Reading Spine Year 6



Year 6 2022 23	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Anchor Texts for Writing	The Explorer by Katherine Rundell	Once by Morris Gleitzman	Macbeth The Animated Tales abridged by Leon Garfield Coming to England by Floella Benjamin
			Black and British an illustrated history by David Olusoga
Whole Class Reading Texts	A Street Through Time illustrated by Steve Noon The Amazon by Deborah Chancellor Mapping South America, Close-Up Continents by Paul Rockett A Kid's Guide to South America by Jack L Roberts & Michael Owens Rainforest (DK Eyewonder).	Number the Stars by Lois Lowry Our Blitz – Red Skies Over Manchester (Manchester Evening News) The Story of the Second World War for Children 1939 – 1945 (Imperial War Museum) War Games by James Riordan WWII DK Findout!	Hamlet retold by Julia Donaldson Can You See Me? By Libby Scott & Rebecca Westcott Speechless by Kate Darbishire Stratford-upon-Avon Horrible Histories series by Terry Deary Benjamin Zephaniah – a profile by Verna Wilkins Face by Benjamin Zephaniah
Reading for pleasure class reads	The Good Thieves by Katherine Rundell Rooftoppers by Katherine Rundell Skysteppers by Katherine Rundell Journey to the River Sea by Eva Ibbotson The Secret Lake by Karen Inglis Raven's Wharf by A B Martin Under Crook's Wood by A B Martin	Then by Morris Gleitzman After by Morris Gleitzman Always by Morris Gleitzman Maybe by Morris Gleitzman Now by Morris Gleitzman Children's History of Manchester by Tracy J Holroyd	There's a Boy in the Girls' Bathroom by Louis Sachar Macbeth – a Shakespeare story by Andrew Matthews and Tony Ross Shakespeare's Macbeth retold by Powell F Daniel (Graphic Novel) Macbeth – Three Tales from Shakespeare by Martin Waddell The Winter's Tale Animated Tales.
Poetry to enjoy	Life Doesn't Frighten Me by Maya Angelou The Works Poems & Rhymes to enjoy, read, perform and learn by heart	For the Fallen by Laurence Binyon What are we fighting for? Poems about war by Brian Moses and Roger Stevens	On the Move – poems about Migration by Michael Rosen. The Living Years by Mike and the Mechanics.