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| **Writing** | **AUTUMN 1** | **AUTUMN 2** | **SPRING 1** | | **SPRING 2** | **SUMMER 1** | | **SUMMER 2** | |
| **Adventurers** | The Gingerbread Man by Mara Alprin  Oral retelling and drawing images and writing labels | I’m going to eat this ant by Chris Naylor-Ballesteros  A list of food items  Poetry – Creepy Crawly and Busy Bugs | Naughty Bus by Jan Oke  Recount of where Naughty Bus has been | The Journey Home by Emma Levey  Retell/rewrite of the story  Poetry – The Farmyard | | | Silly Doggy by Adam Stower  Retell/rewrite of the story | | Supertato by Sue Hendra  A wanted poster with a character description  Poetry – Eat your peas, Louise! And Dinner-time Rhyme |
| **Discoverers** | Lost and Found by Oliver Jeffers  Fiction – Adventure story based on the structure of the text | Nibbles by Emma Yarlett  Recount – Diary entry  Poetry – There are no such things as monsters! | Lion Inside by Rachel Bright  Fiction – Story based on the structure of the text | The curious case of the missing mammoth by Ellie Hattie  Fiction – Story based on the structure of the text  Poetry – At the zoo | | | Toys in Space by Mini Grey  Fiction - Story based on the structure of the text | | Goldilocks and Just the one bear by Leigh Hodgkinson  Fiction – Story based on the structure of the text  Poetry – Fruit Salad |
| **Rangers** | Troll Swap by Leigh Hodgkinson  Fiction – Story with a focus on characters | The Owl who was afraid of the dark by Jill Tomlinson (picture book)  Non-chronological report – Report about owls  Poetry – The owl and the pussy cat | Dragon Machine by Helen Ward  Fiction – Story with adventure focus | Major Glad, Major Dizzy by Jan Oke  Recount – Diary entry from the POV of a toy  Poetry – Nightsounds | | | The last Wolf by Mini Grey  Letter – Letter in the role of the character | | Grandad’s Secret Giant by David Litchfield  Fiction – Story with a moral  Poetry – Fox |
| **Trackers** | Seal Surfer by Michael Foreman  Recount – Letter in role | Winter’s Child by Graham Baker-Smith  Fiction – Fantasy  Poetry – Dance with me, Autumn | Stone Age Boy by Satoshi Kitamura  Fiction – Historical narrative | Big blue whale by Nicola Davies  Information text  Poetry – The Magnificent Bull | | | Journey by Aaron Becker  Fiction – Adventure story | | Zeraffa Giraffa by Dianne Hofmeyr  Persuasion – Letter  Poetry – Apes to Zebras – Concrete poetry |
| **Explorers** | Gorilla by Anthony Browne  Fiction – Fantasy story | Leon and the place between by Graham Baker-Smith  Recount – Diary  Poetry – The Lost Lost – Property Office | Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit  Fiction – Historical narrative | When the Giant stirred by Celia Godkin  Fiction – Adventure story from POV of the boy  Poetry – Windrush Child | | | Where the Forest Meets the Sea by Jeannie Baker & ‘100 facts – Rainforests’ by Miles Kelly  Non-Chronological Report | | Blue John by Berlie Doherty  Letter and Explanation  Poetry – Haiku |
| **Junior Explorers** | Star of Fear, Star of Hope by Jo Hoestlandt  Fiction – Flashback story and information text | Can we save the tiger? by Martin Jenkins  Information and Explanation: hybrid text  Poetry – A Tiger in the zoo | Selfish Giant by Oscar Wilde and Ritva Voutila  Fiction – Classic fiction and explanation | Jemmy Button by Alix Barzelay and  The Island by Jason Chin  Recount – Journalistic writing and discussion  Poetry – The Sea | | | Manfish by Jennifer Berne  Fiction – Narrative and biography | | Sky Chasers by Emma Carroll  Narrative  Poetry – Sonnet written at the close of spring |