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Week	LKS2 Poetry	LKS2 Curriculum texts	UKS2 Poetry	UKS2 Curriculum texts
Week 1	City Sounds heard after dark Deep in the Green Wood book	Stone Age Life - Part 1 Linked to history topic during this term.	All Creatures - Gervase Phinn The Works 4	NA - library, reading books and reading diaries set up
Week 2	The Strangest School Secretary Deep in the Green Wood book	Stone Age Life - Part 2 Linked to history topic during this term.	Midnight Meeting - Mike Jubb The Works 4	The Circulatory System Part 1 - linked to science unit - animals including humans
Week 3	Beach Quest Deep in the Green Wood book	Pompeii - Part 1 Linked to Cycle 2 Geography curriculum	He just can't kick it with his foot - Paul Cookson The Works 4	The Circulatory System Part 2 - linked to science unit - animals including humans
Week 4	What the divers found Deep in the Green Wood book	Pompeii - Part 2 Linked to Cycle 2 Geography curriculum	How to turn a class hamster into a dinosaur - Matt Lees The Works 4	The Tour De France Part 1 - linked to science unit animals including humans. Linked information to red blood cells.
Week 5	The family's game of cricket Deep in the Green Wood book	Country study: India - part 1. Geography reading during history unit. Pre-learning before Mahatma Gandhi	Good for discipline - Tony Charles The Works 4	The Tour De France Part 2 - linked to science unit animals including humans. Linked information to red blood cells.
Week 6	A week of winter weather Deep in the Green Wood book	Country study: India - part 2. Geography	Best Friends - Adrian Henri The Works 4	Rainforest Animals - Part 1



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		reading during history unit. Pre-learning before Mahatma Gandhi		Linked to The Americas Geography topic Diversity knowledge category
Week 7	Snagger's pong Deep in the Green Wood book	The life of Mahatma Gandhi part 1 - building on the concept of significant individuals from KS1 history	Get your things together Hayley - Frances Nagle The Works 4	Rainforest Animals - Part 2 Linked to The Americas Geography topic Diversity knowledge category
Week 8	Parents' Evening - Allan Ahlberg Heard it in the playground	The life of Mahatma Gandhi part 2 - building on the concept of significant individuals from KS1 history	Chocoholic - Carol Ann Duffy The Works 4	The Gunpowder Plot - Part 1 Links to wider events - Bonfire Night
Week 9	Ears Sensational	Magnets Part 1 - retrieval practice from previous half term's science	When I grow up and have children - Valerie Bloom The Works 4	The Gunpowder Plot - Part 2 Links to wider events - Bonfire Night
Week 10	Rat-a-tut-tut! The World's Greatest Space Cadet	Magnets Part 2 - retrieval practice from previous half term's science	Crazy Mayonnaisy Mum - Julia Donaldson The Works 4	Mountains of the World - Part 1 Linked to The Americas topic - Mountains are a focus.



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Week 11	School Library The World's Greatest Space Cadet	Renewable energy sources Part 1 - linked to Natural Resources geography unit in Cycle 2	I'm the best monster around - Katherine Brandt The Works 4	Mountains of the World - Part 2 Linked to The Americas geography topic - Mountains are a focus.
Week 12	How to turn your teacher purple The World's Greatest Space Cadet	Renewable energy sources Part 2 - linked to Natural Resources geography unit in Cycle 2	Amazing inventions - James Carter The Works 4	Tenzing Norgay Part 1 - linked to mountains in the Americas geography topic.
Week 13	Christmas Stocking Quick Let's Get Out Of Here	Anti-bullying Part 1 - linked to timing of anti-bullying week	The First Christmas - Marian Swinger The Works 4	Tenzing Norgay Part 2 - linked to mountains in the Americas geography topic.
Week 14	Dave Dirl's Christmas Presents Puffin book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry	Anti-bullying Part 2 - linked to timing of anti-bullying week	The Secret Brother - Elizabeth Jennings The Works 4	Banksy Part 1 - linked to Art unit 'Every Picture Tells a story'
Week 15	Ghost Ships The World's Greatest Space Cadet	Bridges Part 1 - linked to DT structures unit and human features Geography	Identifying Things - Richard Edwards The Works 4	Banksy Part 2 - linked to Art unit 'Every Picture Tells a story'
Week 16	Seasons 4 The World's Greatest Space Cadet	Bridges Part 2 - linked to DT structures unit and human features Geography	Roman Invaders - Damian Harvey The Works 4	Mosques Part 1 - links to RE curriculum 'What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain?'
Week 17	Five Haiku for five senses Sensational	Plants part 1 - linked to Science unit	The Last Bear - Richard Edwards	Mosques Part 2 - links to RE curriculum 'What does it



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			The Works 4	mean to be a Muslim in Britain?'
Week 18	Play it again The World's Greatest Space Cadet	Plants part 2 - linked to Science unit	By the river - Matt Simpson The Works 4	Planets in our solar system Part 1 - linked to science unit in Cycle 2 - retrieval/pre-teach
Week 19	Sweet Meadow The World's Greatest Space Cadet	Birds of Prey Part 1 - retrieval practice/linked to previous science unit of 'Animals including humans'	The Horrible Headmonster - Wes Magee The Works 4	Planets in our solar system Part 2 - linked to science unit in Cycle 2 - retrieval/pre-teach
Week 20	Between the dog and the wolf The World's Greatest Space Cadet	Birds of Prey Part 2 - retrieval practice/linked to previous science unit of 'Animals including humans'	How teachers leave school each evening - Brian Moses	Gravity - Part 1 Links to science curriculum Y5 forces
Week 21	Silly Old Baboon Puffin book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry	Swimming and water safety Part 1 - linked to Y4 PE swimming and pre-teach for Y3s	Sir's a secret agent - Tony Langham The Works 4	Gravity - Part 2 Links to science curriculum Y5 forces
Week 22	What the mouse said The World's Greatest Space Cadet	Swimming and water safety Part 2 - linked to Y4 PE swimming and pre-teach for Y3s	The Prime Minister is 10 today - David Harmer	Fair trade Part 1 - retrieval/linked to The Americas geography unit - references to the equator and South America



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Week 23	They're out there! The Works - Key Stage 2	The first railways part 1 - linked to local history study Bennerley Viaduct.	The Magic Box - Kit Wright Kit Wright - The Magic Box	Fair trade Part 2 - retrieval/linked to The Americas geography unit - references to the equator and South America
Week 24	The Veggy Lion Puffin book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry	The first railways part 2 - linked to local history study Bennerley Viaduct.	Visiting Grandad in the home - Ian McMillan The Works 4	Ordnance Survey Maps - Part 1 Retrieval from Maps topic/pre-teach for Y5s
Week 25	The Sound Collector The Works - Key Stage 2	Rock pools Part 1 - linked to science unit 'Living things and their habitat' in Cycle 2 - pre-teach/retrieval practice	Aliens stole my underpants - Brian Moses The Works 4	Ordnance Survey Maps - Part 2 Retrieval from Maps topic/pre-teach for Y6s
Week 26	The Man who invented football Puffin book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry	Rock pools Part 2 - linked to science unit 'Living things and their habitat' in Cycle 2 - pre-teach/retrieval practice	Rooty Tooty - Carol Ann Duffy Carol Ann Duffy book	J.K. Rowling Part 1 - linked to reading for pleasure. Encourage knowledge of a well-known children's author
Week 27	Gruesome Puffin book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry	On rocky ground - part 1. Linked to science units of rocks	I've never seen the milkman	J.K. Rowling Part 2 - linked to reading for pleasure. Encourage knowledge of a well-known children's author



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Week 28	Elephant Puffin book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry	On rocky ground - part 2. Linked to science units of rocks	Dear Me - from collected Poems for children	The Black Death Part 1 - linked to KS3 history curriculum
Week 29	Love a Duck Puffin book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry	Fossils Part 1 - linked to science unit on rocks.	There was a young snowman - from Collected Poems for children	The Black Death Part 1 - linked to KS3 history curriculum
Week 30	The Want-Want Twins Puffin book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry	Fossils Part 2 - linked to science unit on rocks.	A sailor sat on the watery shore - from Collected Poems for children	Recycling Part 1 - linked to Geography unit of Climate Change
Week 31	Not Now Nigel Heard it in the playground	Water Cycle Part 1 - linked to geography lessons on Water Cycle in cycle 2	Bluebells and penguins - The Magic Box	Recycling Part 2 - linked to Geography unit of Climate Change
Week 32	Parents' evening Heard it in the playground	Water Cycle Part 2 - linked to geography lessons on Water Cycle in cycle 2	Dad and the cat and the tree - The Magic Box	Queen Victoria Part 1 - linked to the non-statutory guidance in the national curriculum for history. Changing power of the monarchy isn't taught in our history curriculum
Week 33	Spell to Banish a Pimple Puffin book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry	Light and shadow Part 1 - linked to science unit during this term	Well done George - The Magic Box	Queen Victoria Part 2 - linked to the non-statutory guidance in the national curriculum for history. Changing power of the



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				monarchy isn't taught in our history curriculum
Week 34	Please Mrs Butler Puffin book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry	Light and shadow Part 2 - linked to science unit during this term	The Day I got my finger stuck up my nose - Brian Patten	Germs: unwanted invaders Part 1 - retrieval practice to the role of white blood cells from science unit in Autumn 1
Week 35	There was an old teacher Heard it in the playground	The Trojan War Part 1 - pre-teach for Ancient Greek history unit in UKS2	Geography lesson - Brian Patten	Germs: unwanted invaders Part 2 - retrieval practice to the role of white blood cells from science unit in Autumn 1
Week 36	Why must we go to school? Heard it in the playground	The Trojan War Part 2 - pre-teach for Ancient Greek history unit in UKS2	The Solder - Brian Patten	The British Empire - pre-teach for WW2 when children will need some prior knowledge of the British Empire
Week 37	The Answer Heard it in the playground	Country Study - Argentina Part 1 Linked to Maps topic and pre-teach before South America in UKS2	I really do not mind the zoo - Brian Patten	Country Study Australia Part 1 - linked to climate change geography unit through effect of Great Barrier Reef
Week 38	The Sea The Works - Key Stage 2	Country Study - Argentina Part 2	Mr Ifonly - Brian Patten	Country Study Australia Part 2 - linked to climate change geography unit



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