

KS2 Super Six

Developing key reading skills through high-quality teaching is the priority for our children. In addition, studying whole texts in lessons – novel study - develops children’s love of reading by giving them the opportunity to read and listen to texts and authors they might not have chosen to read for themselves, also providing opportunities to encounter a wide variety of genres.

Within each year group, children are exposed to a range of books that are both challenging and diverse in nature. We have ensured our selected texts represent a wide range of diversity in both authors and protagonists and are engaging to encourage a love for reading. Although it is predominantly fiction novels that are read to the children, they have a diet of fiction and non-fiction, with the latter being promoted within our learning enquiry reading lessons.

Our super six texts and authors can be found on display in classrooms across the school, showing clearly which text is currently being focussed on at any one time.

	Autumn 1 Citizenship	Autumn 2 Explorers	Spring 1 Leadership	Spring 2 Expression	Summer 1 Flourishing	Summer 2 Citizenship
	<u>Modern Day Issues</u> Happen on a symbolic level or contain hidden ideas or meanings, related to modern day issues	<u>Picture Books</u> Where the content is conveyed through the use of words and pictures in combination or through pictures alone.	<u>Narratively Complex</u> Narrated by an unreliable narrator who misunderstands something or doesn’t fit in with others’ views. The narrator can also be multiple people or an animal or there	<u>Poetry</u> A mixture of classical and modern poems.	<u>A Classic Story</u> Contains a level of complexity and depth, which enables it to transcend the time in which it was written. It articulates universal themes like love, morality, death, adversity.	<u>Culture & Diversity</u> Books about life in other cultures or diversity in our own culture

			can be multiple plot lines			
Year 3	<u>Disability</u> Helen Rutter (The Boy who Made Everyone Laugh)	Dan Santat (The Adventures of Beekle) Rachel Bright (The Whale who Wanted More)	Jenny Mclachlin (The Land of Roar)	Joshua Seigal	E.B. White (Charlotte's Web)	Malala Yousafzai (Malala's Magic Pencil)
Year 4	<u>Friendship</u> Hannah Gold (The Lost Bear)	Floyd Cooper (Max and the Tag Along Moon) Alvaro F. Villa (Flood)	M G Leonard (The Highland Falcon Thief)	Coral Rumble	J.M. Barry (Peter Pan)	Nizrana Farook (The Girl who Stole an Elephant)
Year 5	<u>Bullying</u> R J Palacio (Wonder)	Jordan Scott (Talk Like a River) Grahame Baker-Smith (Farther)	Katherine Rundell (Rooftoppers)	Joseph Coelho	L Frank Baum (The Wonderful Wizard of Oz)	Onjali Q Rauf (The Boy at the Back of the Class)
Year 6	<u>LGBTQ+</u> Rick Riordan & Mark Oshiro (From the World of Percy)	Francesca Sanna (The Journey) Robert Macfarlane & Jacie Morris (The Lost Words)	Ross MacKenzie (The Nowhere Emporium)	Karl Nova	Kenneth Grahame (Wind in the Willows)	Benjamin Zephaniah (Windrush Child)



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