

Nursery Reading Spine

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Summer 1								
Yucky Worms Beetles, Butterflies and other British MiniBeasts How to Count to 1 Noah's Arc Three Little Pigs Goldilocks and the Three Bears	Prime Areas Links to RE Seasonal Links Specific Areas Maths: 1,2,3							
Summer 2								
We found a seed. A fruit is a suitcase for seeds Stanley Seagull The Colour Monster Goes to School	Prime Areas Links to RE Seasonal Links Specific Areas Geography : Locality Transition							
Extra Class readers								

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Reading Linked to other subject areas								
Science – Ashley Booth Reading								
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Reception Reading Spine

Anchor Novel	Related Topics	Genres of writing covered	Related novels	Picture books	Non-fiction	Poetry and songs	Videos and films	Diversity Links
						Take One a term to learn off by heart		
Autumn 1								
Nursery Rhymes Humpty Dumpty Incy Wincy Jack and Jill It's Raining, it's pouring. Mary Mary quite contrary. Twinkle, Twinkle. Little Miss Muffet. Polly Put the Kettle on Baa Baa Black Sheep. The Colour Monster.	Talk Boost Introduction of lenses Communication and language. Introduction of Phonics. Expressive Arts and Design. Personal, social and Emotional Development.	Speaking and listening. Rhyme Repetition Rhythm	Room on the Broom			Nursery Rhymes		
Autumn 2								
Nursery Rhymes and traditional tales. Goldilocks and the three bears. The Gingerbread Man	Communication and language. Expressive Arts and Design. Personal, social and Emotional Development.	Speaking and listening Story Rhyme Repetition Rhythm	Gruffalo's Child. Stickman. The Christmas Story			When Goldilocks went to the house of the bears. Falling. Gruffalo Magic Porridge		

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Little Red Riding Hood. 3 Billy Goats Gruff. Magic Porridge Pot. The Gruffalo						Pot		
Spring 1								
We're going on a Bear Hunt. Simon Sock Rainbow Fish. On Sudden Hill Ruby's Worry Cave Baby Kitchen Disco	Communication and language. Expressive Arts and Design. Personal, social and Emotional Development. Literacy	Story Rhyme Repetition Rhythm	The Easter Story		Animals	We're Going on a Bear Hunt The Animal Fair Elephants Have Wrinkles.		
Spring 2								
Jack and The Beanstalk Jack and the Jelly Beanstalk The Very Busy Spider Superworm Handa's Surprise.	Communication and language. Expressive Arts and Design. Understanding of the World. Literacy	Story Rhyme Repetition Rhythm			Minibeasts Growing	Jack Climbs the Beanstalk.		Africa

Summer 1								
The Very Hungry Caterpillar The Cave The Lion Inside Little Monkey Veg Patch Party	Communication and language. Expressive Arts and Design. Understanding of the World. Literacy	Story Rhyme Repetition Rhythm			Life cycles Growing.	Tiny caterpillar on a leaf.		
Summer 2								
Stardust Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs How to Catch a Dragon Aliens in Underpants Save the World	Communication and language. Expressive Arts and Design. Understanding of the World. Literacy	Story			Space. Dinosaurs.	Tiny Tweeties Dinosaur songs. 5 Little Men in a Flying Saucer.		
Extra Class readers								
Reading Linked to other subject areas								
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Autumn 1								
We are all different - twinkl Once there were Giants Funnybones The Three Little Pigs Duncan's Treehouse Leaf Man	Ourselves Houses & homes Seasons Science - Animals incl Human -Body & Senses Materials Geography - Where in the world is St. Mary's? What are the differences between seasons? History <i>What was life like when my grandparents were young?</i> Events beyond living memory/people and places in own locality/bridge links with EYFS	Report recount retell	The Colour Monster What I like That's not my..		Your body Houses & Homes	Nursery Rhyme		The Cookie by Kath Grimshaw Aziza's Secret Fairy Door by Lola Morayo We are Family by Ryan Wheatcroft Lailah's Lunchbox by Reem Faruqi Splash by Claire Cashmore What happened to you? by James Catchpole Polonius the Pit Pony y richard O'Neill The Pirate Mums by Jodie

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	Gender - women stayed at home, men worked Social Justice - rights, education, Rich and poor							Lancet-Grant The Blanket Bears by Samuel Langley-Swa in My Skin by Laura Henry-Allain
Autumn 2								
The Gunpowder Plot Peace at Last Owl Babies The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark The Gruffalo's Child Stickman The Snowman	Should We Still Celebrate Bonfire Night? Guy Fawkes/events beyond living memory that are significant nationally/festivals Beliefs/religion	recount retell report	Can't you sleep little bear?	Five minutes Peace	Who am I?			
Spring 1								
Man on the Moon Aliens Love Underpants Whatever Next Bringing down the Moon	History - Neil Armstrong How was Captain Cook like Neil Armstrong and Tim Peake?	retell						

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	Neil Armstrong/Tim Peake/Captain Cook - comparing lives of significant individuals in past who contributed to national/international achievements <i>Gender</i> <i>Local Links</i> <i>Social Justice - only rich countries can afford space exploration</i>							
Spring 2								
Jack & the Beanstalk Supertato Jasper's Beanstalk Handa's Surprise Oliver's Vegetables	Science - Growing & plants	sequencing growth of plants retell						
Summer 1								
Rosie's Walk What the Ladybird heard The very Lazy Ladybird	Science - Animals incl Humans	Recount of farm visit Retell	The Enormous Crocodile					
Summer 2								

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The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch Pirates Love Underpants The Rainbow Fish At the Beach Postcards from Crabby Spit	Seaside History - Seaside holidays in the past See Autumn 1 History question Grace Darling	Story Postcards						
Extra Class readers								
Reading Linked to other subject areas								
Science – Ashley Booth Reading								
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Year 2 Reading Spine

Anchor Novel	Related Topics	Genres of writing covered	Related novels	Picture books	Non-fiction	Poetry and songs	Videos and films	Diversity Links
						Take One a term to learn off by heart		
Autumn 1								
Hansel and Gretel	Science - Healthy Eating.	Narrative - recount of the whole story Instructions			Healthy Eating Twinkl/ Change 4 Life visit	Healthy Eating Poem.	Video - Hansel and Gretel	The Perfect Shelter Me and my Sister.
Autumn 2								
One Snowy Night	Science - animals including humans. Geography - Local Area	Narrative - recount of the whole story			School visit to local park. Non - chronological reports on animals	Christmas Poem	Video - One Snowy Night. Animals in their habitats.	Local Area My Daddies! Amara and the Bats Amazing.
Spring 1								
Jack and the Beanstalk	Science - Plants	Narrative - recount of the whole story Instructions - how to plant a seed?			Plants Twinkl. Grew a plant.	R.E - God's Planet	Video - time lapse of plants growing.	R.E - Plants are a part of God's creation. To know that we need plants to survive.

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								Nimesh the Adventurer.
Spring 2								
Toby and the Great Fire of London	History - Great Fire of London DT/ Art - create and paint models of the Great Fire of London.	Narrative - recount a part of the story Diary Recount - Samuel Pepys Non Chronological report			Great Fire of London Twinkl Artefacts - London Museums Non - chronological report example.	Great Fire of London Poem	Video - BBC bitesize Samuel Pepys diary	Science - Materials. Fire Safety. Max the Champion.
Summer 1								
Lila and the Secret of Rain	Geography - Africa Art - drawings.	Narrative - recount a part of the story Narrative - personal recount from the sun's point of view.			Non - chronological report - Africa Africa Twinkl	African Animals	Videos - Youtube	Local Area - comparison In My Mosque. Harper and the Scarlet Umbrella.
Summer 2								
If you were a kid aboard the Titanic	History - Why did so many people lose their lives in the Titanic tragedy? Art - Father's day	Narrative - recount a part of the story Non Chronological report			Titanic Twinkl Titanic museum resources	Acrostic Poem	Video - BBC bitesize and Youtube	Poor vs Upper Class. Yokki and the Parno Gry.

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	cards.							
Extra Class readers								
Reading Linked to other subject areas								
<u>Science – Ashley Booth Reading</u>								
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Year 3 Reading Spine

Anchor Novel	Related Topics	Genres of writing covered	Related novels	Picture books	Non-fiction	Poetry and songs	Videos and films	Ashley Booth Reading	Diversity Links
						Take One a term to learn off by heart			
Autumn 1									
The Great Kapok Tree	Geography - Should the Amazon Rainforest be protected?	Story retell Persuasive letter			Rainforest - Oddizzi	Rainforest Poem	Rangtang in my bedroom	The bare necessities - Jungle Book	Deforestation Fair Trade Climate Change Environment
Autumn 2									
A christmas Carol	History - What was life like for children in Victorian times?	Story Retell Informal Letter	Little Matchstick Girl The Happy Prince				BBC Bitesize	Dr Barnardo - Y4	Inequality Children's Rights
Spring 1									
Weather	Geography - How is our climate changing?	Non-Chronological Report Newspaper report	Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs					Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs Raindrops keep falling on my head How a rainbow is formed	Climate Change
Spring 2									

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Stone Age Boy	History - Who were the people of the Stone Age?	Story Retell Non-Chronological report						How to wash a woolly mammoth Stone Age boy Stonehenge	Rights
Summer 1									
Boudicca	History - What did the Romans do for Britain?	Story Retell Persuasive Letter			Romulus and Remus	Boudicca	BBC Bitesize	Settlements Boudicca - Celtic Folk Song Romulus and Remus Ancient Rome	War Invasion
Summer 2									
The Twits		Story Retell News paper Report Character Description					Wormy Spaghetti - BBC	The Witches The BFG Fantastic Mr Fox The Dentist and the Crocodile	Hygiene Animal Welfare
Extra Class readers									

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Harper and The Scarlet Umbrella	Friendship								
Double Felix	Autism/ OCD								
Me and Mr P - Ruby's Star	Family Seperation								
The Proudest Blue	Islamic Culture								

Year 4 Reading Spine

Anchor Novel	Related Topics	Genres of writing covered	Related novels	Picture books	Non-fiction	Poetry and songs		Videos and films	Ashley Booth Reading	Diversity Links
						Take One a term to learn off by heart				
Autumn 1										
The Iron Man - Ted Hughes		Story Persuasive Poster						The Iron Giant	Greta's Story by Valentina Camerini	What is a monster?
Autumn 2										
Best Christmas Present In The World - Michael Morpurgo	History - How did people's beliefs affect WW1? Art - Create a poppy sculpture	Letter - Informal / Persuasive	The Chronicles of Narnia The Lion, The Witch And The Wardrobe - C.S.Lewis	Where The Poppies Grow- Hilary Robinson & Martin Impey		No It's Never Just A Book - Joshua Seigal		Sainsbury's Advert	Why Do People Wear Poppies? - BBC Report No Man's Land - Eric Bogle	Politics
Spring 1										
Sandman And The Turtles - Michael Morpurgo	Geography - Are we using or misusing our coast? Art - Can I	Letter - Informal / Recount	Stories From The Sea – James Riordan	The Whale - Ethan & Vita Murrow My Name		Nation's Ode to the Coast- Dr John Cooper Clarke			The Brilliant Deep: Rebuilding The World's Coral	Migration

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	create a marine print?			Is Not Refugee - Kate Milner					Reefs - Kate Messner Refugees - Brian Bilston	
Spring 2										
The Prince and The Pauper - Mark Twain	History - Why did Henry VIII break with Rome?	Non-chronological report	Street Child – Berlie Doherty						Mary, Queen Of Scots	Class System
Journey - Aaron Becker		Story	BFG – Roald Dahl						One Wave At Time - Holly Thompson Voices In The Park - Anthony Browne	Mental Health
Summer 1										
Charlie and The Chocolate Factory - Roald Dahl		Story Instructions						Charlie And The Chocolate Factory	The Great Chocoplot - Chris Callaghan Chocolate Cake -	Class

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Summer 2										
Harry Potter And The Philosophers Stone - J.K.Rowling	Science - Changes Of Matter	Newspaper Instructions Recount				Grand High Witch - Roald Dahl		Harry Potter And The Philosophers Stone	The Worst Witch - Jill Murphy The Witches Roald Dahl	Racism Bullying
Extra Class readers										
The Firework Maker's Daughter – Philip Pullman	Geography - How does living near Mount St Helens affect how people live?									
Reading Linked to other subject areas										
Science – Ashley Booth Reading										
Electricity	The History Of Electricity Twinkl	Thomas Edison	Electricity - Billy Elliot							
Animals Including Humans	Tooth By Tooth: Comparing Fangs, Tusks and Chompers - Sara Levine	Dentist Dan - Shel Silverstein	Demon Dentist - David Walliams							

Year 5 Reading Spine

Anchor Novel	Related Topics	Genres of writing covered	Related novels	Picture books	Non-fiction	Poetry and songs	Videos and films	Ashley Booth Reading	Diversity Links
						Take One a term to learn off by heart			
Autumn 1									
Secrets of a Sun King	<p>History: Why was the Nile so important to the Ancient Egyptians?</p> <p>Geography: What was the impact of living near the River Nile?</p>	<p>To Entertain:</p> <p>Narrative - Written from viewpoint of different characters</p> <p>Letters - informal</p> <p>Diary - different characters</p> <p>NCRreport (newspaper) Howard Carter</p> <p>Recount: Visit to GN Museum</p> <p>To explain: The water cycle</p>			Ancient Egyptians /The Nile	Poems on rivers	<p>Videos on Ancient Egypt and River Nile</p> <p>Oddizzi videos</p>		Egypt

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Autumn 2									
Spring 1									
Greek Myths	Geography: What would it be like to live in Greece? History- How did the Ancient Greeks change the world?	Narrative: writing to create tension and mood of danger (Theseus in the Labyrinth) To Inform: NC report Greece			Ancient Greece Modern Greece	Poems related to Greek Myths	Stoyteller: Greek Myths		Greece
Spring 2									
As above									
Summer 1									
Erik the Viking	The Vikings Geography: What is the impact of living	Narrative: writing an adventure Writing to			Vikings		Vikings		

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Books embracing diversity in class library

Patina- Jason Reynolds	Amari and the night brothers -BB Alston
The boy with the butterfly mind – Victoria Williamson	Me and Mister P- Maria Farrer
Ella on the outside- Cath Howe	Gracie Fairshaw and the mysterious guest - Susan Brownrigg
All the things that could go wrong- Stuart Foster	Barakah beats – Maleeha Siddique
What Lexie Did- Emma Sherah	A different sort of normal – Abigail Balfe
Mayhem Mission – Bahaca Islam	Front desk – Kelly Yang
Planet Omar – Zanib Mian	Agent Zaiba investigates – Annabelle Sami
Runaway Robot – Frank Cottrell Boyce	The incredible Records Smashers - Jenny Pearson
A Dangerous Game – Malorie Blackman	The secret of sam and Sam – Susie Day
Just like me – Louis Gooding	Harriet Versus the galaxy – Samantha Baines
Young gifted Black – Jamia Wison	I am not a label – Cerrie Burnell
The distance between me and the cherry tree – Paola Peretti	Perfectly imperfect stories – Leo Potion and Ana Strumf
	The London Eye mystery – Siobhan Dowd

Year 6

Anchor Novel	Related Topics	Genres of writing covered	Related novels	Picture books	Non-fiction	Poetry and songs	Videos and films	Ashley Booth Reading	Diversity Links
						Take One a term to learn off by heart			
Autumn 1									
Kensuke's Kingdom	History- Was it ever right to Drop the Atomic Bomb? Geography- How do Earthquakes affect the lives of people in Japan?	Letter – informal Letter – Formal Descriptive writing -			Earthquakes/ Tsunamis Twinkl	Earthquake/ Tsunami Haiku	National Geographic		Japan
Autumn 2									
Stig of the Dump		Letter to MP – Formal Narrative – to create different atmospheres			Fox Hunting Stone Age Twinkl	Tyger by William Blake Lesson Ashley Booth To learn off by heart	Video - Stig of the Dump What if it was you?		Elite vs non elite
Spring 1									
The Endless Steppe	The Holocaust- Why it should never be forgotten?	Narrative to create a 1.Happy 2. tense 3.fearful atmosphere Speech – why the			Russia Twinkl	Poetry on The Holocaust Education Trust Once there was a garden	Holocaust Education Trust Video-Good night Mr Tom	Russian Population and Population Sparsity Text Lesson	Jews Anti Semitism

		Holocaust must be remembered							
		Newspaper Article - Kristalnacht							
Spring 2									
Goodnight Mr Tom			Goodnig ht Mr Tom						
Summer 1									
Mercy	Mayans – Who were the Most civilised? The Mayans or the Vikings.	Instructions Non chron report Speech			North America twinkl	http://www.indigenouspeople.net/poetry1.htm The beauty of the trees			Native American Indians
Summer 2									
Mercy		Narrative – to create tension Newspaper article Debate							
Extra Class readers									
When the									Characters are of Indian

Mountains Roared									origin
Holes							Video Holes	Holes by Louis Sachar Lesson Reading Spine Ashley Booth	Black /Ethnic Minority characters
Reading Linked to other subject areas									
<u>Science – Ashley Booth Reading</u>									
Animals Including Humans	Red Blood Cells	Preventing Coronary Heart Disease - NHS Advice	Fad Diets	Drugs and Alcohol The Risk Factors Of Smoking	Stories From Former Smokers	Old Red Eyes Is Back by The Beautiful South			
Electricity	James Chadwick Work	How Burglar Alarms	Wires by Athlete						
Light	On A Beam Of Light by Jennifer Berne	On A Beam Of Light by Jennifer Berne	The Parts Of The Eye						
Living Things and Their Habitats	Carolus Linnaeus	Carolus Linnaeus	Odd, Egg-Laying Mammals						
Evolution	Charles Darwin 1	Charles Darwin 2	Moth by Isabel Thomas Lesson						

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Autism	Civil Rights	Islam Mohammed	Inspirational Women	Notable People Vol 1&2	Resilience				
Books with Diversity links									
<p>Show us who you are – Elle McNicoll</p> <p>Can you see me – Libby Scott & Rebecca Westcott</p> <p>The Perfect Parent Project – Stewart Foster</p> <p>A Kind of Spark – Elle McNicoll</p> <p>Pig Heart Boy – Malorie Blackman</p> <p>The Extraordinary Colours of Auden Dare – Zillah Bethell</p> <p>Running on Empty – S.E.Durant</p> <p>Wonder – R.J.Palacio</p> <p>El Deafo - Cece Bell</p> <p>Just call me Spaghetti-Hoop boy- Lara Williamson</p> <p>The War that Saved my Life – Kimberly Brubaker Bradley</p> <p>High Rise Mystery – Sharna Jackson</p> <p>The Tigers in the Tower – Julia Golding</p> <p>Dragon Mountain – Katie and Kevin Tsang</p> <p>A Storm of Strawberries – Jo Cotterill</p> <p>The Bubble Boy – Stewart Foster</p>									

Check Mates – Stewart Foster

The Boy who made everyone Laugh – Helen Rutter

Maddy Yip's Guide to Life – Sue Cheung

Max and the Millions – Ross Montgomery