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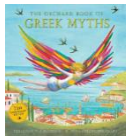
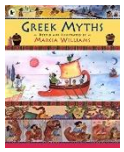
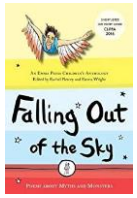
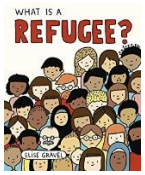
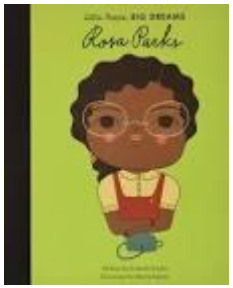
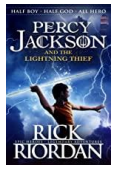
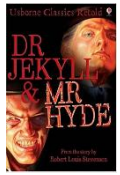
	Week 1 & 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11
	Autumn Term									
Autumn Core Texts	**The Arrival-** Shaun Tan	**Orchard Greek Myths– Theseus and the Minotaur**  **Greek Myths –** Marcia Williams 			**Falling Out of the Sky: Poems about Myths and Monsters –** Wright & Piercey 	**What is a Refugee? –** Elise Gravel 	**Jekyll and Hyde Graphic Novel.** *Focus on Chapter 5 the change. The rest of the book can be read in reciprocal reading or summarised in English by the teacher.*		**Little People Big Dreams-** Rosa Parks. 	**Whole school book/theme**
Writing	***Descriptive writing***	***Setting description*** ***Re-tell based on a known myth.*** ***Writing a new myth.***			***Create a poem***	***Non-chronological report writing***	***Write a missing chapter***		***Writing a biography***	
Wrap around Texts	**Percy Jackson and the Lightening Thief** - Rick Riordan 					**Refugees and Migrants –** Michael Rosen **Jekyll and Hyde**-USBORNE VERSION NOT GRAPHIC NOVEL. This must be read prior to teaching the unit. Start during Autumn 1 poetry week. 				

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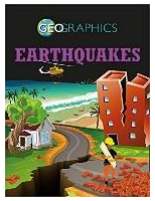
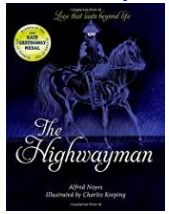
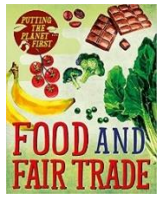
	Spring Term							
Spring Core Texts	**The Spider and the Fly** – Howitt (& animation) 	**Charlotte's Web –** E.B White 	**Geographics Earthquakes** – Geogia Amson-Bradshaw 	**Stephen Hawking Little People, Big Dreams** 	**The Highwayman- Alfred Noyes** 	Mega city-Literacy Shed 	**Food and Fair Trade**- Mason 	**Cosmic**-Frank Cottrell-Boyce
Writing	***Diary***	***Letter***	***Information text***	***Biography***	***Diary***	***Narrative***	***A balanced argument***	***Book Review*** ***Letter***
Wrap around Texts	**Cosmic**-Frank Cottrell-Boyce **The Secret Garden-** Frances Hodgeson-Burnett 				**The Invisible-** Tom Percival **This will be a whole school focus. This can be used as a talk prompt and can be used in reciprocal reading. It should not be used in writing.** **See love reading for kids for numerous activities that can be done in talk and reading.**			

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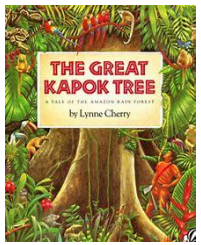
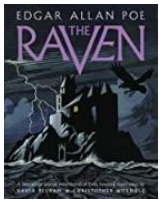
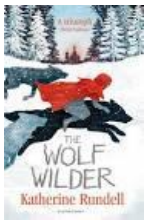
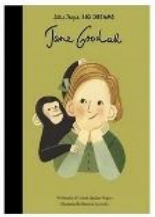
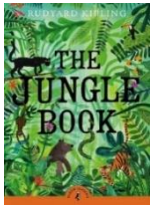
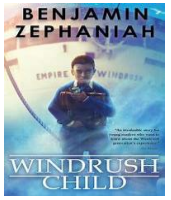
Summer Core Texts	**The Great Kapok Tree-** Lynne Cherry 		**Gothic Poetry** **The Raven –** Edgar Allan Poe 	**The Wolf Wilder-** Katherine Rundell 		**Little people big dreams** Jane Goodall 	**The Lighthouse Clip** The Lighthouse - THE LITERACY SHED	**The Jungle Book-** Rudyard Kipling 	**Windrush Child-** Benjamin Zephania 
Writing	***Balanced argument***	***Letter writing***	***Poetry***	***Newspaper article***	***Narrative*** *missing chapter to include dialogue*	***Biography***	***Short retell narrative***	***Character description Shere Khan***	***Newspaper article***
Wrap around Texts					**The Jungle Book-** Rudyard Kipling			**Windrush Child-** Benjamin Zephania	