

Reading Spine Year 5



Year 5 2022 23	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Anchor Texts for Writing	SeaBEAN by Sarah Holding – Climate Fiction How to Train your Dragon by Cressida Cowell	The Great Kapok Tree by Lynne Cherry Popul Vuh: A Sacred Book of the Maya by Victor Montejo, illustrated by Luis Garay Rain Player by David Wisniewski Holes by Louis Sachar	Wonder by R J Palacio Queen of the Falls by Chris Van Allsburg The Wolves in the Walls by Neil Gaiman
Whole Class Reading Texts	Anglo-Saxon Boy by Tony Bradman Beowulf by Michael Morpurgo & Michael Foreman The Buried Crown by Ally Sherrick The King Who Threw Away His Throne by Terry Deary The Genius of the Anglo-Saxons By Izzy Howell	The Maya and Chichén Itzá (Time Travel Guides) by Ben Hubbard The Mayan Mystery by Nick Hunter, illustrated by David Pavon The Maya (Great Civilisations) by Tracey Kelly The Chocolate Tree: [A Mayan Folktale] by Linda Lowery	The Girl Who Drank the Moon by Kelly Barnhill The Lost Words by Robert Macfarlane There's a boy in the girls' bathroom by Louis Sachar
Reading for pleasure class reads	Winter of the Wolves by Tony Bradman The Wizards of Once by Cressida Cowell King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table by Marcia Williams Men, Women and Children in Anglo-Saxon Times by Jane Bingham The History Detective Investigates: Anglo-Saxons by Neil Tonge	Avoid being a Mayan Soothsayer by Rupert Matthews The Last Bear by Hannah Gold & Levi Pinfold Jaz Santos vs The World by Priscilla Mante The Breakfast Club Adventures By Marcus Rashford & Alex Falase-Koya & Marta Kissi	Always Clementine by Carlie Sorosia Factopia by Kate Hale & Andy Smith HerStory: 50 Women and Girls Who Shook the World by Katherine Halligan & Sarah Walsh The Boy at the Back of the Class by Onjali K Rauf A Boy Called Hope by Lara Williamson
Poetry to enjoy	The Highwayman by Alfred Noyes and Charles Keeping The Highway Rat by Julia Donaldson	Bright Bursts of Colour by Matt Goodfellow & Aleksei Bitskoff	Refugee by Brian Bilston Summer – palindrome poetry. Austin Kleon #newspaper blackout