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Key Stage One and Two Reading Spine

Year One and Two CYCLE A	Fiction	Non-Fiction
Autumn One	**Room on the Broom, (AR – 2 to 3) (All texts by Julia Donaldson).** **Genre:** Rhyming story **Poetry: Halloween Poetry**	
Autumn Two	**Knights and Dragons Unite** **Genre:** Retell	**Castles** **Genre:** Information tests **Letters to Santa (TfW)**
Spring One	**My Granny is a Pirate (AR- 3.2)** **Genre:** Pirates **Poetry:** Pirate Poems	**Desert Islands (TfW),** **Genre:** Description
Spring Two	**The Best-Loved Bear (AR-2.7) and This is the Bear and the Scary Night** **Genre:** Retell	**Instructions: How to Make a Rocket** **Genre:** Instructions
Summer One	**Man on the Moon** **Genre:** Adventure	**Space** **Genre:** Diary Entry
Summer Two	**Handa's Surprise (A.R. 1.7),** **Genre:** Stories from around the world	**Non-chronological report about poison dart frog/Bengal tiger (TfW)** **Genre:** Non-chronological report

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Year One and Two CYCLE B	Fiction	Non-Fiction
Autumn One	**We're going on a Bear Hunt (TFW) (AR - 1.3)** **Genre:** Tale of Quest **Poetry:** Harvest poems	**How to Make a Puppet** **Genre:** Instructions
Autumn Two	**Traditional Stories: (TFW)** **Little Red Riding hood, Ginger Bread Man, Rumpelstiltskin** **Genre:** Warning	**Letters** **Genre:** Persuasive letter
Spring One	**Pumpkin Soup (SFW) (AR - 3.1)** **Genre:** Friendship Tale	**Great Fire of London (AR - 3.1)** **Exploring London** **Genre:** Information
Spring Two	**Katie Morag (AR - 3 to 4)** **Genre:** Warning Tales	**Diaries** **Genre:** Recount
Summer One	**Australian Dreamtime Stories** **Genre:** Moral tale	**Australian animal report.** **Genre:** Non-chronological report
Summer Two	**Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch** **Genre:** Adventure	**How to stay safe at the Beach** **How to go Rock pooling** **Genre:** Explanation

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Years Three and Four CYCLE A	Fiction	Non-Fiction
Autumn One	**The Iron man - Ted Hughes (AR - 4.7)** **Genre:** Modern fairy tale	**Instructions for the Iron-man (TfW)** **Genre:** Instructions
Autumn Two	**Caribbean Dozen, Anansi Stories, No dinner for Ananasi (AR -2.5)** **Genre:** Descriptive writing, Poetry and moral tales	**The Caribbean** **Genre** Non-Chronological Report
Spring One	**Tommy Armstrong poems**	**Diary entries** **Genre:** Recount
Spring Two	**Charlie and the Chocolate Factory - Roald Dahl (SfW) (AR - 4.8)** **Genre:** Finding story	**Persuasive letter to Mr Wonka (TfW)** **Genre:** Persuasive letter
Summer One	**Stone Age Boy - Kitamura, Satoshi (A.R 3.5)** **Genre:** Friendship	**How to build a Den (TfW)** **Genre:** Instructions
Summer Two	**Willie the Wizard** Anthony Browne (SfW) (AR - 3.7) **Genre:** Finding/losing story	**Visit Rome (TfW)** **Genre** Persuasive leaflet

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Autumn One	**Charlotte's Web - E.B. White (AR - 4.4)** **Genre:** Friendship	**Diary entries** **Genre:** Recount - Diary entry
Autumn Two	**The Three Billy Goats Gruff (SfW)** **Genre:** Traditional Tale	**How to trap a troll (TfW)** **Genre:** Instructions
Spring One	**How to Train Your Dragon - Cressida Cowell (AR - 6.6) (SfW)** **Genre:** Adventure	**The Manchester Ridgeback (TfW)** **Genre:** Non-chronological report
Spring Two	**Escaping Pompei (SfW)** **Genre:** Suspense	**The Rise of the Roman Empire (TfW)** **Genre:** Non - Chronological Report
Summer One	**There's a Pharoah in our Bath - Jeremy Strong (AR- 4.7)** **Genre:** Humour	**The Death of King Tut (TfW)** **Genre:** Newspaper Reports
Summer Two	**The Impossibly Possible Bookshop (SfW)** **Genre:** Portal story	

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Years Five and Six CYCLE A	Fiction	Non-Fiction
Autumn One	**Boy – Roald Dahl (AR—6)** **Poetry:** Revolting Rhymes	
Autumn Two	**The Lost World (extract) - Arthur Conan Doyle (AR -7.8)** **Genre:** Finding Tale	**Complaint to the Council letter** **Genre:** **Extra Poetry :** Haikus **Avoid Being a Mayan Soothsayer**
Spring One	**The Highway Man—Alfred Noyes (AR- 4.9)** **The Highway Rat - J. Donaldson** **Genre:** Tale of Fear	**Should Daleks be allowed on Earth? (TfW)** **Genre:** Discussion
Spring Two	**Beowulf - Michael Morpurgo (AR - 7.0)** **Genre:** Defeating a Monster	**Grendel: A Rare Form of Monster (TfW)** **Genre:** Non-chronological report
Summer One	**Wreck of the Zanzibar - M. Morpurgo (AR - 4.1)** **Genre:** Warning tale	Valley formation **Genre:** Explanation text
Summer Two	**Grandpa Chatterji - Jamila Gavin (AR - 4.6)** **Genre:** Moral tale	**Hawk Ridge Wildlife Park** **Genre:** Persuasive texts

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Autumn One	**The Fib/Cliffhanger—J.Wilson (Read on Residential)** **Genre:** Friendship	
Autumn Two	**Letters from the Lighthouse (AR 4.9)** Genre: Rags to riches	**Letters to Mr Temple…. (TfW)** **Genre:** Persuasive **Extra Poetry :** The Pig -Roald Dahl Cinquains
Spring One	**The Paradise Garden - Colin Thompson (TfW)** **Genre:** Historical **The Nowhere Emporium - Ross Mackenzie (AR- 5.0)** Genre: Fantasy	**Should evacuees be accepted in the village? (TfW)** **Genre:** Balanced Discussion
Spring Two	**Kensuke's Kingdom – Michael Morpurgo (AR - 4.7)** **Genre:** Finding tale	**Titanic (TfW)** **Genre:** Journalistic
Summer One	**Winnie in Space –Valerie Thomas (Year 5) (TfW)** **Genre:** Quest	**Felix's Fall/Space Tourism** **Genre:** Report
Summer Two	**A Shakespeare Play: Romeo and Juliet (extracts) (AR - 12.5)** **Genre:** Play	**William Shakespeare Biography** **Genre:** Biography