

Autumn

Recommended Texts

Julia Donaldson focus -
Room on the Broom, The Ugly Five, Tiddler, Monkey Puzzle, Tabby McTat, The Highway Rat

Mini Grey focus -
Traction Man is Here, Traction Man and the Beach Odyssey, Traction Man Meets Turbo Dog

Science, History, Geography, Art, or DT block

Expectations	Science - Animals - including humans - How can we group animals and what makes us humans?	Geography - The world and my school - Where in the world do I live?	Science - Seasonal changes - What are the seasons?	Art - Sculpture - Why do sculptors sculpt?	History - Changes in Toys - How have toys changed over the last 60 years?	DT - Construction - Toy Makers' Workshop - How can we make a toy from recycled materials that is fun and safe to play with?	Science - Seasonal changes - What are the seasons?	Consolidation
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Recommended Texts

Tell me a Dragon, The Castle the King Built, The Knight Who Wouldn't Fight, The Knight Who Said No, The Knight with the Blazing Bottom

Emma Yarlett - Dragon Post, Unicorn Post and Monster Post

Hansel and Gretel + Snow White

The Extraordinary Life of Mary Seacole, Little Florence Nightingale & Rosalind Franklin, We love the NHS

Science, History, Geography, Art, or DT block

Science - Everyday materials - Why do we use different materials for different things?	History - Kings, queens and castles - Where did kings and queens live through time?	Consolidation	Art - Chromatic - Does abstract art mean anything?	Geography fieldwork - Our local park - What is at our local park? How do people get there?	History - Healthcare and medical science - Which pioneering women have shaped healthcare and medical science?
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Recommended Texts

Jack and the Beanstalk, Rumpelstiltskin, The Elves and the Shoemaker

Jack Beansstalk

The Gigantic Turnip, Oliver's Vegetables, The Extraordinary Gardener, Bloom

The Troll The Pirates Next Door

Benji Davis focus - Storm Whale Grandad's Island + Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch, At the Beach and Look What I Found at the Seaside

Science, History, Geography, Art, or DT block

Science - Plants - How can we identify different plants and trees?	Geography fieldwork - Our school grounds - How do our school grounds encourage plant life?	DT - Food & Nutrition - Plant Power Snack Like Jack - What tasty plant snacks help us grow strong like Jack?	Science - Seasonal changes - What are the seasons?	Art - Monochromatic - What is drawing?	History - Local	DT - Textiles - Seaside Adventures - What shapes and colours will bring my seaside collage to life?	Consolidation
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YEAR 2

Recommended Texts

The Hotel for Bugs, The Big Book of Bugs,
Do You Love Bugs? Bug Hotel, Mad About
Minibeasts, The Bug Collector,
The Girl Who Loves Bugs



Mini Grey -
The Last Wolf

Toby Forward -
The Wolf's Story

Little Red Riding Hood
and Little Red, The Very Hungry Lion

Three Little Pigs, The Three Little Pigs and
the Big Bad Book, The True Story of the
Three Little Pigs



Introduction to morphology

Science - Living
things and habitats
- How do we know
something is alive?



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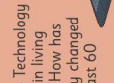
Expectations

DT - Textiles - Buzzing
Bookmarks - How can
you make a bookmark
that's both fun and
useful?



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History - Technology
- changes in living
memory - How has
technology changed
over the last 60
years?



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**Geography
fieldwork**
Exploring our
local area
(Guidance for
teachers)

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Science -
Seasonal
changes - What
changes occur
throughout
the seasons?

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Art -
Monochromatic -
How can pattern be
used in art?

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Science -
Materials -
How are materials
chosen in design?

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Consolidation

Science, History,
Geography, Art,
or DT block



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Themes of **gender stereotyping**



Number of **lessons**



Number of **hours**

SPRING

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Recommended Texts



Simon Bartram
Man on the Moon and Dougal's Deep Sea Diary
Oliver Jeffers
Way Back Home and Lost and Found
Charles Darwin's Around the World Adventure,
The Great Explorer



Sue Hendra and Paul Linnet
Supertato, Supertato
Veggies Assemble,
Supertato Evil Pea Rules



Local author focus

Science, History, Geography, Art, or DT block



Geography - M₁ local area and Tulum, Mexico -
What are the similarities and differences between my
town and Tulum, Mexico?



History - Famous explorers -
Where have humans explored?



Art - Chromatic -
How can artists use colour?



Science - Plants -
How do seeds and bulbs
grow into healthy plants?



DT - Food & Nutrition -
Super Veggies to the Rescue
- How can we make veggies
fun and delicious?

Themes of **gender**
stereotyping

Other **locations** available
(Luxor, Egypt & Visit Egypt/Tromsø,
Norway & Visit Norway)



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**Recommended
Texts**



Rapunzel,
Sleeping Beauty

Benji Davies
Tad

Julia Donaldson
The Woolly Bear Caterpillar

Vlad and the Great Fire of London &
The Great Fire of London: An Illustrated
History of the Great Fire of 1666



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**Science, History,
Geography, Art,
or DT block**

**History -
Local**



Art - Sculpture
How have artists
been inspired by
castles?

Science - Animals
including humans -
How do animals
survive, grow and
stay healthy?



Consolidation



**History - The Great
Fire of London - How
did the Great Fire
change London?**

DT - Construction - Rebuilding
History - How can we build
strong and stable houses like
those from the time of the
Great Fire of London?



**Geography fieldwork -
Weather and Climate -**
How can we record and
measure different
weather phenomena?

Consolidation

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YEAR 3

Recommended Texts

The Couch Potato,
Give Me Back My
Bones!



The First Drawing,
How to Wash a
Woolly Mammoth



24 Hours in the
Stone Age &
Stone Age Boy



CS Lewis -
The Lion the Witch and the
Wardrobe
or
Jenny McLachlan -
The Land of Roar



Science, History, Geography, Art, or DT block

Expectations -
Pencil grip and
letter formation

Science - Animals
including humans -
How does the
structure inside our
body support us and
how can we keep it
healthy?



History - Stone Age to Iron Age - How did daily life
change in Britain, from the Stone Age to the Iron Age?



Art - Sculpture -
How can where you
live impact you as
an artist?



DT - Textiles - Stone
Age Mysteries - How
can you make the
perfect pouch for a
Stone Age adventure?



Geography -
The United Kingdom -
What are the key
geographical features of
the UK, and my region?



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YEAR 3

Recommended Texts



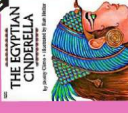
Aladdin, Leon and the Place Between



Stephanie Stansbie Cinderella



Shirley Climo The Egyptian Cinderella



Joe Todd Stanton - Marcy and the Kiddle of the Sphinx
Chae Strathie - So you think you've got it bad? A kid's life in Ancient Egypt



Science, History, Geography, Art, or DT block



Science - Forces and magnets - How do magnets work?



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Art - Chromatic - What is illustration?



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Geography fieldwork- Land use - What facilities are in my local area and how do people travel there?



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History - Early civilisations overview

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History - Ancient Egypt - What were the greatest achievements of ancient Egypt?



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DT - Construction - Magnetic Mysteries - How can we use magnets to make a model move mysteriously?



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Themes of racial prejudice



Number of lessons



Number of hours

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Recommended Texts

Colin Stimpson
Jack and the Baked Beanstalk



Charlotte Milner
The Bee Book



Penny Worms
The Most Important Animal of All



Science, History, Geography, Art, or DT block

Science - Plants -
How does each part
of a plant fulfil its
function?



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DT - Food & Nutrition -
Root to roll - How can
we turn root vegetables
into a colourful
summer roll?



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Science - Light -
What is light?



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Consolidation

Geography fieldwork -
Conservation of bees -
How can we make our
school environment
more bee friendly?



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Art - Monochromatic -
How do artists draw
faces?



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Science - Rocks -
How can we
classify rocks?



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Consolidation

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YEAR 4

Recommended
Texts

The Great Kapok Tree, Greta and the Giants, Last

Rosald Dahl - Charlie and the Chocolate Factory



Science, History,
Geography, Art,
or DT block

Expectations - letter formation	Science - Living things and their habitats Which living things can be found in the local area?	Art - Sculpture - What can pottery tell us about the past?	Science - States of matter - Can materials change shape?	DT - Food & Nutrition - Chocolate that cares - How can we craft chocolate that's fair for people and kind to the planet?	Geography - My region and Campania, Italy - What are the similarities and differences between my region and Campania, Italy?	Consolidation
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Other **locations** available
(South Aegean, Greece)

Number of **lessons**

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YEAR 4

Recommended Texts



Joe Todd Stanton -
Leo and the Gorgon's
Curse

Chae Strathie -
So you think you've got
it bad? A kid's life in
Ancient Greece



**Usborne Illustrated
Stories from the
Greek Myths**



Adam Kay -
Kaj's Anatomy & Amy Gets Eaten
Katie Brosnan
Gut Garden



Science, History, Geography, Art, or DT block



History - Ancient Greece - What were the greatest
achievements of the ancient Greeks?



Science - Animals including
humans - What happens to the
food that we eat?



DT - Textiles - Bag a
story - How can we
create a functional and
creative book bag?



Geography -
Locality Unit - How can
I use map skills to learn
about my locality?



Art - Chromatic - Why do
artists keep sketchbooks?



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Recommended
Texts

Christina Balit -
Escape from Pompeii

Tony Bradman -
Queen of Darkkness

Chloe Strathie -
So you think you've got it bad? A kid's life in Ancient Rome

Adrian Mitchell -
The Adventures of Robin Hood

Ben Miller -
Robin Hood Aged 10 3/4

Ben Miller -
Robin Hood Age 10 1/2

Science, History, Geography, Art, or DT block

History - The Roman Empire -
How did the Roman Empire impact Britain?

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Science - Electricity -
What is electricity?

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DT - Construction -
Chariots in motion: How can we use electricity to power movement in a Roman chariot?

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Art - Monochromatic -
How do artists draw perspective?

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Geography fieldwork -
Weather and Climate -
How can we record and measure different weather phenomena?

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Science - Sound -
What is sound?

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Consolidation

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AUTUMN

YEAR 5

Recommended
Texts

 Margot Lee Shetterly Hidden Figures Counting on Katherine	 Katherine	 Frank Cottrell Boyce - Cosmic	 Cressida Cowell - The Wizards of Once or Ross MacKenzie - The Nowhere Emporium	 The Nowhere Emporium
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Science, History,
Geography, Art,
or DT block

 Expectations - letter formation	 Science - Earth and Space - How does the Earth fit into our solar system?	 Geography fieldwork - Rivers - What are the features of my local river?	 Art - Chromatic - How realistic do portraits need to be?	 DT - Textiles - Moonlit Magic - How can fabric and stitching create atmosphere?	 Science - Living things and their habitats - How do living things reproduce, and why is this important in a life cycle?	 Art - Monochromatic - How can we find our own style of drawing?	 Consolidation
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SPRING

YEAR 5

Recommended
Texts

Radiya Hafiza - Rumajsa

Michael Morpurgo (Beowulf)

Joe Todd Stanton (Arthur and the Golden Rope)



Science, History,
Geography, Art,
or DT block

Science - Forces -
Are there different types of forces?

DT - Construction -
Fairytale Engineering - How
can we use pulleys and
levers to solve a problem?

Consolidation

History - Anglo-Saxons and Vikings - How did England change
during the settlement of the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings?

Art - Sculpture -
How can flowers inspire artists?

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 Themes of **gender stereotyping** Number of **lessons** Number of **hours**

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Recommended
Texts



Onjali Rauf - The Boy at the Back of the Class



Maz Evans - Oh Maja Gods



Science, History,
Geography, Art,
or DT block



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Science - Properties and changes of materials - How do materials change?



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Geography fieldwork - Biomas and ecosystems - What trees, plants and animals are in our local ecosystems?



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Geography - The United States - What are the similarities and differences between my region and the Western United States?



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History - The Maya Civilisation - What differences were there between the Maya Civilisation and England during the 10th and 11th centuries?



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Science - Animals including humans - How do we change as we grow old?



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DT - Food & Nutrition - Central America on a Plate - How can we cook a dish that celebrates its cultural flavours?



s of
prejudice

Themes of
religious prejudice

town/city and local
river options available

Number of lessons

Number of hours

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YEAR 6

Recommended
Texts





Louis Sachar - Holes
Alfred Noyes - The Highwayman



The Highwayman



Dracula



Dracula and Robert Swindells - Room 13
or
Thomas Taylor - Malamander





Non-chronological report -



Science, History,
Geography, Art,
or DT block



 Science - Living things and their habitats - What is classification?	 History - Crime and Punishment - How has crime and punishment changed over time in Britain?	 Geography Fieldwork - Sustainability - How can our school reduce its plastic waste?	Consolidation	 Science - Electricity - How can circuits vary?	 DT - Construction - Electrifying Creations - How can we combine electricity and design to create a spooky, Gothic-themed model?	 Art - Monochromatic - What mistakes can artists make when drawing faces?	Consolidation
							

Themes of
racial prejudice

Themes of
gender
stereotyping

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YEAR 6

Recommended
Texts

Emma Carroll - Letters from the Lighthouse

Polly Ho-Yen - Boy in the Tower
or
Hannah Gold - The Last Bear
or
Matt Goodfellow - The Final Year



Science, History,
Geography, Art,
or DT block

History - World War II - What role did Britain play in World War II, and how did this impact the outcome of the War?

Consolidation

Geography - Economic activity of the UK - What is the economic activity of the UK, and how sustainable is it?

Science - Animals including humans - How do an animal's living systems work together to maintain a healthy body?



Themes of loss



Themes of racial prejudice



Themes of religious prejudice



Number of lessons



Number of hours

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Boy in the Tower
or
The Last Bear &
Macbeth
(The Witches'
Spell extract)



THE LAST BEAR



THE FINAL YEAR



DRAGONS



Darwin
& Hooker



Lindsay Galvin
Darwin's Dragons



Alexandra Stewart
Darwin & Hooker

Recommended
Texts

Boy in the Tower
or
The Last Bear &
Macbeth
(The Witches'
Spell extract)



Alexandra Stewart
Darwin & Hooker

Lindsay Galvin
Darwin's Dragons



Recount - Diary -





Science, History,
Geography, Art,
or DT block



Art - Chromatic -
Can art help save the
planet?



Science -
Evolution and
inheritance -
What is
evolution?



DT - Food & Nutrition -
Mix it up - How can
we mix recipes to
invent an exciting
new food?



Art - Sculpture -
How can food
inspire artists?



Science - Light -
How does light help us
understand the world
around us?



Consolidation

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