

Focus English Book spine: These texts are read in their entirety and drive the reading and writing stimulus.

## Core Texts

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	Funny Bones, Monkey Puzzle, Dear Zoo, The Rainbow Fish, The Gingerbread Man	Room on the Broom, Three Little Pigs, Stick Man, owl Babies, A Squash and a Squeeze	Little Red Hen, Goldilocks and the Three Bears, The Smartest Giant in Town, The Town Mouse and the Country Mouse, Rosie's Walk,	Farmer Duck, Jack and the Beanstalk, The Enormous Turnip, the Hungry Caterpillar, What the Ladybird Heard  World Book Day 'Books Make Good Pets'	The Gruffalo, Little Red Riding Hood, Good Little Wolf, Peepo, Dogger	The Three Billy Goats Gruff, We're Going on a bear hunt. Each Peach Pear Plum, Where the wild things are, When Jelly Had a Wobble
Year 1	Bog Baby, Nursery Rhymes, Core text/The King of the Little Things	Lost and Found, Christmas poems	Beegu, Poet study – Puffin Book of Fantastic First Poems – June Crebbin	Dogger, All Aboard the Toy Train – Tony Bradman	The Rabbit Problem, Animal poems, Rabbits – Matt Mooney	The Naughty Bus, Transport poems – Vroom, Vroom – poems about things with wheels – Paul Nicholls
Year 2	Wild - Emily Hughes	Man on The Moon	Traction Man - Mini Grey	The Owl and the Pussycat - Edward Lear	Lila and the Secret of Rain - David Conway	Little Evie in the Wild Wood - Jackie Morris/ Little Red Riding Hood
Year 3	Greek Myths – Marcia Williams, The Orchard Book of Greek Myths	Orion and the Dark, Emma Yarlett	The Firework Maker's Daughter Phillip Pullman	The Flower John Light	Alice in Wonderland – Lewis Carroll	Stone Age Boy – Satoshi Kitamura
Year 4	Escape from Pompeii – Christina Ballit	The Incredible Book Eating Boy – Oliver Jeffers	The Pied Piper – Michael Morpurgo	Egyptian Cinderella – Shirley Climo	The Promise – Nicola Davies	The Wind in the Willows – Kenneth Grahame
Year 5	Beowulf, Michael Morpurgo	The Nowhere Emporium, Ross Mackenzie	Leon and the Place Between, Grahame Baker-Smith	Journey to Jo'burg – Beverley Naidoo	The Man who Walked Between the Towers – Mordecai Gerstein	The Lady of Shalott – Alfred Lord Tennyson
Year 6	The Nowhere Emporium, Ross Mackenzie 2021  Wonder - RJ Palacio	Holes- Louis Sachar	Trash – Andy Mulligan	Trash – Andy Mulligan	The Spider and the Fly – Mary Howitt and Tony Di Terlizzi	Tales from the Arabian Nights

# WRITING GENRES

## English

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	Writing about ourselves and experiences	Writing about materials, homes and experiences	Writing about our community and experiences	Writing about changes in plants and animals and experiences	Writing about past/present and experiences	Writing about adventures, and experiences
Year 1	<b>Bog Baby</b> Nursery Rhymes Core text/The King of the Little Things Retell story or part of story Fact file on animal	<b>Lost and Found</b> Retell story or part of story Fact file on animal	<b>Beegu</b> Retell story or part of story Recount of shelter making and facts on materials Sentence writing opportunities	<b>Dogger</b> <b>All Aboard the Toy Train</b> Retell story or part of story Information on toys	<b>The Rabbit Problem</b> Animal poems Retell story or part of story Information on weather and plants	<b>The Naughty Bus</b> Transport poems – Vroom, Vroom New adventure for the bus Information on transport
Year 2	<b>Wild</b> Narrative off story with added detail Poem s/Information text	<b>Man on the Moon</b> Narrative based on aliens Space instructions Information text	<b>Traction Man</b> New adventure for Traction Man with the scissors Information text on materials	<b>The Owl and the Pussycat</b> Developed narrative version of Owl and Pussycat	<b>Lila and the Secret of Rain</b> Retell of story in more detail with a focus on developing a and UK	<b>Little Evie in the Wild Wood</b> Narrative with changed character Information text on aspects of local area including animals and plant
Year 3	<b>Greek Myths</b> Retell myth with invented creature Instructions Information	<b>Orion and the Dark</b> Retell part of story with added detail and dialogue Instructions	<b>The Firework Maker's Daughter</b> Retell one significant event from Lila's point of view Information text on volcanoes Poetry – List poems on firework	<b>The Flower</b> Retell story with added detail and dialogue Life cycle of a plant Fact file	<b>Alice in Wonderland</b> Retell selected events from Alice's point of view to sister Comparative report Poetry	<b>Stone Age Boy</b> Narrative Non-Chronological Report Instructions
Year 4	<b>Escape from Pompeii</b> Writing In Role- Historical Recount Information Text	<b>The Incredible Book Eating Boy</b> Retelling from a different character's point of view Explanation Instructions	<b>The Pied Piper</b> Story innovation Explanation Instructions	<b>Egyptian Cinderella</b> Narrative Explanation text Instructions	<b>The Promise</b> List poem Recount Persuasive text Information text	<b>The Wind in the Willows</b> Retell an event in the author's style Recount Explanation text
Year 5	<b>Beowulf</b> Instructions Kenning Narrative	<b>The Nowhere Emporium</b> Narrative description First Person Eye Witness Report Narrative story writing- fantasy	<b>Leon and the Place Between</b> Narrative- Sci Fi-portal Information text Description- character Poem	<b>Journey to Jo'burg</b> Narrative Recount Persuasive argument Letter	<b>The Man who Walked Between the Towers</b> Journalistic writing Explanation	<b>The Lady of Shalott</b> Narrative flashback Persuasive argument Writing In Role
Year 6	<b>The Nowhere Emporium</b> Narrative description First Person Eye Witness Report Narrative story writing- fantasy	<b>Holes</b> Journalistic writing Diary	<b>Trash</b> Narrative Description Balanced argument entry Diary	<b>Trash</b> Newspaper Report Information Text Narrative	<b>The Spider and the Fly</b> Character descriptions Narrative description- historic Balanced argument	<b>Tales from the Arabian Nights</b> Non-Fiction Report Persuasive writing Biography Poetry

# Core Texts

## Reading For Pleasure Book Spine

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	<p>Heather has two mummies, I'm absolutely too small for school, I'm special, I'm me, Marvellous Me Here we are, It's okay to be different, Only one you, Rainbow Fish Odd Dog Out, Giraffes Can't Dance</p>	<p>A new house for mouse, The Orange Spot, Home by Katie Petty, This is the House that Jack Built</p>	<p>Hey Wall, The Suitcase,</p>	<p>The Pig in the Pond, Duck in the Truck, We're going on an egg hunt, Jim and the Beanstalk, Jaspers Beanstalk, Diary of a bean/sunflower, It Starts with a Seed,</p>	<p>Izzy Gizmo and the Invention Convention</p>	<p>Bear Moves, Kitchen Disco, The Journey Home, Lost and Found,</p>
Year 1	<p>The day the crayons quit When the dragons came Penguins The Night Iceberg Penguins NF There's a Rangtan in my bedroom Bridget Fidget</p>	<p>Voices in The Park Anthony Browne Bog Baby 2021 The Owl Who was Afraid of the Dark Jill Tomlinson</p>	<p>Billy and The Dragon Nadia Shreen The Hug Eoin McLaughlin Polly Dunbar The Giraffe Pelly and Me</p>	<p>The Queen's Nose Dick King Smith</p>	<p>George's Marvellous Medicine Roald Dahl</p>	<p>George's Marvellous Medicine Roald Dahl</p>
Year 2	<p>Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl Here We Are by Oliver Jeffers The Day the Crayons Quit by Drew Daywalt Perfectly Norman by Tom Percival Giraffes Can't Dance by Giles Andreae And Guy Parker-Reese The Lion Inside by Rachel Bright and Jim Field The Great Cheese Robbery by Tim Warnes The Pet Shop by Allan Ahlberg and Andre Amstutz</p>	<p>The Proudest Blue Ibtihaj Muhammad The Magic Paintbrush- Julia Donaldson</p>	<p>Hansel and Gretel Anthony Browne The Worst Witch Jill Murphy</p>	<p>The Sheep Pig Dick King Smith</p>	<p>The Worst Witch Jill Murphy</p>	<p>Charlotte's Web - EB White</p>
Year 3	<p>The boy who made the world disappear- Ben Mille (2021) Stig of the Dump Clive King</p>	<p>The Iron Man Ted Hughes The Ice Palace Robert Swindells</p>	<p>The Lion The Witch and The Wardrobe CS Lewis</p>	<p>Anisha Accidental Detective FARThER Graham Baker-Smith</p>	<p>Tom's Midnight Garden Phillipa Pearce</p>	<p>KrindleKrax Philip Ridley Ellie and the Cat Malorie Blackman</p>
Year 4 Rotation of Books 2021 for Y45	<p>The Creakers Tom Fletcher (2021) A Boy in the back of the class 2022 Arrival Shaun Tan</p>	<p>Planet Omar Accidental Trouble Magnet</p>	<p>Podkin One Ear Kieran Larwood</p>	<p>Kenesuke's Kingdom Michael Morpurgo</p>	<p>Varjak Paw SF Said</p>	<p>Tom's Midnight Garden Phillipa Pearce</p>
Year 5	<p>Boy in a Girls Bathroom Louis Sachar 2022</p>	<p>Who Let the Gods Out Maz Evans</p>	<p>Room 13 Robert Swindells</p>	<p>The Girl Who Stole an Elephant</p>	<p>High Rise Mystery Sharna Jackson</p>	<p>The Boy in Tower Polly Ho-Yen</p>
Year 6 Rotation of Books 2021 for Y6	<p>Floodland Marcus Sedgewick</p>	<p>Goodnight Mr Tom Michelle Magorian</p>	<p>Girl of Ink and Stars The Viewer Shaun Tan</p>	<p>Can you see Me?</p>	<p>Skellig David Almond</p>	<p>Pig Heart Boy Malorie Blackman</p>

# Core Texts

## Shared Reading Texts

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 2	RWI	RWI	RWI Comprehension Sessions to follow the Shared Reading format	Comprehension Sessions to follow the Shared Reading format	Comprehension Sessions to follow the Shared Reading format	Comprehension Sessions to follow the Shared Reading format
Year 3	Oh the places you will go Isaac Newton The Hairy Bikers- Recipe George Seurat	Stuart Little Winnie The Pooh Stig of the Dump Charlotte's Web Settlements	Magic Faraway Tree Reluctant Dragon  Poetry: Matilda Who Told Lies- H.Beloc The owl and the pussycat - E Lear Ben Nevis <a href="https://easyscienceforkids.com/ben-nevis/">https://easyscienceforkids.com/ben-nevis/</a>	Poetry: Walking With My Iguana Be Glad Your Nose Is On Your Face From A Railway Carriage  Science Focus:	Fiction Focus The Gingerbread Star Bill's New Frock The Legend Of Spud Murphy Ottoline and the Yellow Cat  History Focus:  Science Focus x1	Jinks and O'Hare Funfair Repair Pugs Of The Frozen North Oliver and the Seawigs  Geography Focus: X 2 Science Focus x1
Year 4	Clockwork Crow Extract Stormkeeper Extract Cogheart- extract Ancient Rome- NF Romulus and Remus Georgia O'Keefe	Paddington Lion The Witch and The Wardrobe Alice In Wonderland Pippi Longstocking Demon Headmaster Animals of Farthing Wood NF Texts: Ancient Egypt	Poetry: If- R.Kipling Mr Mistoffeles- TS Elliot Chocolate Cake- M.Rosen NF texts: Rivers	Poetry: Life Doesn't Frighten Me At All- Maya Angelou The Adventures of Isobel- O.Nash Oh The Places that you Go- Doctor Seuss  Science Focus: x 2	Alex Sparrow and the Really Big Stink Mo, Lottie and the Junkers Crater Lake  History Focus:  Science Focus x1	Little Badman And The Invasion Of The Killer Aunties Fizzbert Stump: The Boy Who Ran Away And Joined The Circus The Great Chocoplot Geography Focus: X2 Science Focus x1
Year 5	Clockwork Crow Extract Stormkeeper Extract Cogheart- extract Cicada- Song Teeth NF Varmints Mr Mistoffeles- Poetry Georgia O'Keefe NF	Around the World in Eighty Days The Hobbit Jungle Book Wind in the Willows Secret Garden The Phantom Tollbooth Peter Pan NF Texts: Greeks	Poetry:  The Wolves in the Wall- N. Gaiman The Highwayman- A. Noyes  NF texts: Deserts	Poetry: The Listeners- W. De la Mare We Refugees- B Zepiniah The Walrus and the Carpenter L Carroll  Science Focus: x2	Cosmic The Unforgotten Coat Millions History Focusx2 Science Focus x1	The Gauntlet by Karuna Riazi A Girl Called Owl by Amy Wilson Street Child by Berlie Doherty Geography Focus x 2 Science Focus X1
Year 6	Comparing Media Presentation of Maradona /Pele/ Mia Hamm Barbara Hepworth (2021)	WW2 Texts F: Goodnight Mr Tom F: The Bone Sparrow F: Once NF How war started? NF Anne Frank NF: Remembrance	The Graveyard Book Northern Lights Treasure Island Swallows and Amazons Oliver Twist  NF texts Pompeii	Poetry: Tyger- W.Blake Invictus- William Ernest Henley Ozymandias -Percy Bysshe Shelley The Moment by Margaret Atwood  Science Focus: x2	Rooftoppers The Good Thieves The Wolf Wilder  History Focus x2  Science Focus x1	Phoenix The Star Spun Web Orphans of the Tide The Goldfish Boy Geography Focus x2 Science Focus X1