

Year 1

Term	Fiction	Non-fiction	Poetry
Autumn	<p><u>Stories in familiar settings</u></p> <p>Knuffle Bunny - Mo Willems The dog and the lost mum Hamilton Group Readers The Large Family - Jill Murphy The Gruffalo - Julia Donaldson The Gruffalos Child - Julia Donaldson The Tiger Who came to Tea - Judith Kerr Katie Morag Stories - Macri Heddewick</p>	<p><u>Labels, lists and signs</u></p> <p>Not a stick - Antoinette Portis Billy's Bucket by Kes Gray and Garry Parsons</p>	<p><u>Songs and repetitive poems</u></p>
	<p><u>Stories with repeating patterns</u></p> <p>Harvey Slumfenburger - John Burningham Hairy Mc Clary series - Lynley Dodd Owl Babies - Martin Waddell All Julia Donnelly picture books</p>	<p><u>Information texts</u></p> <p>The Usborne Book of Big Machines</p>	<p><u>Poems with Pattern and Rhyme</u></p> <p>The Gingerbread man - Audrey Daly The Three Little Pigs - Joan Stimson (or another version of the same stories) Assorted poems and rhymes including Down behind the Dustbin - Michael Rosen Batman's Exercise Video - Ian McMillan</p>
Spring	<p><u>Stories with repeating patterns</u></p> <p>Bring the rain to Kapiti Plain - Verna Aardema, Handa's Hen - Eileen Brown, Walker Books We all went on Safari - Laurie Krebs, Barefoot Books Boris and Sid go on a tram Hamilton Group Readers</p>	<p><u>Instructions</u></p> <p>Don't let the pigeon stay up late - Mo Willems Don't let the pigeon drive the bus - Mo Willems Boris and Sid are bad Hamilton Group Readers Focus – Related to something personal that they do regularly eg. Get Dressed, Clean Teeth</p>	<p><u>Poems about the senses</u></p> <p>The Works, chosen by Paul Cookson Sensational: Poems inspired by the Five Senses chosen by Roger McGough</p>
	<p><u>Traditional Tales</u></p> <p>The House That Jack Built - Jenny Stow Anancy and Mr Dry-Bone - Fiona French</p>	<p><u>Information texts</u></p> <p>Night Animals by Claire Llewellyn (Rigby Star-Green) Owls - Emily Bone Books on night time creatures and owls The owl in the night-time Hamilton Group Readers</p>	<p><u>Humorous Poems</u></p> <p>The Works, chosen by Paul Cookson, MacMillan The Works Key Stage 1, chosen by Pie Corbett It Takes One to Know One, by Gervase Phinn, Puffin Commotion in the Ocean by Giles Andreae Rumble in the Jungle by Giles Andreae</p>

Summer	<p><u>Fairy Stories and Traditional Tales</u></p> <p>Traditional versions of: Cinderella, Billy Goats Gruff and Snow White Snow White in New York - Fiona French, Hairy Tales and Nursery Crimes - Michael Rosen Billy Dogs Gruff Hamilton Group Readers</p>	<p><u>Letters</u></p> <p>Dear Greenpeace by Simon James Boris and Sid met a shark Hamilton Group Reader Cat, fish and shell Hamilton Group Reader</p>	<p><u>Poems about nature</u></p> <p>Poem Maker, Word Shaker by Pie Corbett The Works' chosen by Paul Cookson My first Oxford Book of Poems chosen by John Foster The Puffin Book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry</p>
	<p><u>Fantasy</u></p> <p>Superheroes – all sorts: Hamilton Group Reader</p>	<p><u>Information texts</u></p> <p>The Dancing Tiger - Malachy Doyle Tigress - Nick Dowson Surprising Sharks / Ice Bear - Nicola Davies</p>	<p><u>Traditional Poems</u></p>

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	<p><u>Traditional Tales</u></p> <p>Hamilton Traditional Tales: Ant & Grasshopper – available from Hamilton Education The Frog & the Scorpion – Hamilton oral story</p>	<p><u>Postcards & Letters</u></p> <p>John Patrick Norman McHennessy - John Burningham Dear Teacher - Amy Husband The Three Guinea Fowl – Hamilton Group Readers The Jolly Postman Books – Janet and John Ahlberg</p>	<p><u>Traditional poems for young children</u></p> <p>The Works chosen by Paul Cookson</p>
Spring	<p><u>Traditional tales from a variety of cultures</u></p> <p>Hansel and Gretel - Anthony Browne, Walker Hansel and Gretel Ladybird Tales, Ladybird, I Baba Yaga and the Stolen Baby, Alison Lurie Baba Yaga, Tony Bradman, Oxford Reading Tree Why not me? Hamilton Group Readers</p>	<p><u>Instructions</u></p> <p>Instructions - Neil Gaiman, Bloomsbury</p>	<p><u>The Senses</u></p> <p>The Works chosen by Paul Cookson</p>
	<p><u>Stories involving fantasy</u></p> <p>The Dragon Machine - Helen Ward George and the Dragon - Chris Wormell The Paper Bag Princess - Robert Munsch</p>	<p><u>Recounts</u></p> <p>Diary of a Wombat. Jackie French Diary of a Baby Wombat. Jackie French Chicken's Bad Dream – Hamilton Group Readers The dog who wouldn't stop barking – Hamilton Group Readers The Owl and the Moon – Hamilton Group Readers</p>	<p><u>Humorous poems</u></p> <p>The Works chosen by Paul Cookson</p>

SUMMER	<p><u>Quest and adventure stories</u></p> <p>Lost and Found AND The Way Back Home - Oliver Jeffries We're going on a bear hunt - Michael Rosen The Quest Hamilton Group Readers</p>	<p><u>Information texts</u></p> <p>Harry and The Bucketful of Dinosaurs - Ian Whybrow Nana, what is an information text? - Ruth Merttens. Hamilton Group Reader Tyrannosaurus Drip - Julia Donaldson First Encyclopaedia of Science Usborne Human Body Usborne Animals Usborne Seas and Oceans Usborne</p>	<p><u>Favourite poems</u></p>
	<p><u>Stories by the same author</u></p> <p>Willy the Wimp, Gorilla, Silly Billy and The Night Shimmy All - Anthony Browne</p>	<p><u>Recounts</u></p> <p>Maisie's Dragon - Philippa Danvers</p>	<p><u>Really looking! Poems about birds</u></p>

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Autumn	<u>Stories by the same author</u> Significant Authors - Roald Dahl	<u>Instructions</u>	<u>Humorous poems</u> The Truth about Teachers by Paul Cookson The Works chosen by Paul Cookson Read Me and Laugh chosen by Gaby Morgan
	<u>Stories from other cultures</u> Linked to class culture Seasons of Splendour - Madhur Jaffrey The Tiger Child - Joanna Troughton	<u>Letters</u> Informal Diary of Killer Cat – Anne Fine Smasher – Dick King Smith	
Spring	<u>Myths and legends</u> UK Myths and Legends The Lambton Worm The Sword in the Stone Robin Hood	<u>Recounts</u> Incident/report e.g. An alien landed at school.	<u>Shape poems</u> I Like this Poem by Kaye Webb. Also Read Me, Read Me First and The Works are desirable.
	<u>Stories about imaginary worlds</u> Fantastic Mr Fox Peter Pan The Wizard of Oz	<u>Explanation</u> Answers a question linked to a text.	
Summer	<u>Stories which raise issues/dilemmas.</u> Amazing Grace – Mary Hoffman Michael Morpurgo	<u>Persuasive writing</u> Radio Advertisement Anthony Brown - Zoo	<u>Poetic form: Syllabic poems</u> Read and study haikus, tankas and cinquains.
	<u>Plays and Dialogues</u> Fairy Tales (with an alternative ending) Beware of the Storybook Wolves , by Lauren Child The Pea and the Princess , by Mini Grey The Princess and the Pea , by Lauren Child	<u>Non-chronological reports</u> Linked to an area of interest/topic - Going Home	

Year 4

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Autumn	<u>Stories by the same author</u> Significant Authors - Michael Morpurgo	<u>Information texts</u> Imaginary creature	<u>Creating images</u> Wind Poems by Christina Rossetti Hamilton
	<u>Stories from other cultures</u> Linked to class culture	<u>Letters</u> Informal	
Spring	<u>Myths and legends</u> Greek, hero, quest	<u>Recounts</u> Sports report	<u>Traditional poems</u> A Child's Garden of Verses by Robert Louis Stevenson
	<u>Stories about imaginary worlds</u> The Wolves in the Walls Coraline The Chronicles of Narnia The BFG	<u>Non-chronological reports</u> <u>Explanation</u> Wallace and Gromit Cracking Contraptions Or area linked to area of interest/topic	
Summer	<u>Stories which raise issues/dilemmas</u> The Suitcase kid - Jacqueline Wilson The Balaclava Boy - Richard Parkyn	<u>Persuasive writing</u> TV advertisement The Dancing Bear – Michael Morpurgo	<u>Performance poems</u> A Classic collection, chosen by Julia Donaldson
	<u>Plays and Dialogues</u> Roald Dahl	<u>Non-chronological reports</u> Linked to area of interest/topic - Egyptians	

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Autumn	<p><u>Classic fiction</u></p> <p>The Jungle Book – Rudyard Kipling Just So Stories – Rudyard Kipling Charlotte’s Web – E.B White Treasure Island – Robert Louis Stevenson The Demon Headmaster – Gillian Cross</p>	<p><u>Recounts</u></p> <p>Informal – diaries and letters</p> <p>Hurricane – David Wiesner Linked to context/topic/class text</p>	<p><u>Free Form Poetry</u></p> <p>Children investigate a range of free-form poetry. They revise the use of verbs, adverbs, and adjectives in producing exciting and descriptive language. They consolidate the skills needed to write effective poetry, including those of rhyme, alliteration, assonance, onomatopoeia and metaphor. They will bring their skills together to write their own emotive free-form poem.</p> <p>Various</p>
	<p><u>Biographies and autobiographies</u></p> <p><u>Self</u></p> <p>Boy – Roald Dahl Jacky Daydream – Jaqueline Wilson War Child to War Horse – Maggie Fergusson Linked to context or topic</p>	<p><u>Instructions & Explanations</u></p> <p>Linked to context/topic/class text Or Linked to an area of interest e.g. futuristic travel.</p>	
Spring	<p><u>Genre fiction - Adventure</u></p> <p>Kensuke’s Kingdom – Michael Morpurgo Journey to River Sea – Eva Ibbotson Alex Ryder – Anthony Horowitz Stormbreaker – Anthony Horowitz Born to Run – Michael Morpurgo The Famous Five – Enid Blyton</p>	<p><u>Argument and debate</u></p> <p>Argument/debate from one point of view.</p>	<p><u>Classic poems</u></p> <p>The Walrus and the Carpenter - Lewis Carroll The Owl and the Pussycat Classic Poems for Children compiled by Nicola Baxter</p>
	<p><u>Drama (Shakespeare)</u></p> <p><u>Comedies</u></p> <p>A Midsummer Night’s Dream As You Like It The Tempest Much Ado About Noting</p>	<p><u>Reports and Journalistic Writing</u></p> <p>Linked to context/topic/class text</p>	

Summer	<p><u>Stories with issues and dilemmas</u></p> <p>Pig Heart Boy – Marjorie Blackman There's a Boy in the girls bathroom – Louis Sachar The fib – George Layton Shadow – Michael Morpurgo The Fastest Boy in the World – Elizabeth Laird</p>	<p><u>Persuasive writing</u></p> <p>Advertisements</p>	<p><u>Narrative Poems</u></p> <p>The Highwayman by Alfred Noyes</p>
	<p><u>Genre fiction – science fiction/fantasy</u></p> <p>Percy Jackson – Rick Riordan Artimus Fowl – Eoin Coffey Cosmic – Frank Cottrell Boyce Georges Secret Key to the Universe – Lucy Hawking and Stephen Hawking Tales From Outer Suburbia – Shaun Tan The Sleeper and the Spindle – Neil Gaiman</p>	<p><u>Non-chronological Reports</u></p> <p>Linked to context/topic/class text</p>	

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	<u>Biographies and autobiographies</u> <u>Fictional</u> The Boyhood of Burglar Bill – Alan Ahlberg The Diary of Anne Frank	<u>Instructions & Explanations</u> Linked to context/topic/class text	

Spring	<u>Genre fiction – Mystery/Suspense</u> The Glass Children – Kristina Ohlsson The Darren Shan Series The Apothecary – Maile Maloy Harry Potter Series – J.K. Rowling	<u>Argument and debate</u> A balanced argument	<u>Poetic Style</u> You Wait Till I'm Older Than You - Michael Rosen Collected Poems - Roger McGough Paul Cookson – Various
	<u>Drama (Shakespeare)</u> <u>Tragedies</u> Hamlet Macbeth Romeo and Juliet Julius Caesar	<u>Reports and Journalistic Writing</u> Tuesday by David Wiesner Linked to topic/context/class text	

Summer	<p><u>Issues and dilemmas</u></p> <p>The Mozart Question – Michael Morpurgo Once – Morris Glietzman A Monster Calls – Patrick Ness Wonder – R.J. Palacio The Giants Necklace – Michael Morpurgo Looking for Anya – Michael Morpurgo</p>	<p><u>Persuasive writing</u></p> <p>To make someone do something: A letter of complaint A persuasive letter to get someone to do something A campaign style piece of writing</p>	<p><u>Classic poems</u></p> <p>Classic Poems for Children compiled by Nicola Baxter Jabberwocky – Lewis Carrol The Charge of the Light Brigade – Alfred Lord Tennyson</p>
	<p><u>Genre fiction – Contemporary</u></p> <p>Ratburger – David Walliams Billionaire Boy – David Walliams The Boy Who Swam with Piranhas – David Almond The Cat who Came in off the Roof – Annie M.G. Schmidt and Nathan Burton Paper Towns – John Green Frost Hollow Hall – Emma Carroll Wonder – R.J. Palacio</p>	<p><u>Non-chronological Reports</u></p> <p>Linked to topic/context/class text</p>	