

Reading Spine

Year 4

*"The more that you read,
The more things you will know.
The more that you learn,
The more places you will go."*

Dr Seuss

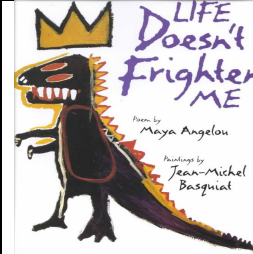
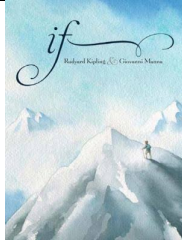


Shared Reading Texts

Fiction

						
<p>Additional texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alice in Wonderland • The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe <p>Themes: Family, diversity and sacrifice</p>	<p>Additional texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pippi Longstockings • The Animals of Farthing Wood <p>Themes: Friends, fostering</p>	<p>Additional texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fizzlebert Stump • Little Badman <p>Themes: Anxiety</p>	<p>Additional texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Running on the Roof of the World • Kid Normal and the Rogue Heroes <p>Themes: Morality, friendship, loyalty</p>	<p>Additional texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cloth Lullaby • Varmints <p>Themes: alienation, anger, friendship and hope.</p>	<p>Additional texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to live forever • The journey <p>Themes: Dilemmas and secrets.</p>	<p>Additional texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Worst Witch • Harry Potter <p>Themes: Fear, amazement, wonder</p>
						
<p>Additional texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spies extract • Agent Asha <p>Themes: Spies and Crime</p>	<p>Additional texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Journey of Edward Tulan • The Velveteen Rabbit <p>Themes: Rabbits</p>	<p>Additional texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mo, Lottie and the Junkers • Alex Sparrow <p>Themes: Author</p>				

Poetry & Songs



Additional texts:

- Mr Mistoffelees
- Chocolate cake

Themes: Resilience, fun, laughter

Additional texts:

- The Adventures of Isabel
- Oh the Places you'll go

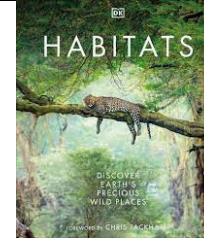
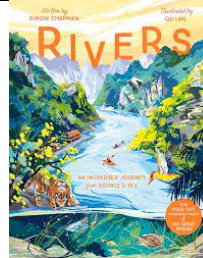
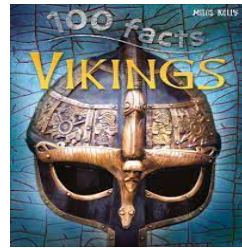
Themes: Joy, thankfulness, ambition, kindness

Additional texts:

- Castle on a Cloud
- This Place Where The Lost Things Go

Themes: Songs from Musicals

Non-Fiction



Additional texts:

- Ancient Rome
- Romulus and Remus

Themes: Romans

Additional texts:

- Everything Viking
- Viking God's

Themes: Vikings

Additional texts:

- A River's Journey
- Just Around the Riverbend

Themes: Rivers

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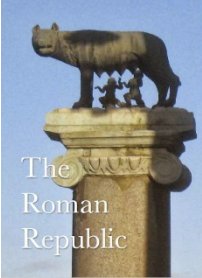
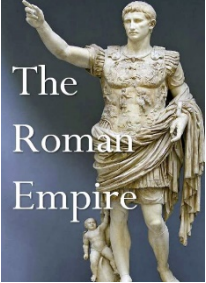
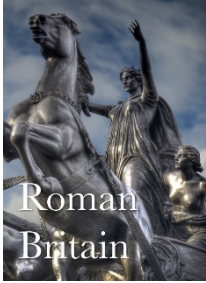
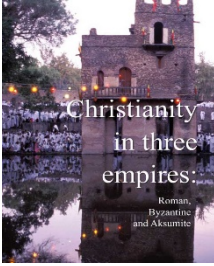
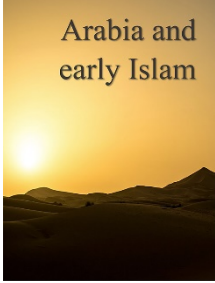
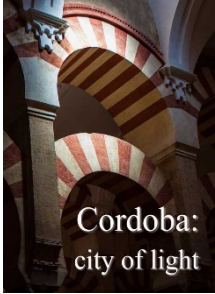
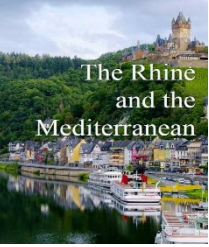
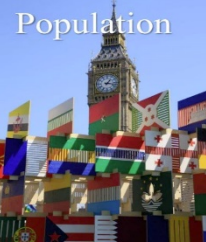
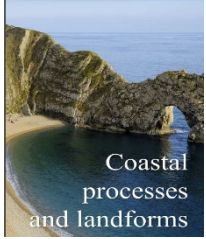
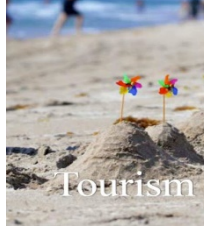

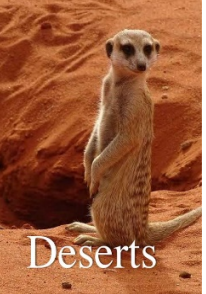

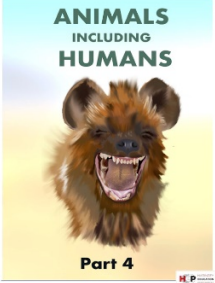

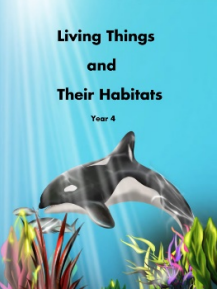
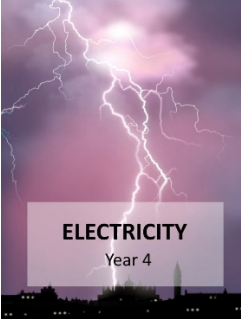
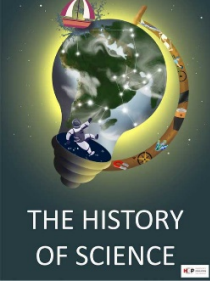
- The Brilliant Deep
- Dolphins in the river

Themes: Habitats

Additional texts:

- Thomas Edison
- Electricity – Billy Elliot

Themes: Electricity

<p>History texts</p>	 <p>The Roman Republic</p>	 <p>The Roman Empire</p>	 <p>Roman Britain</p>	 <p>Christianity in three empires: Roman, Byzantine and Aksumite</p>	 <p>Arabia and early Islam</p>	 <p>Cordoba: city of light</p>
	<p>Autumn 1 - The Roman Republic</p>	<p>Autumn 2 - The Roman Empire</p>	<p>Spring 1 - Roman Britain</p>	<p>Spring 2 - Christianity in three empires</p>	<p>Summer 1 - Arabia and early Islam</p>	<p>Summer 2 - Cordoba: City of Light</p>
<p>Geography texts</p>	 <p>The Rhine and the Mediterranean</p>	 <p>Population</p>	 <p>Coastal processes and landforms</p>	 <p>Tourism</p>	 <p>Earthquakes</p>	 <p>Deserts</p>
	<p>Autumn 1 - The Rhine and the Mediterranean</p>	<p>Autumn 2 - Population</p>	<p>Spring 1 - Coastal Processes and Landform</p>	<p>Spring 2 - Tourism</p>	<p>Summer 1 - Earthquakes</p>	<p>Summer 2 - Deserts</p>
<p>Science texts</p>	 <p>STATES of MATTER Part 3</p>	 <p>ANIMALS INCLUDING HUMANS Part 4</p>	 <p>Sound</p>	 <p>Living Things and Their Habitats Year 4</p>	 <p>ELECTRICITY Year 4</p>	 <p>THE HISTORY OF SCIENCE</p>
	<p>Autumn 1 - States of Matter</p>	<p>Autumn 2 - Animals including Humans</p>	<p>Spring 1 - Sound</p>	<p>Spring 2 - Living things and their Habitats</p>	<p>Summer 1 - Electricity</p>	<p>Summer 2 - History of Sci</p>

Suggested Reads

						
<p>Themes: friendship, natural wonders and hidden strength.</p>	<p>Themes: friendship, change and protecting our environment.</p>	<p>Themes: war and the change it causes. Set in Italy.</p>	<p>Themes: bullying, bravery, inner strength and resolve. The impact of illness.</p>	<p>Themes: effects of global warming. The connections between children and animals.</p>	<p>Themes: immigration, bullying, diversity and belonging.</p>	<p>Themes: alienation, anger, friendship and hope.</p>
						
<p>Themes: banishment, magic and neglect.</p>	<p>Themes: gender stereotypes.</p>	<p>Themes: Mortality, friendship and self-love.</p>	<p>Themes: Morality - looking for a better life.</p>	<p>Themes: conflict and war.</p>		