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Year 1	AUTUMN		SPR	ING	SUM	IMER
	Super Southam	In the Toy Box	Poles Apart	Superheroes	Towers & Turrets	Down Under
Core Texts & Writing Outcomes	Classic Fiction Whatever Next! Jill Murphy	Traditional Tale The Three Billy Goats Gruff Ladybird	Modern Fiction Poles Apart Jeanne Willis	Modern Fiction Juniper Jupiter Lizzy Stewart	Traditional Tale Rapunzel Sarah Gibb	Modern Fiction The Koala who could Rachel Bright
	Character Profile Writing to describe Sentences about Baby Bear Instructions Writing to instruct How to have a picnic	Story Writing Writing to narrate Rewrite story in own words	Setting Description Writing to describe • Sentences about the location Recount – 3 rd person Writing to recount events • The Penguin family's adventure	Writing in Role Writing to recount events Sentences in role as Juniper Jupiter Information Text Writing to inform Poster for a superhero sidekick	Story Writing Writing to narrate Rewrite story in their own words	Writing in Role Writing to recount events In role as Kevin at different points in the story
	Traditional Tale The Elves & the Shoemaker	Classic Fiction Dogger Shirley Hughes	Modern Fiction Leaf Sandra Dieckmann	Non-Fiction Florence Nightingale Izzy Howell	Classic Fiction Small Knight & George Ronda Armitage	Non-Fiction A is for Australian animals Frane Lessac
	Story Writing Writing to narrate Sentences about the story	Character Profile Writing to describe Sentences about Dogger for 'Lost' poster	Story Writing Writing to narrate Adventure story – polar bear in different setting	Recount – fact file Writing to recount events • All about Florence Nightingale's life	Setting Description Writing to describe The castle or a different location Letter Writing to inform Letter to author e.g. likes/ideas for new story	Information Text Writing to inform • About an Australian animal
Poetry	Classic Poetry What is Pink? Christina Rosetti	Poetry Writing Writing poetry Colour po	•	Contemporary Poet Study Zim Zam Zoom James Carter	Performance F	nce to an audience



Year 2	AUT	UMN	SPRING		SUMMER	
	School Days	Incredible India	The Big	Smoke	Sea	side Explorers
Core Texts & Writing Outcomes	Modern Fiction Once upon an ordinary school day Colin McNaughton Writing in Role Writing to recount events Diary entries in role as the boy at different points in the story	Traditional Tale Pattan's Pumpkin Chitra Soundar Setting Description Writing to describe Description of the village / houses / landscape	Classic Fiction Paddington at the Palace Michael Bond	Character Description Writing to describe • Meet Paddington Story Writing Writing to narrate • New adventure for Paddington Information Text Writing to inform • About London landmarks	Classic Fiction The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch Ronda Armitage	Character Description Writing to describe • All about Mr Grinling Story Writing Writing to narrate • Adventure story sequel - The Fisherman's Lunch
	Traditional Tale The Gingerbread Man Ladybird Story Writing Writing to narrate • Alternative ending Instructions Writing to instruct • Making a gingerbread man		Modern Fiction Vlad & the Great Fire Kate Cunningham	Setting Description Writing to describe London before the fire Writing in Role Writing to recount events Vlad or Boxton's diary entries at different points in the story	Modern Fiction Stella and the Seagull Georgina Stevens STELLA SEAGULL	Writing in Role Writing to recount events In role at different points in the story
	··········	Non-Fiction India Sunita Apte Information Text Writing to inform All about India	Non-Fiction The Great Fire of London Liz Gogerly	Recount – 3 rd person Writing to recount events The events of the Great Fire of London	Non-Fiction Seaside Holidays then and now Clare Hibberd	Information Text Writing to inform • Seaside holidays in the past Letter Writing to inform • A day out at the seaside
Poetry	Classic Poetry When Daddy Fell into the Pond Alfred Noyes	Performance P Performance P	oetry nce to an audience	Contemporary Poet Study The Dragon with the Big No. Kathy Henderson	• Po	Writing poetry – list poem em based on This is the city e.g. This the school
Year 3		UMN ns Rule		ING ne Earth		SUMMER axon Settlers





Core Texts & Writing Outcomes	Traditional Tales The True Story of the Three Little Pigs Jon Szieszka	Story Writing Writing to narrate Own alternative perspective story e.g. Goldilocks	Classic Fiction Ice Palace Robert Swindells	Story Writing Writing to narrate Own quest adventure story Letter Writing to inform Letter to author — opinions, ideas etc.	Traditional Tales Beowulf Usborne / Michael Morpurgo	Story Writing Writing to narrate Own traditional tale based on the legend
	Modern Fiction Julius Zebra Rumble with the Romans Gary Northfield	Setting Description Writing to describe Description of one setting e.g. the Colosseum Writing in Role Writing to recount events In role as Julius at a key point in the story	Classic Fiction The Firework Maker's Daughter Philip Pullman	Character Description Writing to describe All about Lila Writing in Role Writing to recount events Diary from Lila at a key point in the story e.g. after meeting the pirates	Modern Fiction Oliver and the Seawigs Philip Reeve	Persuasive Writing Writing to argue Visit the Rambling Isles' leaflet / brochure Writing in Role Writing to recount events In role as different characters e.g. Oliver
	Non-Fiction What the Romans did for us Alison Hawes	Persuasive Writing Writing to argue Join the Roman Army Information Text Writing to inform About a key aspect of life in Roman Britain	Non-Fiction Everything Volcanoes & Earthquakes National Geographic	Explanation Writing to explain How a volcano erupts or an earthquake happens	Non-Fiction Anglo-Saxons (Explore!) Jane Bingham	Instructions Writing to instruct Linked to Anglo-Saxons e.g. recipe Information Text Writing to inform Aspect of Anglo-Saxons e.g. gods/goddesses
Poetry	Classic Poetry The Adventures of Isabel Ogden Nash		– narrative poem nture for Isabel e.g. toad, wolf	Contemporary Poet Study Jelly Boots, Smelly Boots Michael Rosen		tongue twister wister based on the text

Year 4	AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
	Field to Fork	Tomb Raiders	Source to Sea

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Core Texts & Writing Outcomes	Traditional Tales Firebird Saviour Pirotta	Story Writing Writing to narrate Section of the story from Prince Ivan's perspective	Traditional Tales Tales of Gods and Pharaohs Marcia Williams	Story Writing Writing to narrate Rewrite a tale in own words e.g. Horus the Avenger	Classic Fiction The Wind in the Willows Timothy Knapman	Writing in Role Writing to recount events In role as different characters at an important moment e.g. Toad and Ratty
	Modern Fiction Sam Wu is NOT afraid of sharks Kevin & Katie Tsang	Setting Description Writing to describe The beach Letter Writing to inform Letter about sharks / Sam's lack of fear	Classic Fiction There's a Pharaoh in our Bath Jeremy Strong	Character Description Writing to describe Description of the Senapod Writing in Role Writing to recount events Diary/letter as Tony at a key point in the story	Modern Fiction I talk like a river Jordan Scott and Sydney Smith	Story Writing Writing to narrate Own story based on the text Recount – biography Writing to recount events Biography of the author (or another chosen author)
	Non-Fiction Cooking step by step DK	Instructions Writing to instruct New recipe using local ingredients Persuasive Writing Writing to argue Advert (e.g. radio ad) for restaurant or food	Non-Fiction 1000 Facts about Ancient Egypt National Geographic	Recount – journalistic Writing to recount events Newspaper article about Howard Carter's discovery Information Text Writing to inform Ancient Egypt e.g. daily life	Non-Fiction Where on Earth? Rivers Susie Brooks	Explanation Writing to explain The Water Cycle or a river from source to sea Information Text Writing to inform All about a famous British/world river
Poetry	Classic Poetry The Eagle Alfred, Lord Tennyson	Poetry Writing Writing poetry Based on o	– <i>descriptive</i> original poem	Contemporary Poet Study Sandwich Valerie Bloom	Narrative	— narrative poem poem about a school event structure of Sandwich



Year 5	AUTUMN Tudors		SPRING Pollution Solution		SUMMER Greek Legacy	
Core Texts & Writing Outcomes	Historical Fiction Treason Bertie Doherty	Story Writing Writing to narrate Narrative to accompany the film Recount – journalistic Writing to recount events Newspaper article recounting the dramatic events	Modern Fiction Kensuke's Kingdom Michael Morpurgo	Writing in Role Writing to recount events Letters home in role as Michael Persuasive Writing Writing to argue Letter to Grandma persuading to agree to Michael's voyage	Traditional Tales Orchard Book of Greek Myths Geraldine McCaughrean	Interview Writing to inform Interview with Theseus after his return
		Character Description Writing to describe Description of key characters e.g. Jim Jarvis Writing in Role Writing to recount events Diary entries at key points in the story	Modern Fiction Operation Gadgetman Malorie Blackman MALORIE BLACKMAN	Story Writing Writing to narrate Adventure story based on the text Explanation Writing to explain How the spy kit works	Modern Fiction Who let the Gods out Maz Evans	Setting Description Writing to describe Description of a key location in the story Story Writing Writing to narrate Own story inspired by the text
	Non-Fiction What's so special about Shakespeare? Michael Rosen	Balanced Argument Writing to argue Roles of girls v boys in Tudor times	Non-Fiction What a waste Jess French WHAT A WASTE	Information Text Writing to inform Plastic pollution and how to reduce it	Non-Fiction Hidden Figures Margot Lee Shetterley	Recount – biography Writing to recount events Biography of one of the four women e.g. Katherine Johnson Information Text Writing to inform All about NASA
Poetry	Classic Poetry Jabberwocky Lewis Carroll	(MR DE 25 AG) VOISS	– narrative poem on of Jabberwocky	Contemporary Poet Study Moon Juice Kate Wakeling	Poetry Writing Writing poetry Poem base mood, Sa	- v – emotive sed on <i>Bad Mood</i> e.g. Happy

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Year 6		AUTUMN		SPRING		SUMMER	
	Maya / Energy		Blitz!		Deserts		
Core Texts & Writing Outcomes	Modern Fiction The Boy at the Back of the Class Onjali Rauf	Writing in Role Writing to recount events Diary / letter in role as different characters at key point in the story Information Text Writing to inform About refugees	Film Literacy Beyond the Lines Literacy Shed	Story Writing Writing to narrate Adventure story to accompany the film Writing in Role Writing to recount events Diary / letter based on the film	Modern Fiction Holes Louis Sachar	Writing in Character Letter showing Stanley's real feelings to mum Interview Writing to inform Interview of characters	
	Classic Fiction Skellig David Almond David Almond SKELLIG	Character Description Writing to describe Description of Skellig Balanced Argument Writing to argue Should Michael tell his parents about Skellig or not?	Modern Fiction Letters from the Lighthouse Emma Carroll	Setting Description Writing to describe • London after the bomb in role as Olive Persuasive Writing Writing to argue • Persuasive letter – save the lighthouse	Traditional Tales Snow White in New York Fiona French	Story Writing Writing to narrate Own traditional tale in alternative setting Writing in role Writing to recount events Diary in role as a character	
	Non-Fiction The Story of Martin Luther King Christine Platt	Recount - biography Writing to recount events Significant / influential American e.g. Barack Obama	Non-Fiction My Secret War Diary – Flossie Albright Marcia Williams	Recount – journalistic Writing to recount events Newspaper article about a key event in the war e.g. The Blitz	Non-Fiction Amazon DK Eyewitness	Information Text Writing to inform • All about rainforests Balanced Argument Writing to argue • Arguments for / against deforestation Explanation • Deforestation	
Poetry	Classic Poetry The Listeners Walter de la Mare		rate suspense story retelling the the poem	Contemporary Poet Study Football Mad, The British, Talking Turkeys etc. Benjamin Zephaniah	Writing poetry	y of Benjamin Zephaniah	