Way Home Whatever Next Peace at Last Five Minutes Peace Just One of Those Days	Eileen Browne  Handa's Hen Handa's Surprise Handa's noisy night In a minute Eric Carle
Books to support other areas of learning	Non-fiction: Labels and Captions	Non-fiction: Lists	Non-fiction: Instructions	Non-fiction: Persuasive Letter	Non-fiction: Information / Fact Finding	Non-fiction: Trip Recount

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Author Focus Books (Shared)	Owl Babies by Martin Waddell- Phase 3 L&S	Room on a Broom by Julia Donaldson- Phase 3 L&S	The Tiger who came to tea by Judith Kerr- Phase 4 L&S	Dogger by Shirley Hughes- Phase 5 L&S	Avocado Baby by John Burningham	Cinnamon by Neil Gaiman
Teaching Comprehension Text Coverage (Non- Fiction and Poetry)	CC (U4): Zack's Moon and Tess's Pool (Red)  The Nut Tree by Julia Donaldson	CC (U6): What can you see by the sea? By Lou Kuenzler/How does it feel? By Simon Mugford (Red)  What do you do on a Nature Walk? /	CC (U8): The Sun and the Stars and Men on the Moon (Yellow)  CC (U11): My Big Band by Tony Mitton (Blue)	CC (U10): North Pole, South Pole by Pip Jones/Our Team by Simon Mugford (Blue)  CC (U11): There's a Wise Old Owl (Blue)	CC (U12): Minibeasts in the Garden or Park/ Minibeasts in the Pond (Green)  All in June by W.H Davies	CC (U15): Forest School by Ciaran Murtag/ Summer Coat, Winter Coat by Zoe Clarke (Green)  RD: Five Little Owls

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		What you find at the Seaside by Kate Williams				
Additional Shared Books	<p>We're going on a bear hunt by Michael Rosen</p> <p>A bear called Paddington by Michael Bond</p> <p>The Rabbit belongs to Emily Brown by Cressida Cowell</p>	<p>The Gruffalo by Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Funnybones by Allan Ahlberg</p> <p>Cops and Robbers by Janet and Allan Ahlberg</p>	<p>Numenia and the Hurricane by Fiona Halliday</p> <p>A lion in the Meadow by Margaret Mahy</p>		<p>Goodnight everyone by Chris Haughton</p> <p>Peace at last Jill Murphy</p>	<p>I can only draw worms by Will Mabbitt</p> <p>Hairy Maclary from Donaldson's Diary by Lynley Dodd</p> <p>Mr Magnolia by Quentin Blake</p>

Year 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
T4W Texts	<p>Poetry: Nonsense / Humorous - 'On the Ning Nang Nong' - Spike Milligan</p> <p>Fiction: Wishing Tale –</p>	<p>Poetry: Classic Poetry – 'A Visit from St. Nicholas' - Clement Clarke Moore</p> <p>Fiction: Finding Tale –</p>	<p>Poetry: Senses Poem – 'Smelly People' - Roger Stevens</p> <p>Fiction: Warning Tale –</p>	<p>Poetry: Shape Poems – 'A Tree' by James Carter</p> <p>Fiction: Defeating the Monster Tale -</p>	<p>Poetry: Complete Verse (linked to Topic) – 'Guess What I Am' by Pie Corbett</p> <p>Fiction: Problem / Resolution Tale (linked to Topic) -</p>	<p>Poetry: Narrative / Classic – 'The Owl and the Pussy Cat' – Edward Lear</p> <p>Fiction: Journey Tale –</p>

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	<p>'The Frog Prince' by Brothers Grimm</p> <p>Non-fiction: Instructions – 'How to make a paper aeroplane'</p>	<p>'The Magic Porridge Pot' – Rosie Dickins</p> <p>Non-fiction: Recount – 'The Birthday Party'</p>	<p>'The Boy Who Cried Wolf - Aesop's Fables</p> <p>Non-fiction: Reports – 'The Great Fire of London'</p>	<p>'The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch' - Ronda Armitage</p> <p>Non-fiction: Explanation – 'Queen Elizabeth's Coronation'</p>	<p>'Fantastic Mr Fox' - Roald Dahl</p> <p>Non-fiction: Discussion – 'Should KS1 children have to do tests?'</p>	<p>'Rapunzel' – Brothers Grimm</p> <p>Non-fiction: Persuasion – 'Why children should go abroad in the holidays'</p>
Author Focus Books (Shared)	<p>Amazing Grace by Mary Hoffman</p> <p>(Realistic Fiction)</p>	<p>Winnie the Witch by Valerie Thomas (Comedy)</p>	<p>The Owl who was afraid of the dark by Jill Tomlinson</p>	<p>George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl</p> <p>(Fantasy/Comedy)</p>	<p>The Enchanted Wood by Enid Blyton (Fantasy)</p>	<p>The Sheep- Pig by Dick King Smith</p> <p>(Adventure)</p>
Teaching Comprehension Text Coverage (Non-Fiction and Poetry)	<p>CC (U8): Big cat, little cat and Dolphins by Lisa Regan</p> <p>CC (U13): Mice by Rose Fyleman</p>	<p>CC (U9): What was London like before and after the Great Fire? By Kate Ruttle</p> <p>CC (U13): Like an Animal by Joan Poulson</p>	<p>CC (U12): Here to help: Firefighter and Police Officer by Rachel Blount</p> <p>CC (U14): Little Miss Muffet</p>	<p>CC (U11): Seas and Islands/ A walk from our island school by Izzi Howell</p> <p>CC (U14): Twinkle, Twinkle, little star by Jane Taylor and Lewis Carroll</p>	<p>CC (U10): Making bread/ Planting bulbs by Kate Ruttle</p> <p>CC (U15): Miss Smith by Brian Moses</p>	<p>CC (AT5/6): Penguins by Lone Branton/ Eruption by Anita Ganeri</p> <p>CC (U15): City Farm by Brian Moses</p>
Additional Shared Books						

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Year 3	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
T4W Texts	<p>Poetry: Imagery (linked to Topic) - 'Steam Shovel' – Charles Malam</p> <p>Fiction: Finding Tale - 'Stig of the Dump' – Clive King</p> <p>Non-fiction: Report –</p>	<p>Poetry: Performance Poetry / Senses – 'The Sound Collector' - Roger McGough</p> <p>Fiction: Warning Tale – 'Emil and the Detectives' - Eric Kastner'</p> <p>Non-fiction: Discussion-</p>	<p>Poetry: Narrative / Historical - 'Willow Pattern' – Tony Mitton</p> <p>Fiction: Wishing Tale - 'The Emperor's New Clothes' – Hans Christian Anderson</p> <p>Non-fiction: Instructions -</p>	<p>Poetry: Classic Poetry – 'The Moon' – Robert Louis Stevenson</p> <p>Fiction: Journey Tale - 'The Firework Maker's Daughter' – Phillip Pullman</p> <p>Non-fiction:</p>	<p>Poetry: Dialogue Poem – 'How the Tortoise got its shell' – Judith Nicholls</p> <p>Fiction: Defeating the Monster Tale - 'Theseus and the Minotaur'</p> <p>Non-fiction: Recount –</p>	<p>Poetry: Narrative Poems - 'The Jumblies' – Edward Lear</p> <p>Fiction: Problem / Resolution Tale - 'Nim's Island' – Wendy Orr</p> <p>Non-fiction: Persuasion – 'Save our Oceans'</p>

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	'Hunter-Gatherers: The First Folks in Britain'	'Is it better for a child to live in a city, town or village?'	'How to make a Shang Dynasty Bronze Cast'	Explanation - 'How to survive an Earthquake'	'Diary entry from Hades as he learns of the birth of Hercules'	
Author Focus Books (Shared)	The Twits by Roald Dahl  (Comedy)	Bill's New Frock by Anne Fine  (Realistic Fiction)	The boy who grew dragons by Andy Shepherd  (Fantasy)	Winnie the Pooh Collection by A.A. Milne  (Classic)	The Iron Man by Ted Hughes  (Science Fiction)	The Accidental Prime Minister by Tom Mclaughlin  (Comedy)
Teaching Comprehension Text Coverage (Non-Fiction and Poetry)	CC (U13): Rosa Parks and Mary Seacole by Kate Ruttie  When I think about myself by Maya Angelou	CC (U10): The World and the United Kingdom by Kate Ruttie  CC (U14): A big surprise by Michaela Morgan	CC (U11): Emergency Vehicles- Firefighters and Police by Chris Oxlade  CC (U15): Scissors by Allan Ahlberg	CC (U8): Mountains and Coasts by Ruth Thomson  Volcano by Valerie Dohren	CC (U12): Cornish Holiday Blog and Ken's Summer Holidays on the Isle of Mull- Day 3  CC (U15): New School by Kevin McCann	CC (U9): From Spawn to Frog by Kate Ruttie  CC (U14): Walking with my Iguana by Brian Moses
Additional Shared Books						

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Year 4	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
T4W Texts	<p>Poetry: Narrative / Historical Poetry - 'Boudica Boudica Warrior Queen of the Iceni – John Bratton and Paul Perro</p> <p>Fiction: Finding Tale - 'Romulus and Remus'</p> <p>Non-fiction: Reports – 'Roman Gods'</p>	<p>Poetry: Imagery / Shape Poem – 'A River's Journey' – Angela Yardy</p> <p>Fiction: Defeating the Monster Tale - '20,000 Leagues Under the Sea' - Jules Verne</p> <p>Non-fiction: Explanation – 'How does the Water Cycle work?'</p>	<p>Poetry: Classic Poetry – 'My Shadow'- Robert Louis Stevenson</p> <p>Fiction: Problem / Resolution Tale - 'Anglo-Saxon Boy' – Tony Bradman</p> <p>Non-fiction: Recount – 'Diary entry of Anglo-Saxon Boy' or 'Diary entry of an Anglo Saxon Warrior'</p>	<p>Poetry: Haiku- 'A Year in Haiku'- Paul Holmes</p> <p>Fiction: Journey Tale – 'The Butterfly Lion' – Michael Morpurgo</p> <p>Non-fiction: Discussion – 'Should animals go to space'</p>	<p>Poetry: Imagery – 'I wandered lonely as a cloud' -William Wordsworth</p> <p>Fiction: Warning Tale – 'How to Train Your Dragon' – Cressida Cowell</p> <p>Non-fiction: Instructions – 'How to make a Viking longboat'</p>	<p>Poetry: Performance Poetry - 'Cat in the window' – Brian Morse</p> <p>Fiction: Wishing Tale – 'The Demon Dentist' - David Walliams</p> <p>Non-fiction: Persuasion - 'Why you should eat healthily' / 'Why you should drink water every day'</p>



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Author Focus Books (Shared)	Charlotte's Web by E.B. White  (Classic)	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone by JK Rowling  (Fantasy)	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe by CS Lewis  (Classic/Fantasy)	Why the whales came by Michael Morpurgo  (History Fiction)	Gangsta Granny by David Walliams  (Comedy)	The Snow Walker's Son by Catherine Fisher  (Fantasy)
Teaching Comprehension Text Coverage (Non-Fiction and Poetry)	CC (U10): What is a robot?/ Robots in Films and TV Programmes by Clive Gifford  CC (U15): The Kitten at Play by William Wordsworth	CC (U8): Knights Survival Guide: Are you tough enough? By Anna Claybourne  CC (U14): A small Dragon by Brian Patten	CC (U11): The Battle of Britain and Dunkirk by Gillian Clements  CC (U15): Letting in the light by Elizabeth Lindsay	CC (U12): Epic: Animal Migrations by Camilla De La Bedoyere  CC (U13): Childhood Tracks by James Berry	CC (AT5/6): Homesick Bugsy the Beagle/ Rocket Balloon  CC (U14): The spirit of place by Richard Brown	CC (U9): Are you wasting good food? / Would you eat less than perfect fruit and vegetables? By Kate Ruttle  CC (U13): Hot food by Michael Rosen
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T4W Texts	<p>Poetry: Performance Poetry - 'We Refugees' – Benjamin Zephaniah</p> <p>Fiction: Defeating the Monster Tale - 'Ehi Benin Warrior Chief' (Kingdom of Benin Short Stories) - Fidelia Ni mmons</p> <p>Non-fiction: Instructions – 'How to make a mask/vase from the Benin era'</p>	<p>Poetry: Classic Poetry – 'Shall I compare thee to a Summer's day?' – Sonnet 18, William Shakespeare</p> <p>Fiction: Finding Tale 'Street Child' – Berlie Doherty</p> <p>Non-fiction: Persuasion – 'Letter to the x Government persuading them to improve conditions in Slums'</p>	<p>Poetry: Narrative Poems – 'The Highwayman' - Alfred Noyes</p> <p>Fiction: Journey Tale – 'Northern Lights' - Phillip Pullman</p> <p>Non-fiction: Report – 'Life in Medieval England' (linked to Medieval Monarchs topic)</p>	<p>Poetry: Free Verse – 'Oh, the places you'll go' - Dr Seuss</p> <p>Fiction: Warning Tale - 'The Secret Garden' - Frances Hodgson Burnett</p> <p>Non-fiction: Explanation – 'How Volcanoes Erupt'</p>	<p>Poetry: Dialogue Poems / The Man in the Wilderness by Anon</p> <p>Fiction: Problem/ Resolution Tale – 'Shadow' – Michael Morpurgo</p> <p>Non-fiction: Discussion – 'Should children be allowed to eat chocolate for breakfast?</p>	<p>Poetry: Imagery – 'Pegasus' – Eleanor Farjeon</p> <p>Fiction: Wishing Tale - 'The London Eye Mystery' – Siobhan Dowd</p> <p>Non-fiction: Recount – 'A Trip to Dramcester Wat er Park'</p>
Author Focus Books (Shared)	<p>Wolf Wilder by Katherin Rundell  (Historical Fiction)</p>	<p>Street Child by Berlie Doherty  (Historical Fiction)</p>	<p>Tom's Midnight Garden by Philippa Pearce  (Classic)</p>	<p>Coraline by Neil Gaiman  (Fantasy)</p>	<p>Varjak Paw by S F Said  (Fantasy)</p>	<p>Artemis Fowl by Eoin Colfer  (Crime/Adventure)</p>
Teaching Comprehension Text Coverage	<p>CC (U10): Life Explosion by Kate Ruttle/ The First Hominids</p>	<p>CC (U12): What is digital citizenship? /Digital</p>	<p>CC (U9): Just helping my family/ Mikael saves the day</p>	<p>CC (U8): Jacky Daydream/ Sir Billy Butlin</p>	<p>CC (U13): I am Malala by Malala Yousafzai/ Who are refugees and</p>	<p>CC (U11): Being a pro snowboarder by Cindy Kleh/</p>

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(Non-Fiction and Poetry)	CC (U15): Tell me, Tell me, Sarah by Charles Causley	Responsibility by Ben Hubbard  Beowolf by Anonymous	CC (U15): If I had wings by Pie Corbett	Richard III by William Shakespeare	migrants? By Michael Rosen and Anne-Marie Young  CC (U14): Foreign Lands by Robert Louis Stevenson	Brazilian Dance by Liz Gogerly  CC (U14): You can't be that by Brian Patten
Additional Shared Books						Journey to Jo'burg: A South African Story by Beverley Naidoo

Year 6	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
T4W Texts	Poetry: Classic Poetry – 'The Apple Raid' – Vernon Scannell  Fiction: Defeating the Monster Tale - 'Oliver Twist' –	Poetry: Free Verse – 'City Jungle' – Pie Corbett  Fiction: Journey Tale - 'Oranges in No Man's Land' -	Poetry: Link to Topic / Imagery - Extended Metaphor 'Caged Bird' – Maya Angelou  Fiction: Finding Tale – 'Holes' – Louis Sachar	Poetry: Instruction Poem 'Making the Countryside' by June Crebbin	Poetry: War Poems – 'What Are We Fighting For?' – Brian Moses  Fiction: Problem/ Resolution Tale –	Poetry: Narrative - 'The Listeners' – Walter De La Mare  Fiction: Wishing Tale - 'Wonder' – R. J. Palacio

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	<p>Charles Dickens</p> <p>Non-fiction: Discussion – 'Should Workhouses be closed?'</p>	<p>Elizabeth Laird</p> <p>Non-fiction: Report - 'Catastrophes'</p>	<p>Non-fiction: Recount – 'Montgomery Bus Boycott' / 'Freedom Summer' / 'March on Washington' or 'Greensboro sit-ins'</p>	<p>Fiction: Warning Tale - 'Stormbreaker' - Anthony Horowitz</p> <p>Non-fiction: Explanation Text – 'How to Care for Your Teeth'</p>	<p>'Goodnight Mister Tom' – Michelle Magorian</p> <p>Non-fiction: Persuasion - 'Rationing'</p>	<p>Non-fiction: Autobiography – 'Autobiography of a School Child'</p>
Author Focus Books (Shared)	<p>Wolves of Willoughby Chase by Joan Aiken</p> <p>(Historical Fiction)</p>	<p>Holes by Louis Sachar</p> <p>(Realistic Fiction)</p>	<p>After Tomorrow by Gillian Cross</p> <p>(Historical Fiction)</p>	<p>Fireweed by Jim Paternwalsh</p> <p>(Sci-Fi)</p>	<p>The Hobbit by JRR Tolkien</p> <p>(Fantasy/ Adventure)</p>	<p>SeaBEAM by Sarah Holding</p> <p>(Thriller)</p>
Teaching Comprehension Text Coverage (Non-Fiction and Poetry)	<p>CC (U8): At last the Jousts Begin! /Boudicca, Bringer of Victory</p> <p>Julius Caesar by William Shakespeare</p>	<p>CC (U9): A Magnetic Compass/ First Aid</p> <p>CC (U14): Problems with hurricanes</p>	<p>CC (U10): The right not to work/ the right to education</p> <p>The Raven by Edgar Allen Poe</p>	<p>CC (U11): How to design the world's best roller coaster</p> <p>CC (U15): Coral reef</p>	<p>CC (AT4): Westside journal</p> <p>CC (U15): Island</p>	<p>CC (U12): Who are refugees and migrants? /What is right and wrong?</p> <p>CC (U13): The giantess</p>
Additional Shared Books						<p>A boy called Hope by Lara Williamson</p> <p>(Realistic Fiction)</p>