

Claremont Reading Spine



This is our reading spine - the books that every child in our school will hear read aloud from cover to cover.

Some of them are studied or read as part of our English lessons and used to create pieces of writing

Some of them are chosen for their language features for example rhyme, alliteration and repetition to support the language development of our children.

There is a focus on “see myself in books”. This could be an author or a character that is representative of members of our school community.

Some of the books are chosen just because they are enjoyable stories that help our children develop a love of books and reading for pleasure.

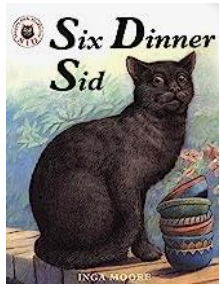
Teachers ensure that they read aloud to their class daily, this could be as part of an English lesson, guided reading lesson or a class story time.

The list of books is not exhaustive. There is always time for teacher’s own choice and pupil suggestions, so that our children experience a wide range of books. The list of books is reviewed annually so that new books can be included and we take account of pupil voice and how a class responded to each text.

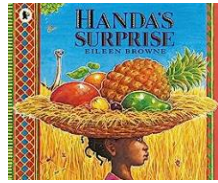
Nursery

					
Each peach Pear Plum Janet and Allan Ahlberg	Baby Goes to Market Atinuke	Hairy Maclary from Donaldson's Dairy Lynley Dodd	The new Small person Lauren Child	Kitchen Disco Clare Foges	Monkey Puzzle Julia Donaldson
					
Mr Big Ed Vere	The Snail and the Whale Julia Donaldson	Barry the Fish with fingers Sue Hendra	Hooray for Fish Lucy Cousins	15 Things not to do with a granny Margaret McAllister	Where's Spot? Eric Hill
					
Dinosaur Roar Henrietta Stickland	Octopus Socktopus Nick Sharratt	Owl Babies Martin Waddell	The Train Ride June Crebbin	Where's My Teddy? Jez Alborough	Simon Sock Sue Hendra
					
Aliens Love Underpants Claire Freeman	Lifesize Sophy Henn	Meg and Mog Helen Nicoll	Ten in the bed Penny Dale	The Very Hungry caterpillar Eric Carle	The Cave Rob Hogson

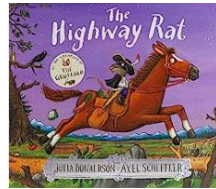
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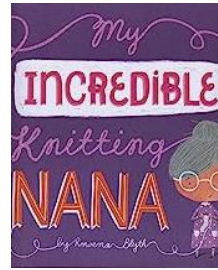
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Inga Moore



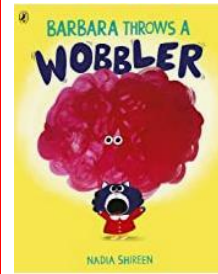
Handa's Surprise
Eileen Browne



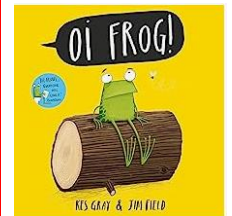
The Highway rat
Julia Donaldson



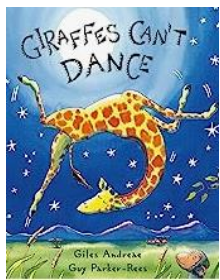
My Incredible Knitting
Nana
Rowena Blyth



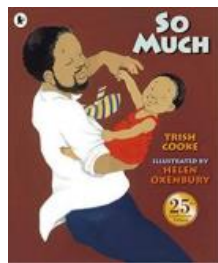
Barbara Throws a
Wobbler
Nadia Shereen



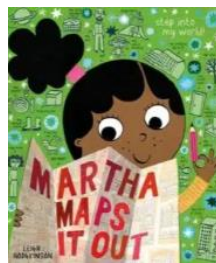
Oi Frog!
Kes Gray



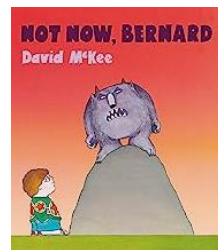
Giraffes can't dance
Giles Andreae



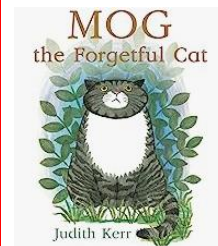
So Much
Trish Cooke



Martha Maps it out
Leigh Hodgkinson



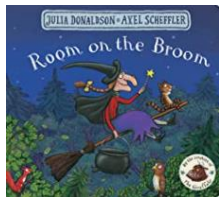
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David McKee



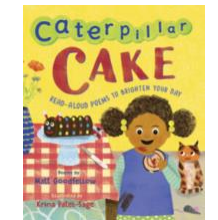
Mog the Forgetful Cat
Judith Kerr



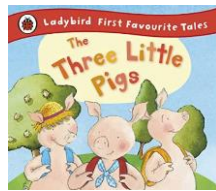
Supertato
Sue Hendra



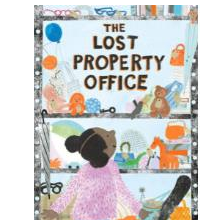
Room on the Broom
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Caterpillar Cake
Matt Goodfellow



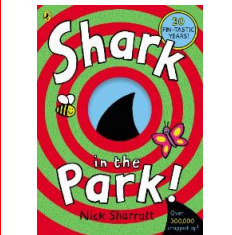
The 3 Little Pigs



The Lost Property Office
Emily Rand

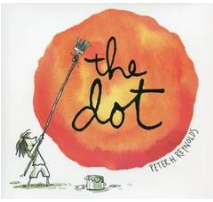
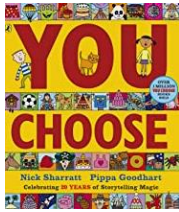
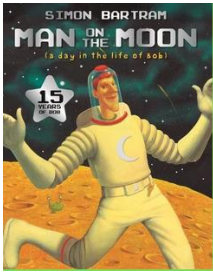
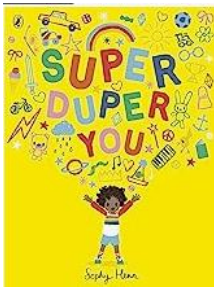
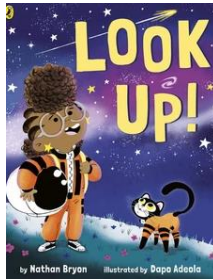
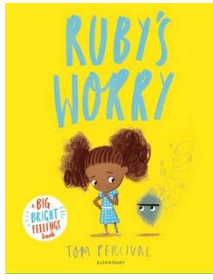
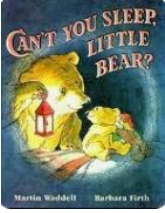


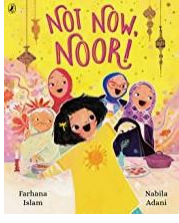

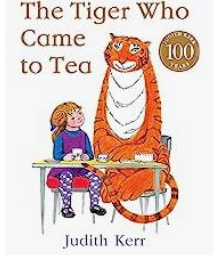
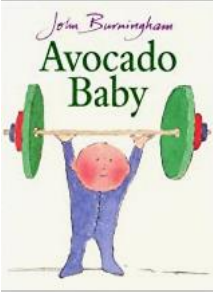
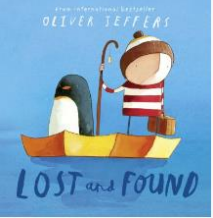
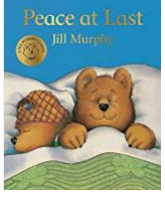
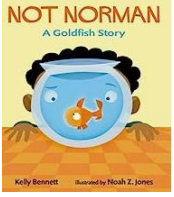
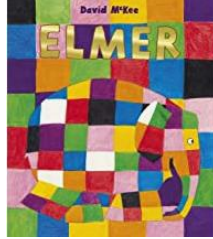
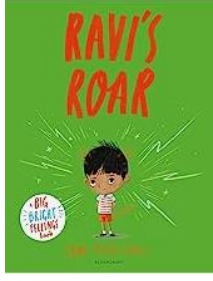


Where the wild things
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Maurice Sendak

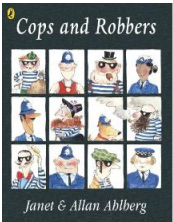
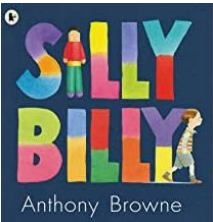

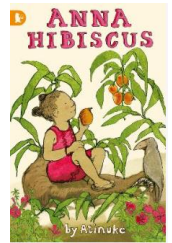
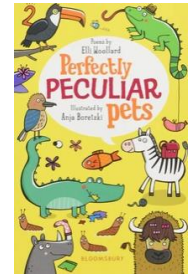
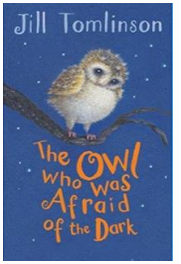
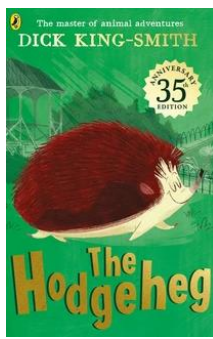
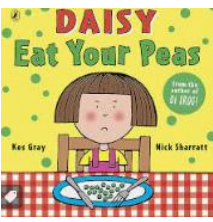
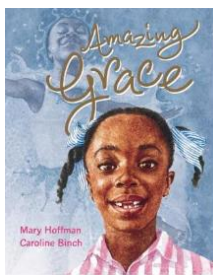
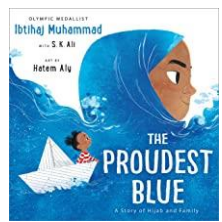
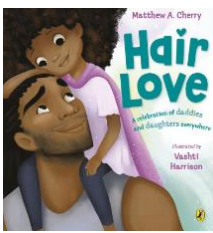
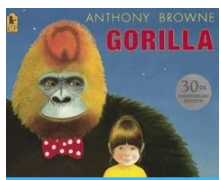
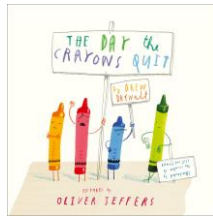
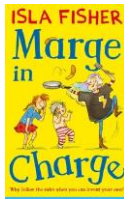



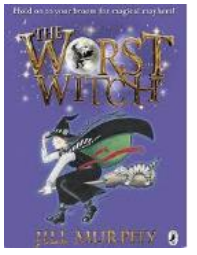


Shark in the Park
Nick Sharratt



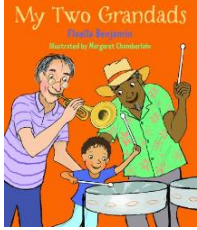
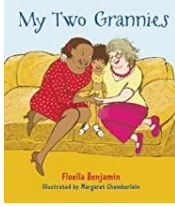

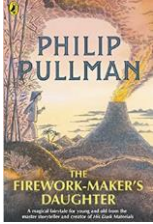

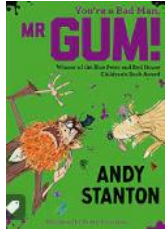
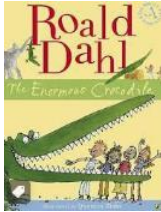



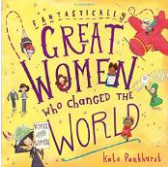
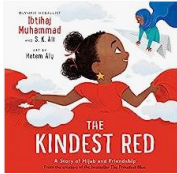

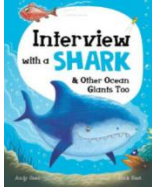


Year 1

					
<p>The Dot Peter H Reynolds</p>	<p>You Choose Nick Sharratt</p>	<p>Man on the Moon Simon Bartram</p>	<p>Super Duper You Sophie Henn</p>	<p>Look Up Nathan Bryon</p>	<p>Ruby's Worry Tom Percival</p>
					
<p>Can't you sleep little bear? Martin Waddell</p>	<p>Knuffle Bunny Mo Willems</p>	<p>Funnybones Janet and Allan Ahlberg</p>	<p>Not Now, Noor Farhana Islam</p>	<p>The Gruffalo Julia Donaldson</p>	<p>The Tiger Who came to tea Judith Kerr</p>
					
<p>Avocado baby John Burningham</p>	<p>Lost and Found Oliver Jeffers</p>	<p>Peace at last Jill Murphy</p>	<p>Not Norman Kelly Bennett</p>	<p>Elmer David McKee</p>	<p>Ravi's Roar Tom Percival</p>

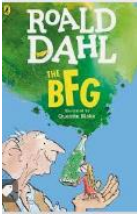



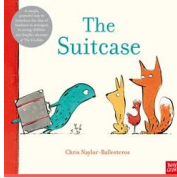
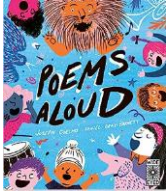
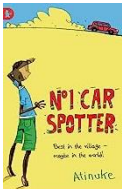
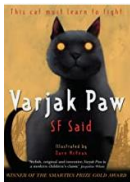
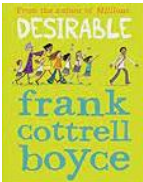
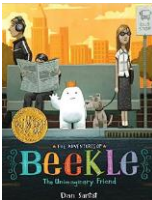

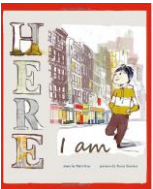
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<p>Cops and Robbers Janet and Allan Ahlberg</p>	<p>Silly Billy Anthony Browne</p>	<p>Flat Stanley Jeff Brown</p>	<p>Anna Hibiscus Atinuke</p>	<p>Perfectly peculiar Pets</p>	<p>The Owl Who was afraid of the dark Jill Tomlinson</p>
					
<p>The Hodgeheg</p>	<p>Eat your Peas Kes Gray & Nick Sharratt</p>	<p>Amazing Grace Mary Hoffman</p>	<p>The Proudest Blue Ibtihaj Muhammad</p>	<p>Hair Love Matthew A Cherry</p>	<p>Gorilla Anthony Browne</p>
					
<p>The day the Crayons Quit Oliver Jeffers</p>	<p>Marge in Charge Isla Fisher</p>	<p>Traction Man is here Mini Grey</p>	<p>Milo's Monster Tom Percival</p>	<p>Meerkat mail Emily Gravett</p>	<p>The Worst Witch Jill Murphy</p>

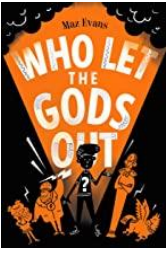
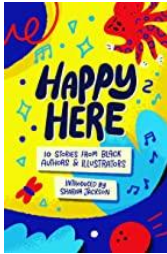

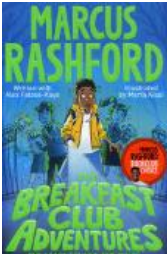

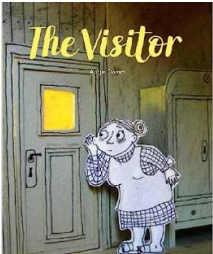
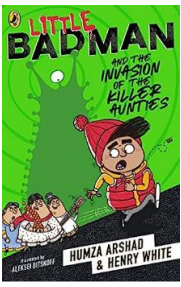

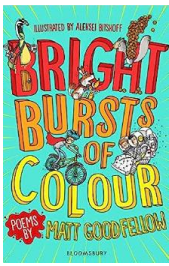
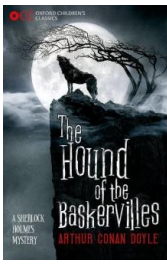
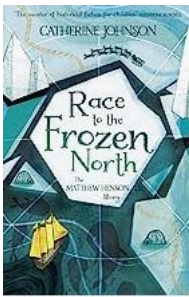
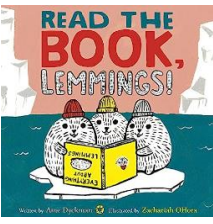
Year 3

					
The Accidental Prime Minister Tom McLaughlin	Coming to England Floella Benjamin	My Two Grandads Floella Benjamin	My Two Grannies Floella Benjamin	The Boy Who Grew Dragons Andy Shepherd	The Firework-Maker's Daughter Philip Pullman
					
The Twits Roald Dahl	You're a Bad Man Mr Gum Andy Stanton	The Enormous Crocodile Roald Dahl	Stone Age Boy Satoshi Mitamura	Planet Omar Zanib Mian	After the Fall Dan Santat
					
Fantastically Great Women who changed the World Kate Pankhurst	The Kindest Red Ibtihaj Muhammad	Our Tower Joseph Coelho	Interview with a shark Andy Seed and Nick East	Hortense and the Shadow Natalia and Lauren O'Hara	Would You Rather... John Burningham


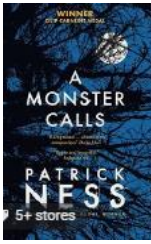
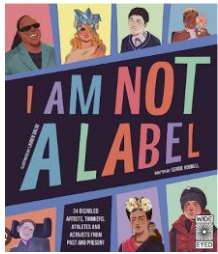
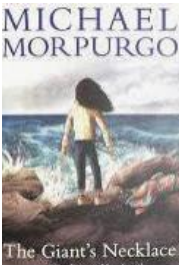

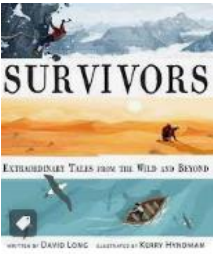
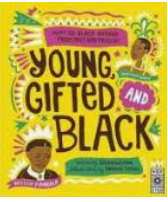
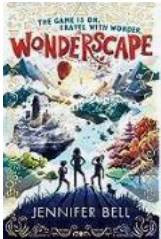
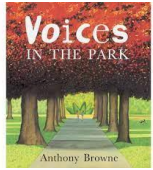
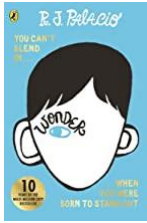
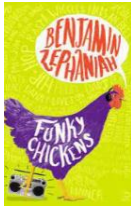
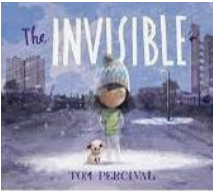
Year 4

					
The BFG Roald Dahl	Krinklekrax Philip Ridley	Peter Pan JM Barrie	Charlotte's Web E B White	The Suitcase Chris Naylor-Ballesteros	Poems Aloud Joseph Coelho
					
The No 1 car Spotter Atinuke	Varjak Paw S F Said	Desirable Frank Cottrell Boyce	Beekle Dan Santat	Lights on Cotton Rock David Litchfield	Here I am Patti Kim

Year 5

					
Who let the Gods Out Maz Evans	Happy Here Sharma Jackson	The Boy Who Met a Whale Nizrana Farook	Breakfast Club Adventures Marcus Rashford	Crater Lake Jennifer Killick	The Visitor Antje Damm
					
Little Badman and the Invasion of the Killer Aunties Humza Arshad and Henry White	Arthur and the Golden Rope Joe Todd Stanton	Bright Bursts of Colour Matt Goodfellow	The Hound of the Baskervilles Arthur Conan Doyle	Race to the Frozen North Catherine Johnson	Read the Book, Lemmings Ame Dyckman

Year 6

					
The Goldfish Boy Lisa Thompson	A Monster Calls Patrick Ness	I am not a label Carrie Burnell	The Giant's Necklace Michael Morpurgo	Escape Room Christopher Edge	Survivors David Long
					
Young, gifted and Black Jamia Wilson	Wonderscape Jennifer Bell	Voices in the Park Anthony Brown	Wonder R J Palacio	Funky Chickens Benjamin Zephaniah	The Invisible Tom Percival