



Central and supporting English Texts taught across Year Groups

		Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
		Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	Talk for Writing	Theme: Babies 5 Little Ducks Owl Babies	Theme: Animals Old MacDonald had a Farm Rosie's Walk The Nativity Story	Theme: Noise! The Wheels on the Bus Peace at Last	Theme: Food Glorious Food! The Gingerbread Man Handa's Surprise	Theme: Sowing and Growing Jack and the Beanstalk The Princess and the Pea	Theme: Traditional Tales The Three Little Pigs Little Red Riding Hood
	Supporting Texts	Whatever Next? Cave Baby Monkey Puzzle Gruffalo's Child Peepo Relevant Celebration: Diwali How to Celebrate Diwali Peppa Pig's Diwali	Dear Zoo What the Ladybird Heard What the Ladybird Heard Next Pumpkin soup stories- Pumpkin Soup, A Pipkin of Pepper, Delicious Relevant Celebration: Christmas The First Nativity	Naughty Bus Happy Hedgehog Band Dinosaur Roar The Rhyming Rabbit Big Yellow Digger Relevant Celebration: Chinese New Year	Handa's Noisy Night Don't Forget the Bacon The Tiger that Came to Tea Oliver's Fruit Salad Relevant Celebration: The Easter Story	Jasper's Beanstalk Where the Wild Things Are Would You Rather? You Choose The Tiny Seed	Each Peach Pear Plum We're Going on a Bear Hunt Smartest Giant in Town Gruffalo Starting School



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Reception	Talk for Writing	Theme: The Journey Begins... Freddie and the Fairy (The 3 Rules)	Theme: Celebrations! The Best Diwali Ever (How to Make a Diwa Lamp) Firework Poem	Theme: Super Me, Super You! Oral Health: Instructions – How To Brush My Teeth Supertato The Easter Story	Theme: Eco-Warriors and Kindness Ninjas Earth Day Poem	Theme: Once Upon A Time Goldilocks and the Three Bears Little Red Riding Hood	Theme: Growing and Moving On Jasper’s Beanstalk The Very Hungry Caterpillar
	Phonics	Phonics Phase 1 & 2 Writing Adult Led: Family and self portrait Writing a shopping list Writing a wish Pumpkin soup ingredients	Phonics Phase 2 & 3 Writing Adult Led: Writing a list of ingredients to make a birthday cake Instructions How to Make a Diwa Lamp Firework sound poem Invitation to birthday The Nativity Story Recount	Phonics Phase 2 & 3 Writing Adult Led: Supertato speech bubble How to be healthy Instructions How to Brush Your Teeth Missing poster Recount Story maps Easter Story	Phonics Phase 3 & 4 Writing Adult Led: Posters to save electricity, turn off water, recycle etc.	Phonics Phase 3 & 4 Writing Adult Led: Speech bubble Recount Letter writing Character description	Phonics Phase 3 & 4 Writing Adult Led: The Very Hungry Caterpillar Instructions How to Grow a Seed Recalling key information Non-fiction writing Generating questions Mini-Beast Fact files Labelling diagrams (ie. life cycle)
	Helicopter Stories	Fine Motor Development Dough Disco Funky Fingers Name writing Writing Phase 2 Phonics Mark Making	Fine Motor Development Dough Disco Funky Fingers Basic sentence writing Writing Phase 2 Phonics	Fine Motor Development Dough Disco/ Pen Dough Disco Funky Fingers Basic sentence writing Writing Phase 2 and	Fine Motor Development Super sentence Dough Disco/ Pen Dough Disco Funky Fingers Basic sentence writing	Fine Motor Development Super Sentence Dough Disco/ Pen Dough Disco Funky Fingers Basic sentence writing	Helicopter Stories Fine Motor Development Super sentence Dough Disco/ Pen Dough Disco Funky Fingers Basic sentence



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				3 Phonics	Writing Phase 3 and 4 Phonics	Writing Phase 3 and 4 Phonics	writing Writing Phase 4 and 5 Phonics
	Supporting Texts	Freddie and the Fairy Harry & the Dinosaurs Go to School Colour Monsters Going To School Pumpkin Soup	Pumpkin Soup One Huge Firework Poem Kipper's Birthday The Best Diwali Ever The Story of Rama and Sita The Junior Bible Nativity Story The Jolly Christmas Postman	Supertato series The Burpee Bears Colour Monsters Topsy and Tim Go to the Dentist 10 Little Superheroes	Clean Up! Charlie and Lola: Look After Your Planet The Bear in the Stars The Extraordinary Life of Greta Thunberg	The Ghanian Goldilocks Anansi and the Spider The Three Billy Goats Gruff All About Bears (non-fiction)	Superworm Aaargh Spider Tadpole's Promise The Bad Tempered Ladybird My First Book of Garden Bugs Whose Habitat is That? Snail Trail The Gruffalo The Tiny Seed Growing Plants (non-fiction) Stick and Stone Jack and the Beanstalk



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Year 1	Talk for Writing	Bog Baby Simon the Friendly Shark	The Fish with Fingers (?) Sidney Spider	Owl Babies	How to look after a baby owl	The Owl who lost its Woo	The Sunshine Starfish The Underwater Camel
	Whole Class Reading	Town Mouse and Country Mouse	I wish I'd Been Born a Unicorn	Rooster Wore Skinny Jeans	The Smartest Giant in Town	The Light in the Night	Grandad's Secret Garden
	Supporting Texts						
Year 2	Talk for Writing	Traction Man A Few Frightening Things Superheroes	Meerkat Mail	Bob's Best Ever Friend	The BP Unicorn	Kassim and the Greedy Dragon	George and the Dragon How to trap a Dragon
	Whole Class Reading	Ruby's Worry Fergal is Fuming The Smeds and The Smoos	Izzy Gizmo Fairy Tale Pets Jampires	Woolf That Rabbit Belongs to Emily Brown How to Hide a Lion	Tad The Koala Who Could The Pirates Next Door	Toby and the Great Fire of London Poppy and the Blooms Sir Scallywag and the Golden Underpants	The Secret Sky Garden Squishy McFluff: The Invisible Cat! Lights on Cotton Rock
	Supporting Texts						



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LKS2		Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
		Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 3	Talk for Writing	Zog by Julia Donaldson	The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis	Little Red by Bethan Woollvin		Mr Big by Ed Vere	Grandpa's Teeth by Rod Clement Lost. Found by Marsha Diane Arnold
	Whole Class Reading	The Wild Robot by Peter Brown		The Battle of Bubble and Squeak by Philippa Pearce		The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Kate Dicamillo	
	Supporting Texts	Stone Age Boy by Satoshi Kitamura		Aesop's Fables Hardcover – Picture Book by Michael Rosen The lion inside by Rachel Bright and Jim Field So You Think You've Got It Bad? A kid's life in Ancient Egypt by Chae Strathie			
Year 4	Talk for Writing	Varjak Paw by SF Said The Canal		The Egg Dragon Snatcher	Storm Dragon	Honestly, Red Riding Hood Was Rotten! (The Other Side of the Story) by Trisha Speed Shaskan Local Hero Wins a Medal Innocent, Your Honour!	
	Whole Class Reading	Varjak Paw		How to Train your Dragon by Cressida Cowell			
	Supporting Texts	Kaspar Prince of Cats by Michael Morpurgo The Outlaw Varjak Paw by SF Said		Evidence of Dragons – Poems by Pie Corbett Wizards of Once By Cressida Cowell		Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit Wolves by Emily Gravett Akimbo	



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		Phoenix by SF Said Toto the ninja cat by Dermot O'leary	How to Train Your Dragon: Incomplete Book of Dragons by Cressida Cowell	
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Year 5	Talk for Writing	Rose's Diary Should Dogs be Kept on Leads in the park?	Forest	Grendel	Beowulf Fights for the Monster	Manford Girls	Icarus
	Whole Class Reading	The Tunnel Cosmic	Cosmic	Beowulf		Journey to J'burg	Journey to J'burg Rainmaker
	Supporting Texts	Animal Encyclopaedia Fantastic Beasts and where to find them Top Trumps The Atlas of Monsters BFG by Roald Dahl When the Giants that came to town by Marcia Leonard? Misunderstood monster stories (picture books) Flanimals by Ricky Gervais Anne Frank's Diary		Viking Boy by Tony Bradman		The Maya: Activities and Crafts from a Mysterious Land by Arlette N Braman Rain Player by David Wisniewski	
Year 6	Talk for Writing						
	Whole Class Reading	The Explorer by Katherine Rundell		Letters from the lighthouse by Emma Carrol My secret war diary Marcia Williams		Treason by Berlie Doherty	
	Supporting Texts	Fantastic beasts by J.K Rowling Jungle Survival Handbook by Jen Green The Great Kapok Tree - picture book The Wonder Garden by Jenny Broom Journey to the River Sea by Eva Ibbotson		Carrie's War - Nina Bawden Our Castle by the Sea - Lucy Strange The Lion and the Unicorn -Shirley Hughes Goodnight Mister Tom - Michelle Magorian The Emergency Zoo - Miriam Halahmy		The Secret Diary of Thomas Snoop, Tudor Boy Spy - Philip Ardagh & Jamie Littler Shakespeare's Globe (I Was There) -Valerie Wilding Tudor Tales: The Prince, the Cook and the	



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		<p>Running Wild by Michael Morpurgo Amazon Adventure: Unfolding Journeys by Stewart Ross & Jenni Sparks I Am the Seed That Grew the Tree The Lost Words by Robert MacFarlane & Jackie Morris Rainforest Rough guide - Rainforest in 30 seconds Jen Green Be The Change: Poems to Help you Save the World by Liz Brownlee, Roger Stevens & Matt Goodfellow</p>	<p>Woeful Second World War - Terry Deary</p>	<p>Cunning King - Terry Deary What's So Special About Shakespeare? - Michael Rosen Terrible Tudors - Terry Deary</p>
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