

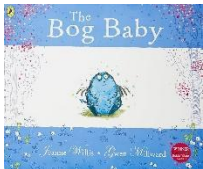






Year 2 Reading Spine - Kensington Community Primary School

Quality Read aloud texts	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Read to Write	<p>A River Marc Martin</p> 	<p>The Night Gardener Jonathan Auxier</p> 	<p>The Bog Baby Jeanne Willis Gwen Millward</p> 	<p>Grandad's Island Benji Davies</p> 	<p>The King Who Banned the Dark</p> 	<p>Rosie Revere Engineer Andrea Beaty</p> 
Similar Themes:	Journey Adventure	Mystery & Discovery Something surprising Family diversity	Nature & Environments Discovery and adventure	Journey and return Goodbyes	Being scared of the dark Authority figures & Protest	Invention, Perseverance, Feminism and positive role models
Wider reading linked to Read to Write book themes	<p><u>Fiction:</u></p> <p>The Very Angry Ladybug Eric Carle</p> <p>Mr Grumpy's Outing John Birmingham</p> <p>Peace at last Jill Murphy</p> <p>Goat on a Boat Leslie Simms</p> <p>Where the forest meets the sea Jeannie Baker</p> <p><u>Non-Fiction:</u></p> <p>The Amazon Rainforest</p>	<p><u>Fiction:</u></p> <p>The Faraway tree Enid Blyton</p> <p>Into the Forest Anthony Browne</p> <p>Voices in the Park Anthony Brown</p> <p>Tree: Seasons Come, Seasons Go Patricia Hegarty</p> <p>Moon Patricia Hegarty</p> <p>Leaf Man Lois Ehert</p>	<p><u>Fiction:</u></p> <p>Sally and The Limpet by Simon James</p> <p>Guess what I found in the Dragon Wood Timothy Knapman</p> <p>Mr Tiger Goes Wild Peter Brown</p> <p>This Moose belongs to me Oliver Jeffers</p> <p><u>Non-Fiction:</u></p> <p>Unseen Worlds Hélène Rajcak</p>	<p><u>Fiction:</u></p> <p>Jack and The Flumflum Tree Julia Donaldson</p> <p>The Tunnel Anthony Browne</p> <p>The Way Back Home Oliver Jeffers</p> <p>Michael Rosen's Sad Book Michael Rosen</p> <p><u>Non-Fiction:</u></p> <p>The Amazon Rainforest Mike Graf</p>	<p><u>Fiction:</u></p> <p>George in the Dark Madeline Valentine</p> <p>Orion and the Dark Emma Yarlett</p> <p>Can't you sleep, Little Bear? Martin Waddell</p> <p>The Owl Who was Afraid of the Dark Jill Tomlinson</p> <p>The Accidental Prime Minister Tom McLaughlin</p>	<p><u>Fiction:</u></p> <p>A Series Of Unfortunate Events Lemony Snicket and Brett Helquist</p> <p>Chitty Chitty Bang Bang Ian Fleming</p> <p>The Imagination Box Brian Selznick</p> <p>Princess Smartypants Babette Cole; Puffin</p> <p><u>Non-Fiction:</u></p> <p>The Boo-Boo's That Changed The World Barry Wittenstein</p>

	<p>Mike Graf</p> <p>Incredible Animals Oxford Owl</p>	<p><u>Non-Fiction:</u></p> <p>i-Spy in the park: Spy it! Score it! Collins Michelin</p> <p>i-Spy in the woods: Spy it! Score it! Collins Michelin</p>	<p>Go Wild In The Woods Goldie Hawk</p> <p>Weird and Wonderful Nature Ben Hoare</p>	<p>Incredible Animals Oxford Owl</p>	<p>Horrid Henry meets the Queen Francesca Simon</p> <p>The Emperor's New Clothes Various</p> <p><u>Non-Fiction:</u></p> <p>Queen Victoria V&A</p> <p>Kings and Queens of England and Scotland Pamela Egan</p>	<p>Girls Think Of Everything Catherine Thimmesh</p> <p>Balloons Over Broadway Melissa Sweet</p> <p>Boys Of Steel Marc Tyler Nobleman</p>
	<p><u>Poetry:</u></p> <p>Animal Poems Jennifer Curry</p> <p>Poems Aloud Joseph Coehlo</p> <p>My Puppy Poet Eloise Greenfield</p>	<p><u>Poetry:</u></p> <p>Grandma and the sea – Kate Wakeling from Cloud Soup</p> <p>The songs my Father sings - By Michael Rosen from On the Move: Poems About Migration</p> <p>Skeletons - By Michael Rosen from On the Move: Poems About Migration</p>	<p><u>Poetry:</u></p> <p>Forest Has a Song Amy Ludwig Vanderwater</p> <p>I Am The Seed That Grew The Tree Fiona Waters</p>	<p><u>Poetry:</u></p> <p>Animal Poems Jennifer Curry</p> <p>Poems Aloud Joseph Coehlo</p>	<p><u>Poetry:</u></p> <p>Caged Bird Maya Angelou</p> <p>Still I Rise Maya Angelou</p>	<p><u>Poetry:</u></p> <p>Once Upon A Big Idea: The Story Of Inventions James Carter</p> <p>Reaching The Stars: Poems About Extraordinary Women And Girls</p>
<p>Author focus</p>	<p>Jill Murphy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Full Length Fiction - Picture Books - Magic and fantasy <p>-Peace at Last -The Worst Witch</p>	<p>David Roberts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retellings Of Fairy Stories - Picture Books - Full Length Fiction - Short Stories <p>-Dirty Birtie -Rapunzel: A Groovy Fairy Tale -Rosie Revere</p>	<p>David Roberts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Picture Books - Short Stories <p>-The Tunnel -Voices in the Park -Piggybook</p>			

<p>RM5 extracts</p> <p>Show cross curricular/topic / theme links</p>	<p>Animals - Non-fiction text linked to science topic of Animals including Humans.</p> <p>The Stick Insect - Descriptive poem linked to science.</p>	<p>The Night Gardener example text- Fiction</p> <p>Unique- poetry (Anti-bullying week)</p> <p>The Arctic- Non-fiction (Geography- continents)</p>	<p>Where my wellies take me - introduction to focus author</p> <p>Sometimes When I'm Sad (Mental Health Week)</p> <p>Social Media and Online Safety (Mental Health)</p>	<p>Animals - Non-fiction text linked to science topic of Animals including Humans.</p> <p>The Stick Insect - Descriptive poem linked to science.</p>	<p>The King Who Banned the Dark example text- Fiction</p>	<p>Rosie Revere Example Text</p> <p>Mae Jemison Non-Fiction</p> <p>Ruby's Worry Fiction</p>
<p>Diversity</p>	<p><i>The thing about bees</i> <i>Shabazz Larkin</i> <i>(Black History Month)</i></p> <p>Hands Surprise Eileen Browne</p>	<p>Amari and the Night Brothers</p> <p>The Quiet Child – Liz Brownlee from Being Me: Poems about thoughts, worries and feelings (Poetry) – <i>Anti-Bullying Week</i></p>	<p>Alien Nation</p>	<p>Look Up! Nathan Bryon Dapo Adeola</p>	<p>The not so great outdoors</p> <p>Painted Skies <i>(LGBTQ+ Pride month)</i></p>	<p>My Beautiful Voice Joseph Coelho and Allison Colpoys</p>
<p>Reading for Pleasure – Recommended Texts</p>						
<p>The full list of recommended reads can be found by following this link: https://cdn.schoolimprovementliverpool.co.uk/userfiles/files/free%20primary%20resources/SIL%20Y2%20Recommended%20Reading%20List.pdf</p>						

