



Year 5-6 Long Term Reading Curriculum Coverage & Sequence of lessons

Year 5/6 Cycle A: 2019-2020 / 2021-2022 / 2023-2024 / 2025-2026: English - Reading

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3 and Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Stargazer	Revolution	Frozen Planet	Blood Heart	Pharaohs
Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading
<p>Whole Class Reading using VIPERS: Harriett versus the Galaxy</p> <p>One Giant Leap – The Story of Neil Armstrong</p> <p>Myths and Legends:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moon Tales by Rina Singh • Moontellers: Myths of the Moon from around the World by Lynn Moroney <p>Poetry: Free Verse Online examples https://clpe.org.uk/poetry/ryline/poeticforms/free-verse Michael Rosen, Rachel Rooney, Valerie Bloom, Allan Ahlberg, James Berry</p>	<p>Whole Class Reading using VIPERS :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Christmas Carol – Charles Dickens (Extracts) • Anyone but Ivy Pocket! – Caleb Krisp • Black Beauty extract ‘Poor Ginger’. <p>Class Text:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cogheart (Peter Bunzl) – VIPERS • Mill Girl: A Victorian Girl’s Diary (1842-1984) • My Story (Sue Reid) <p>Poetry:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Book of Nonsense - Edward Lear (Limerick) 	<p>Whole Class Reading using VIPERS: Shackleton’s Journey (William Gill)</p> <p>Class Text: Call of the Wind (Jack London) You Wouldn’t want to be on Shackleton’s Polar Expedition! (Dr Jen Green)</p> <p>Narrative: Waiting for Ice (Sandra Markle)</p> <p>Poetry: Haiku (Matsuo Basho)</p> <p>Non-Fiction: Arctic and Antarctic (DK Eyewitness) Story of the Titanic (DK History)</p> <p>Famous People/Inventors: Scott of the Antarctic (Evelyn and Julia Dowdeswell) Ernest Shackleton</p>	<p>Class Text: Pig Heart Boy (Malorie Blackman) – VIPERS questions</p> <p>Poetry: Narrative Poem The Raven (Edgar Allen Poe) The Highwayman</p> <p>Personification: The Moon at Knowle Hill (Jackie Kay) Apple Trees (George Szirtes)</p> <p>Shape poetry: Biography/Famous People: Dr William Harvey (English Physician)</p> <p>PSHE: The Heart and the Bottle (Oliver Jeffers)</p> <p>Famous People/Inventors:</p>	<p>Whole Class Reading using VIPERS: The Egyptian Cinderella</p> <p>Class Text: The Phoenix Code (Helen Moss)</p> <p>I Was There... Tutankhamun’s Tomb</p> <p>Poppy Pym and the Pharaoh’s Curse</p> <p>Myth: The Myth of Osiris</p>



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<p>People/Inventions: Galileo reading comprehension Sir Isaac Newton The Space Suit: How a seamstress helped put man on the moon. (Alison Donald) Yuri Gagarin and the Race to Space (Ben Hubbard) Tim Peake</p> <p>Non-fiction books:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solar System Facts (Collins) • Neil Armstrong travelling to the Moon (Ben Hubbard) • The Space Race • Others are available relating to the moon-landing/online and in the library. • Space Race • The Moon Landing: The Race into Space (Neil Kelly) • <i>A Galaxy of Her Own: Amazing Stories of</i> 	<p>'There once a man from Hong Kong (8) Who never did anything wrong (8) He lay on his back (5) With his head in a sack (5) The innocuous old man from Hong Kong (8)'</p> <p>Non-Fiction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100 Facts Victorian Britain (Jeremy Smith) • Victorian Schools (Peter Crisp) • Victorian Family (Jane Shuter) • Victorian Britain (Jane Shuter) • Men, Women and Children in Victorian Times (Peter Hepplewhite) • How Life Changed in Victorian Times (Brian Knapp) • Victorian Workhouses 		<p>Edith Cavell (Nurse – saved soldiers in First WW without discrimination) – Big Cat Book – White Band 10</p> <p>Dr William Harvey (English Physician – first to describe how blood was pumped around the body by the heart)</p> <p>Non-Fiction: Heroic Heart (Body Works) (Anna Claybourne) Your Thumping Heart and Battling Blood System (Your Brilliant Body) (Paul Mason)</p> <p>Keeping Fit (Anna Claybourne)</p> <p>Food and Eating (Anna Claybourne)</p> <p>Your Heart and Lungs (Science in Action) (Sally Hewitt).</p> <p>Musical lyrics: (VIPERS)</p> <p>My heart will go on by Celine Dion – YouTube</p>	
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<p>Women in Space (Libby Jackson)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Little People, Big Dreams (Lisbeth Kaiser & Ana Sanfelippo) (Women in history – Emmeline Pankhurst/Amelia Earhart/Marie Curie</i> <p>Biography:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Charles Dickens: England's Most Captivating Storyteller (Biography) Catherine Wells-Cole</i> <p>Famous People of the time:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Queen Victoria</i>• <i>Florence Nightingale</i>• <i>Emeline Pankhurst</i> <p><i>Thomas Edison etc</i></p>		<p>How can you mend a broken heart? by Al Green – YouTube</p> <p>Me and my broken heart by Rixton – YouTube</p> <p>Heartbreaker by Justin Bieber – YouTube</p> <p>Put a little love in your heart by Al Green and Annie Lennox – YouTube</p> <p>Young at Heart by Frank Sinatra – YouTube</p>	
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Year 5/6 Cycle B: 2020-2021 / 2022-2023 / 2024-2025: English – Reading

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3 and Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Hola Mexico	A Child's War (WW2)	Alchemy Island	Scream Machine	Beast Creator
Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading
<p>Class Text/Whole Class Reading using VIPERS: Holes (Louis Sachar)</p> <p>Myths/Legends: The Hero Twins: Against the Lords of Death – A Mayan Myth (Dan Jolley)</p> <p>Dwarf-Wizard of Uxmal (Susan Shetterley)</p> <p>Picture Book – Books from other cultures. Rain Player (David Wisniewski)</p> <p>The Great Kapok Tree (Lynne Cherry)</p> <p>Poetry: - Free Verse and descriptive (Lyrical Prose) Song of the Minstrel – Mayan poem</p>	<p>Class Text: Whole Class Reading using VIPERS: Letters from the Lighthouse (Emma Carroll)</p> <p>Good Night Mr Tom (Michelle Magorian)</p> <p>Avoid being a Second World War Evacuee (Simon Smith)</p> <p>Song lyrics and nursery rhymes: It's a long way to Tipperary (Jack Judge and Harry Williams)</p> <p>Pack up your trouble (George Asaf)</p> <p>Daisy, Daisy (Henry Dacre)</p>	<p>Class Text: Whole Class Reading using VIPERS: The Tempest: A Shakespeare Story (Andrew Matthews) : Soliloquy</p> <p>Fantasy Narratives: Extracts: figurative language (portals) The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe: The Chronicles of Narnia (C.S.Lewis)</p> <p>The Shadow Forest (Matt Haig)</p> <p>Ignis (Gina Wilson)</p> <p>The Wizard of Earthsea (Ursula Le Guin)</p> <p>'Drink Me' (Extract from - Alice's Adventures in Wonderland (Lewis Carroll)</p> <p>Poetry: Cinquain (noun, adjective, 3 ing words, a phrase, noun) Examples on Cornerstones relating to gems</p> <p>Song Lyrics (Narrative): Songs with a story in popular culture include: JBC by Nizlopi;</p> <p>Coat of Many Colours by Dolly Parton</p>	<p>Class Text: The Boy who Swam with Piranhas (David Almond)</p> <p>Icky Doo Dah: The Fairground Fiasco (Simon Murray) (Picture Book – 36 pages)</p> <p>Poetry: The Ride (Grace Sayers)</p> <p>The Spinner</p> <p>Non-Fiction /Inventions: Fairgrounds (Explore!) (Jane Bingham)</p> <p>Inventions: A history of key inventions that changed the world (Adam Hart-Davis)</p> <p>The way things work (David Macaulay and Neil Ardley) Fairgrounds (History of) (Jane Bingham)</p>	<p>Class Text: Whole Class Reading using VIPERS: Charlotte's Web</p> <p>Poetry: Nonsense Limericks (Edward Lear)</p> <p>Non-Fiction Steve Backshall's Deadly 60 Insects (DK) World's Deadliest Animals (Matt Roper) Flanimals (Ricky Gervais)</p>



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<p>Non-Fiction: The History Detective Investigates: Mayan Civilisations (Clare Hibbert)</p> <p>Daily life in Mayan Civilisation (Nick Hunter)</p> <p>Cultural Traditions in Mexico (Lynn Peppas)</p>	<p>Shalom Chaverim (Hebrew song)</p> <p>http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/war/song.htm</p> <p>Non-Fiction:</p> <p>WWII (DK Eyewitness)</p> <p>Voices from the Second World War – First News</p> <p>Who Was Anne Frank? (Ann Abramson)</p> <p>The Diary of Anne Frank (Abridged for young readers) (Blackie Abridged Non Fiction).</p> <p>Wartime Cookbook: Food and Recipes from the Second World War (Alison Cooper).</p> <p>Family Life in World War 2 (Patrick Gray)</p> <p>Play Script:</p> <p>Bombs and Blackberries (World War 2 Play) (Julia Donaldson)</p>	<p>Puff the Magic Dragon sung by Peter, Paul and Mary</p> <p>A Spaceman Came Travelling by Chris De Burgh</p> <p>Wuthering Heights by Kate Bush</p> <p>Another Day in Paradise by Phil Collins</p>	<p>How things work (DK)</p>	
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