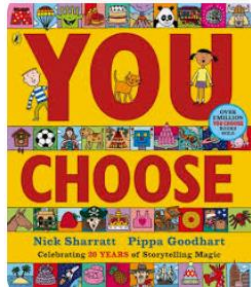


Nursery Reading Spine 2025/26

Autumn 1 Marvellous Me!

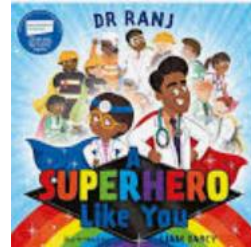
You Choose By Pippa Goodhart



Key Vocabulary: home, travel, pet, job,

Spring 1 Super us!

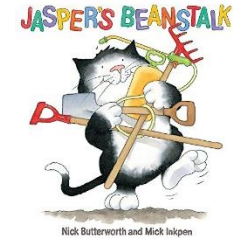
A Superhero like you By Dr Ranj



Key Vocabulary: Superhero, emergency, uniform, helpful, real-life heroes

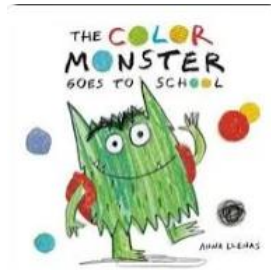
Summer 1 Signs of Spring

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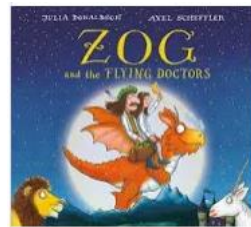


Key Vocabulary: Bean, plant, dig, water, grow,

The Colour Monster Goes to School By Anna Llenas

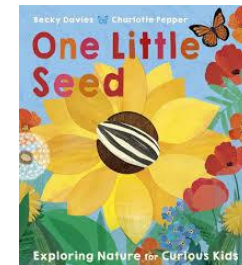


Zog and the Flying Doctors By Julia Donaldson


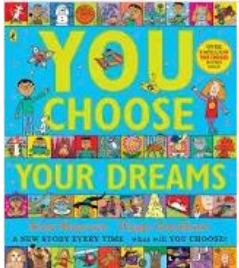
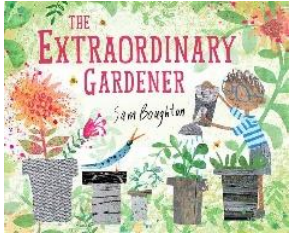
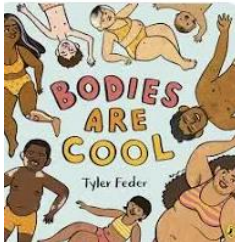




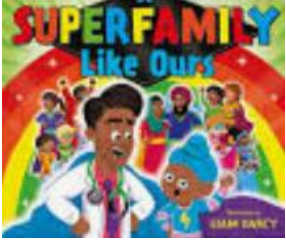

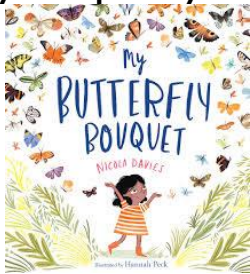
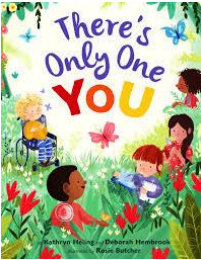
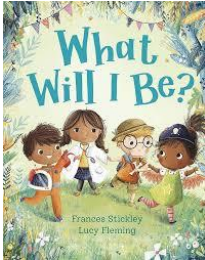

Vocabulary: Patient, medicine, diagnose, sickness / Illness, cure



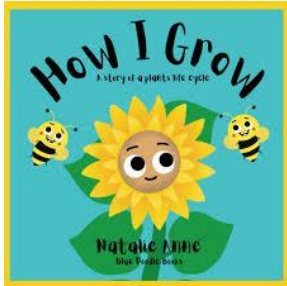
One Little Seed By Becky Davies

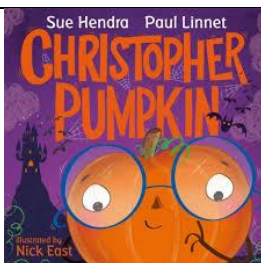


Key Vocabulary: Seed, soil, plant, grow, sun, rain, shoot

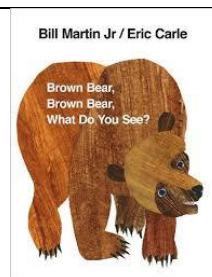
<p>Key Vocabulary: classroom, teacher, friends, nervous, excited,</p>		
<p>Ruby's Worry By Tom Percival</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: worry, anxious, nervous, sad, happy, brave</p>	<p>You Choose Your Dreams By Pippa Goodhart</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: Dreams, adventure, magical, imagination, explore</p>	<p>The Extraordinary Gardener By Sam Boughton</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: Nature, dream, hope, extraordinary, community</p>
<p>Bodies are Cool By Tyler Feder</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: tall, short, big, small, curvy, slim</p>	<p>A Superpower like Mine By Dr Ranj</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: Superhero, identity, respect, unique, brave</p>	<p>That's My Flower by Alice Hemming</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: Seasons, nature, sharing, protect, belong,</p>

<p>A Super Family Like Ours By Dr Ranj</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: stepdad / stepmum, foster carer, grandparents, siblings</p>	<p>Superworm By Julia Donaldson</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: strong, long, wiggle, squirm, rescue, magic, capture</p>	<p>The Butterfly Bouquet by Nicola Davies</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: Butterfly, caterpillar, lifecycle, nectar, pollination</p> <p>:</p>
<p>There's Only One You by Kathryn Heling</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: Special, unique, different, same,</p>	<p>What will I Be? By Frances Stickley</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: Possibility, future, dream, wonder, grow</p>	<p>Luna Loves Gardening By Joseph Coelho</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: gardening, seeds, soil, compost, roots, shoot, sunlight</p>

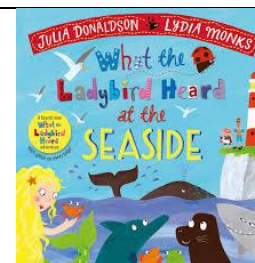
<p>All the Things You Will Do By Lucy Rowland</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: Grow, imagine, dream, learn, try</p>	<p>What Jobs Could You Do? By Catherine Barr</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: Career, jobs, interests, ambition, dreams</p>	<p>How I Grow By Natalie Anne</p>  <p>Key Vocabulary: seed, shoot, leaves, roots, stem, flower, life cycle</p>
<p>Super Six Goldilocks and the Three Bears</p>	<p>Super Six The Ugly Duckling</p>	<p>Super Six Jack and the Beanstalk</p>
<p>Autumn 2 Let's Celebrate</p>	<p>Spring 2 Amazing Animals</p>	<p>Summer 2 Seaside Summers</p>
<p>Christopher Pumpkin By Sue Hendra and Paul Linnet</p>	<p>Brown Bear Brown Bear By Eric Carle</p>	<p>What the Ladybird Heard at the Seaside By Julia Donaldson</p>



Key Vocabulary: Halloween, witch, pumpkin, cauldron, spell, spooky

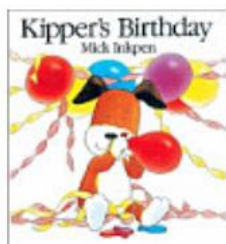


Vocabulary: Bear, teacher, look, colour names



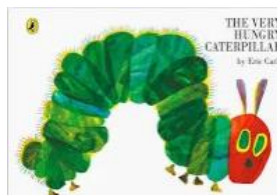
Key Vocabulary: Ladybird, seaside, shore, criminal, plot

Kipper's Birthday By Mick Inkpen



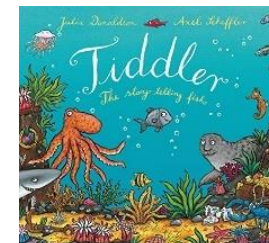
Key Vocabulary: Birthday, party, invitation, present, cake, balloon

The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle



Key Vocabulary: Caterpillar, egg, butterfly, cocoon, hungry, lifecycle

Tiddler by Julia Donaldson

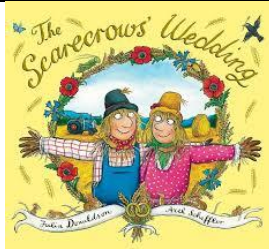


Key Vocabulary: Story, imagination, adventure, lost, rescue, journey

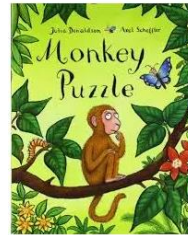
Scarecrow's Wedding By Julia Donaldson

Monkey Puzzle By Julia Donaldson

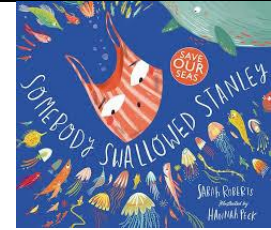
Somebody Swallowed Stanley By Sarah Roberts



Key Vocabulary: wedding, invite, flowers, cake, bride, groom, guest



Key Vocabulary: Monkey, butterfly, jungle, lost, found, confused, search



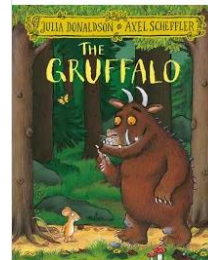
Key Vocabulary: Plastic, ocean, pollution, trapped, protect

Confetti By Dean Atta



Key Vocabulary: happy, excited, celebrate, share, love,

The Gruffalo by Julia Donaldson



Key Vocabulary: Gruffalo, woods, predator, prey

The Odd Fish By Naomi Jones



Key Vocabulary: odd, different, belong, fin, scales, swim. Laugh, tease, proud, unique

The Best Diwali Ever By Sonali Shah

The Tiger Who Came to Tea by Judith Kerr

The Snail and the Whale By Julia Donaldson



Key Vocabulary: Diwali, celebration, family, party, light, diya, firework, Rangoli



Key Vocabulary: Tiger, visitor, surprise, greedy, polite



Key Vocabulary: snail, whale, journey, tail, volcano, storm, rescue, brave, help

The Very Special Christmas By Christine Leeson



Key Vocabulary: Help, give, share, kind, generous, caring

How to Look After Your Dinosaur By Jason Cockcroft



Key Vocabulary: Dinosaur, pet, feed, wash, walk, toilet, clean, responsibility

Sharing a Shell By Julia Donaldson

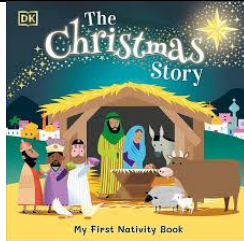


Key Vocabulary: Shell, anemone, starfish, share, friend, jealous, together

The Christmas Story

Gozzle By Julia Donaldson

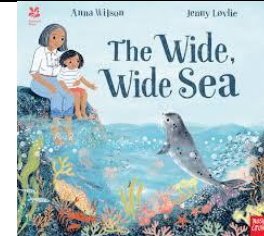
The Wide Wide Sea By Anna Wilson



Key Vocabulary: Mary, Joseph, Jesus, God, Bethlehem, holy



Key Vocabulary: Gozzle, CVC words



Key Vocabulary: Rockpool, pebbles, shore, tide, foam, gentle, waves.

Super Six
Little Red Hen

Super Six
The Three Little Pigs

Super Six
The Enormous Turnip

Our book of the week is read daily. We have our Super Six which are books we have chosen that we want the children to know really well. We focus on a new one each half term but revisit them regularly throughout the year.

We also have books linked to our PSED/UTW sessions that introduce the children to non-fiction texts and we have books linked to our maths focus each week. We have a book voting station where they vote for our end of day story each day which is linked to our topic.