

Non-fiction

Fiction

Poetry

S&L

Yearly overview - Year 2

| <u>Autumn 1 - 8 weeks</u> | <u>Autumn 2 - 7 weeks</u> | <u>Spring 1 - 6 weeks</u> | <u>Spring 2 - 5 weeks</u> | <u>Summer 1 - 6 weeks</u> | <u>Summer 2 - 7 weeks</u> |
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| Aesop's Fables Fiction - Warning tale 3-4 weeks | Traction Man is here by Mini Grey Overcoming fear tale - Narrative 3-4 weeks | On my Papa's Shoulders by Niki Daly Letter - their journey to school 2 weeks | Mary Seacole - Little people, big dreams collection Non-fiction - Biography 3-4 weeks | The Disgusting Sandwich by Gareth Edwards Non-fiction - Instructions 2-3 weeks | Vlad and the Great Fire - Kate Cunningham Non-fiction - Imagined recount 3-4 weeks |
| <u>Rationale:</u> Links with PSHE (morals) and Science unit about animals and their habitats (characters are mainly animals) Links with self-awareness value (morality) Archaic text | <u>Rationale:</u> Links to PSHE (overcoming fear) Links with resilience value (overcoming challenges) | <u>Rationale:</u> Links to geography (comparing local area to Kenya) Links with self-awareness value (celebrating diversity) BAME main character Set in South Africa | <u>Rationale:</u> Links to history (famous women in history) Links with excellence and resilience values (overcoming challenges and excelling) BAME main character | <u>Rationale:</u> Links with English (writing for a range of purposes) Links with communication value (giving precise instructions verbally and in written form) | <u>Rationale:</u> Links with history (Great Fire of London) Links with empathy value (empathising with the children living in London at the time) |
| The Bee Book (Conservation for Kids) by Charlotte Milner Non-fiction - Non-chronological text 3-4 weeks | Winter Sleep: A Hibernation Story by Sean Taylor and Alex Morss and teacher written winter poem S&L unit - Winter poems 2 weeks | Coming to England by Baroness Floella Benjamin (picture book) Fiction - Journey tale 3-4 weeks | Cinderboy by Laurence Anholt S&L unit - retell of a rags-to-riches tale 1-2 weeks | Katie in London by James Mayhew Description of a city 2-3 weeks | Unexplained things about my dad - Ian McMillan Senses poems about Great Fire of London 2 weeks |
| <u>Rationale:</u> Linked to science (living things and their habitats) Links with self-awareness value (understanding the world and how important bees are within the environment) | <u>Rationale:</u> Links with science (seasonal changes as well as animals and their habitats) Links with communication and teamwork values (working with partners, groups and communicating clearly) | <u>Rationale:</u> Links with geography (comparing local area to non-European countries) Links with self-awareness value (celebrating diversity) BAME main character | <u>Rationale:</u> Links with PSHE (gender stereotypes) Links with communication and teamwork values (working with partners, groups and communicating clearly) Challenging gender stereotypes | <u>Rationale:</u> Links with geography (human and physical features fieldwork - exploring local area) Links with self-awareness value (comparing Dudley with other areas and celebrating differences) | <u>Rationale:</u> Links with history (Great Fire of London) Links with communication and teamwork values (working with partners, groups and communicating clearly) |