Autumn 1 - Me Core Texts: Titch by Pat Hutchins Once There Were Giants by Martin Waddell Super, Duper You by Sophy Henn Once There Were Grant Were

Autumn 2 - Out of This World

Core Text:

The Way Back Home by Oliver Jeffers Beegu by Alexis Deacon

Whatever Next by Jill Murphy





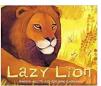


Spring 1- Wild Things

Core Text:

Meerkat Mail by Emily Gravett Lazy Lion by Mwenye Hadithi. Lila and the Secret of Rain by David Conway







Titch- Titch is little. Everything he has is little, from his little pinwheel to his little tricycle. His brother Pete and his sister Mary are big. Everything they have is bigger and better than what Titch has. Their kites fly high above the houses and trees, and their bicycles are large and fast. But when Titch plants a little seed, it begins to grow...and grow...and grow!

Once There Were Giants- There is a baby who lives among giants.... Soon the baby grows a little and can walk and talk. Then, one day, the baby is all grown up and has a baby of her own. Suddenly there are giants in the house again, and she realizes, "One of the giants is...ME!" Martin Waddell and Penny Dale trace the cycle of family life as it goes from one generation to the next in this warm picture book. Super, Duper You- I've known you since you started. I've seen a thing or two... or three or four or five or six! In fact, I've seen a few... Sometimes we are loud, sometimes we are quiet, sometimes bold and clanky, sometimes soft and cuddly. Sophy Henn celebrates all the different, extraordinary and sometimes contradictory things we are in this joyful and colourful rhyming picture book. Perfect to read aloud and then read again, and again!

The Way Back Home- When a boy discovers a single-propeller airplane in his closet, he does what any young adventurer would do: He flies it into outer space! Millions of miles from Earth, the plane begins to sputter and quake, its fuel tank on empty. The boy executes a daring landing on the moon . . . but there's no telling what kind of slimy, slithering, tentacled, fang toothed monsters lurk in the darkness! (Plus, it's dark and lonely out there.) Coincidentally, engine trouble has stranded a young Martian on the other side of the moon, and he's just as frightened and alone. Martian, Earthling--it's all the same when you're in need of a friend.

Beegu- Beegu's spacecraft is stranded on Earth. Now she is lost and wandering. Beegu's spirits are sinking lower than ever just as the mother ship arrives, in this simple, bittersweet picture book that shows us our world through the three eyes of an innocent outsider with the help of stylish art and a wry, understated text.

Whatever Next- The moon and back before bath time? Whatever next! Join Baby Bear as he finds a rocket, makes friends with an owl and has a picnic on the moon! This enlarged edition is the second Bear family adventure following the bestselling 'Peace at Last'.

Meerkat Mail- Sunny the meerkat lives with his enormous family in the Kalahari desert. One day Sunny goes to visit his mongoose cousins. But from the watery world of the Marsh Mongoose to the nocturnal lifestyle of the Malagasy Mongoose, Sunny just doesn't fit in. And what's that shadowy figure that seems to be following him around? Lazy Lion- Lazy Lion orders the animals to build him a house on the African plain. The Weaver Birds build him a house of nest grasses and palm leaves, but Lazy Lion is too heavy to reach the door. The Ant Bears build him a house with many rooms and caverns, but it is so dark Lion can't see anything. The animals do their best to please Lion, but he is very difficult to please. Will he ever find a home? Secret of Rain-For months the sun has burned down on Lila's Kenyan village. It is too hot to gather firewood, too hot to weed the garden, even too hot to milk the cow. Without rain the well will run dry and the crops will fail. Lila is so worried that when her arandfather whispers to her the secret of rain, she decides to go and talk to the sky herself. How Lila saves the village by telling the sky the saddest thing she knows is told in David Conway's elegant and spare prose style, which is complemented perfectly by Jude Daly's beautiful and poignant illustrations.

Wider Curriculum Supporting Texts:



















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Writing Outcomes:

Labels & Captions

A set of instructions

Spoken Language Outcome:

Discussion- About me

Writing Outcomes:

A character description of an alien. A first-person recount.

Poetry with rhyming strings.

Spoken Language Outcome:

Drama- Recounting an event.

Writing Outcomes:

A re-tell of a story from another culture.

An information text about an African animal.

Poetry – Kenninas about African animals.

Spoken Language Outcome:

Performance of poetry.

Spring 2- Enchanted Woodlands	Summer 1- Castles	Summer 2- Future Me, What Can I Be?
Core Text: Little Red Riding Hood & Hansel and Gretel - Usborne First Readers Little Red Riding Hood & Hansel and Gretel - Usborne First Readers	Core Text: The Clockwork Dragon by Jonathan Emmett Zog- Julia Donaldson	Core Text: Happy Families books by Janet & Allan Ahlberg Allower Clark Mrs Vole Wobble Waitless
Little Red Riding Hood-Oh Granny, what big ears you have! says Little Red Riding Hood. "All the better to hear you with." snaps back the wolf. Enjoy finding out how Little Red Riding Hood outwits the wolf, in this quirky retelling of the classic fairy tale. The Gingerbread Man- When the Gingerbread Man runs away from the old lady's oven, the whole village is soon chasing after him. Simply written in lively, flowing text Usborne First Reading books are designed to capture the imagination and build the confidence of early readers.	The Clockwork Dragon- The Kingdom of Rodney is being terrorised by Flamethrottle the dragon. Fortunately Max, a young toymaker, and Lizzie, an armourer, are more than a match for this man-eating monster and the two of them come up with a clever plan to drive it away. Zog- Zog, a young accident-prone dragon, who wants to be the best student in dragon school, is the keenest dragon in the school, but will he ever win a golden star?	Mrs Wobble- Mrs Wobble loves her job as a waitress in a cafe but there's one big problem - she wobbles. She wobbles so much that she drops a chicken on a lady's pretty hat, then she drops a jelly on her boss and gets the sack. She fears her wobble will stop her working ever again - but Mr Wobble has a plan. Mrs Vole- Mrs Vole the vet has one son, three daughters, three cats, four dogs and no husband. She works day and night curing rabbits and leopards and hamsters and elephants and every animal in between. But her children think she deserves some attention too, so they decide to help her find a boyfriend. Mrs Plug- Mrs. Plug, with her useful bag, is ready for any emergency, whether it is a leak in the bathroom, a robbery on the street, or a storm at sea.
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Written Outcomes:	Written Outcomes:	Written Outcomes:
A fairytale.	A fantasy story about a dragon.	Poetry- Acrostic Poems
A setting description. A recount as one of the story characters.	A character description. An information text about dragons. (Fictional)	A story about one of the Happy Family characters A simple letter to a character.
Spoken Language Outcome: Debate about a fairy tale.	Spoken Language Outcome: Drama/Role-Play	Spoken Language Outcome: Interview visitors about careers/jobs.