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English Curriculum Map		Autumn	Spring	Summer
Year A	EYFS	All About me! Non-Fiction All about me! Books about families Fiction Traditional Tale The Three Little Pigs (Talk for writing) This is our house by Michael Rosen On the way home by Jill Murphy Rhythm and Rhyme The House that Jack Built (Talk for writing) Skills Focus Mark Making Holding a pencil effectively Writing Names Retelling Stories and sequencing- story maps Toys Non- Fiction Children in Need – Cooking instructions Space Books Fiction Dogger by Shirley Hughes Stick Man by Julia Donaldson Traditional Tales: Goldilocks & the Three Bears The Gingerbread Man (Talk for writing) Whatever next! By Jill Murphy Rhythm and Rhyme Roaring Rockets by Tony Mitton Goodnight Moon by Margaret Wise Brown Skills Focus Writing CVC words. Labels & caption.s Retelling stories and sequencing- story maps. Performing Christmas Nativity. <i>Books may change in line with children’s interest.</i>	Amazing Humans Non-Fiction Book about our bodies Fiction Traditional Tale The Little Red Hen (Talk for writing) Handa’s Surprise by Eileen Browne Weather Stories- The Cloud Spotter by Tom McLaughlin, Nelly and Nora- The Windy way home by Emma Hogan My Friend the Weather Monster by Steve Smallman Rhythm and Rhyme Don’t forget the Bacon by Pat Hutchins Skills Focus Writing Sentence/s using a full stop. Writing stories using story maps Lists and Instructions Growth Non-Fiction Books about animals and plants Fiction Jaspar’s Beanstalk by Nick Butterworth The Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle Dear Zoo by Rod Campbell The Tiger who came to tea by Judith Kerr Skills Focus Writing sentences using a full stop. Comparing Fiction and Non Fiction. <i>Books may change in line with children’s interest.</i>	Story Telling Non-Fiction Tours Guide of Buckingham Palace Books about Castles Fiction Paddington at the palace by Michael Bond The rabbit belongs to Emily Brown. By Cressida Cowell Traditional Tale Jack and the Beanstalk- SHHH! By Sally Grindley Alternative Tale Jack and the Jelly Bean Stalk- Rachael Mortimer- Alternative Tale. Rhythm and Rhyme Jesters- Telling Jokes Skills Focus Capital Letters Writing sentences using capital letter and full stops. Recounts Seaside Non- Fiction Book about the seaside including plants and animals Fiction Grandad’s Island by Benji Davies The Snail and the Whale/ Tiddler by Julia Donaldson The Big Blue Whale by Nicola Davies The storm whale by Benji Davies Rhythm and Rhyme Commotion in the Ocean by Julia Donaldson (Talk for Writing) Skills Focus Capital Letters. Writing sentences using capital letter and full stops. <i>Books may change in line with children’s interest.</i>
	1&2	Memory Box Fiction Stories with familiar settings: The marvellous fun Itsy bittsy by Beatrice Alemanga's (Jane Considine Unit) Traditional Tales: Little Red Riding Hood –Narrative (Talk for Writing)	Superheroes Fiction Different stories by the same author: George’s Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl The BFG by Roald Dahl Non-Fiction Instructions:	Our Environment Fiction Different stories by the same author: Julia Donaldson Stories Stories with predictable and patterned language My House is a squash and a squeeze by Julia Donaldson- Narrative, The Gruffalo by Julia Donaldson Descriptions



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		Little Red Riding Hood by Lucy Rowland- Description (Jane Considine Unit Alternative Version) Non-Fiction Information texts: Toys from the Past by Sally Hewit (Jane Considine Unit) Instructions: Around the world Games by Margaret Hall Poetry Playground Rhymes & Games Childhood Fiction The Owl who was afraid of the dark-Description (Jane Considine Unit) Owl Babies – Writing Narrative (Literacy Shed Film Unit) Non-Fiction Labels, lists and captions: Setting up a Toy Museum: Recount : Toy Museum (Talk for Writing) Information Texts: The Dinosaur’s Lunch Book by Jacqueline Wilson -Dinosaur Facts (Chapter Book on Literacy Shed)	Recipes linked into George’s Marvellous Medicine Poetry Tasty Poems by Nick Sharrat (Talk for Writing) Pass the Jam Jim Kaye Umansky The Enchanted Woodland Fiction Stories from a range of cultures: The Papaya that spoke- Narrative (Talk for Writing) Stories with familiar settings : Caterpillar Shoes- Character Description (Literacy Shed Unit Y2) Embarked!- Adventure Narrative Writing (Literacy Shed Film Unit) Non-Fiction Non-Chronological Report: Caterpillar Shoes- Minibeast report (Literacy Shed Unit Y2)	Non-Fiction Information Texts: Living in Newbold. Non-Chronological Report: Habitats (Jane Considine Y2 Unit). Film Review: The Bee Movie. Rio de Vida Fiction Stories from a range of cultures: Creation Myths- How the world was made (Talk for Writing) Non-Fiction Information Texts: Living in Brazil Poetry The Magic Box- Kit Wright
	3&4 5&6	THROUGH THE AGES Stig of the Dump – Clive King Stone Age Boy – Satoshi Kitamura Fiction Stone Age Boy (Jane Considine - Y3) – Narrative story – story with historical setting Non-Fiction Instructions – How to make a Iron Age axe (Talk for Writing) (Curriculum Maestro) Poetry Harvest poem – Figurative language/Creating images Fiction Stig of the Dump – Classical fiction – write an adventure story (Hamilton Trust Y3/4) Non-Fiction Balanced discussion – Have we lost the true meaning of Christmas?	ROCKS RELICS AND RUMBLES The Firework-Maker's Daughter – Philip Pullman Fiction The Firework Maker’s Daughter – adventure narrative/story from a different culture (Jane Considine Y6) Poetry Shape poetry (Curriculum Maestro) Non – Fiction Non-chronological reports - Earthquakes and Volcanoes (Jane Considine – Y3)	THE KINGDOM OF MERCIA/ LIGHTS AND SHADOWS Treasure Island - Robert Louis Stevenson Fiction Stories by significant authors – Treasure Island by Robert Louis Stevenson. (Treasure Talk for Writing Y6) Non-Fiction David Attenborough by Maria Isabel Sanchez Vegara (Jane Considine) Poetry Father’s Day Poem – Kenning



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Year B	EYFS	Repeat Year A		
	1&2	School Days Fiction Traditional Tales: Fables – Cat, Bramble & Heron (Talk for Writing) The Crow’s Tale (Jane Considine Unit) Stories about fantasy worlds: Dangle! (Literacy Shed Film unit) The Door in the Mountain (Talk for writing) Non-Fiction Information text: School Tell Me What You Remember by Sarah Ridley Poetry Autumn Poems Moon Zoom Fiction Stories with familiar settings: Lost in Space – Mini Grey The Way back Narrative (Literacy Shed Film Unit) Non-Fiction Information Text: History of Space- Neil Armstrong- Questions & Answers (Jane Considine Unit) Poetry Space Poems- Zoom!	Movers and Shakers Fiction Stories with familiar Settings: The Snowflake by Benji Davies- Narrative (Literacy Shed Writing Unit) The Day the Crayons Quit by Drew Daywalt (Literacy Shed Writing unit) Non-Fiction Biography: Malala’s Magic Pencil (Jane Considine Unit) Poetry Once in a lifetime. Who am I? poems (Literacy shed Film Unit) Paws, Claws and Whiskers Fiction Stories from a range of cultures: Zahra – Narrative (Literacy Film Unit) Just so stories How tortoise got his shell- (Talk for Writing) Non-Fiction Instructions: How to look after a pet dragon- (Talk for writing)	Bright City, Big Lights Fiction Stories with familiar settings: The Queen’s hat (Jane Considine Unit) Stories about fantasy worlds: The Tunnel- Anthony Browne Description /Something fishy (Literacy Shed film unit) Non-Fiction Diary: Toby and the Great Fire of London (Jane Considine unit) Information Text: There Once is a queen by Michael Morpurgo Coastlines Fiction Different stories by the same author: Dolphin Boy by Michael Morpurgo The Puffin Keeper by Michael Morpurgo (Also compare to There once is a queen) Non-Fiction Biography: Grace Darling (Jane Considine Unit) Poetry Seaside Poems by Nick Sharrett (Talk for Writing)
	3&4 5&6	EMPERORS AND EMPIRES The Journal of Iliona – A Young Slave by Richard Platt The Iron Man – Ted Hughes Fiction The True Story of the Three Little Pigs (Jane Considine) Non-Fiction A Roman Diary – Jane Considine Y3/4 Poetry I asked the little boy who couldn't see (Jane Considine) Fiction The Iron Man (Jane Considine) Non-Fiction Explanation – Digestion Explanation based upon Gut Garden (Jane Considine Y4)	MISTY MOUNTAIN WINDING RIVER King of the Cloud Forests – Michael Morpurgo (Curriculum Maestro) Fiction Float – by Daniel Miyares – Narrative Story (Jane Considine Y4) Non-Fiction Rivers – Non-chronological Report (Talk for Writing Y4) Poetry Mother’s Day poem	THE REIGN OF RICHARD III Richard III - Shakespeare Poetry The Highwayman (Jane Considine) Fiction Mission Possible – Adventure Narrative (Talk for Writing Y4) Non-Fiction Letter writing (persuasive) based upon the Princes in the Tour



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	1&2	Year A to be repeated		
	3&4 5&6	INVASION Anglo-Saxon Boy by Tony Bradman Fiction Doors – The World of Possibility (Talk for Writing Y6) Poetry Doors – The World of Possibility (Talk for Writing Y6) Write a poem based upon The Magical Door/The Door by Miroslav Holub Non-Fiction The Gadgets Workbook – Persuasion (Talk for Writing Y6) Fiction Cosmic by Frank Cottrell Boyce – Narrative (Science Fiction – Jane Considine Y5) Non-Fiction Journal Writing - Mars Transmission, Calling Earth (Jane Considine Y5)	SEW, GROW AND FARM The Midnight Fox – Betsy Byers Fiction Love the Natural World – Descriptive Narrative (Talk for Writing Y5) Non-Fiction Plastic Pollution – writing a speech (Jane Considine Y5) Poetry Narrative/Nonsense Poetry - The Jabbewocky by Lewis Carroll	FIRST RAILWAYS/FORCES Letters from the Lighthouse - Emma Carroll Non-Fiction Recount – Letters from the Lighthouse by Emma Carroll (Jane Considine Y6) Poetry Still I Rise – Maya Angelou (Jane Considine Y4) Fiction Warning story – (Talk for Writing, Y6)
Year D	EYFS	Year A to be repeated		
	1&2	Year B to be repeated		
	3&4 5&6	VIKING / EVOLUTION / LIGHT Who Let the Gods Out? – Maz Evans Fiction Narrative Tradition Tale – Aladdin and the Enchanted Lamp (Jane Considine Y4) Non-Fiction Newspaper Report on the Battle of Hastings (Literacy Shed) Fiction Theseus and the Minotaur retold by Hugh Lupton and Daniel Morden – Myth writing (Jane Considine Y3) Non-Fiction Non-Chronological Report – Flying Horses and Unicorns (Talk for Writing Y6) Poetry Pie Corbet Talk for Writing (Catalysts: Poems for Writing)	FROZEN KINGDOMS The Wolf Wilder – Katherine Rundell Fiction Narrative Adventure – The Last Bear by Hannah Gold (Jane Considine Y3) Non-Fiction Explanation - Ice Matters (Talk for Writing Y6) Poetry – Easter themed Haiku (Curriculum Maestro links)	CIRCULATORY SYSTEM/COAL MINING The BFG – Roald Dahl Non-Fiction Non-chronological Report – Meet the Rhi-swano-zeb-tah (Talk for Writing Y5) Poetry The Malfeasance by Alan Bold (Jane Considine) Fiction Narrative Adventure - The BFG (Jane Considine Y4)