

Long-Term Text Overview: Bournville Village Primary School, Foundation Stage

| | Theme | Key texts | Additional texts |
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| Autumn term | People | <p><i>Ruby's Worry</i> by Tom Percival Contemporary picture book (PoR)</p> <p><i>Percy the Park Keeper</i> by Nick Butterworth Contemporary classic fiction</p> <p><i>On Sudden Hill</i> by Linda Sarah and Benji Davies Contemporary fiction picture book (PoR)</p> <p><i>The Secret Sky Garden</i> by Linda Sarah and Fiona Lumbers Contemporary picture book</p> <p><i>Wild</i> by Emily Hughes Contemporary fiction picture book (PoR)</p> <p><i>Stanley's Stick</i> by John Hegley and Neal Layton Contemporary fiction picture book/ verse story (PoR)</p> | <p><i>I Will Not Ever NEVER Eat a Tomato</i> by Lauren Child</p> <p><i>Funny Bones</i> by Janet and Alan Ahlberg</p> <p><i>Only One You</i> by Linda Kranz</p> <p><i>Tidy</i> by Emily Gravett</p> <p><i>The Girl with the Parrot on Her Head</i> by Daisy Hirst</p> |
| Spring term | Water | <p><i>Splash, Anna Hibiscus!</i> by Atinuke and Lauren Tobia Contemporary picture book (PoR)</p> <p><i>Billy's Bucket</i> by Kes Gray and Jerry Parsons Contemporary picture book (PoR)</p> <p><i>Surprising Sharks</i> by Nicola Davies and James Croft Information story (PoR)</p> <p><i>Tiddler</i> by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler Contemporary picture book/ verse story Past children's laureate</p> <p><i>Author study: Blue Penguin</i> by Petr Horacek OR <i>Puffin Peter</i> by Petr Horacek</p> | <p><i>Elephant</i> by Petr Horacek</p> <p><i>A New House for Mouse</i> by Petr Horacek</p> <p><i>The Rainbow Fish</i> by Marcus Pfister</p> <p><i>Snail and the Whale</i> by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler</p> <p><i>The Whale Song</i> by Dyan Sheldon</p> <p><i>The Storm Whale</i> by Benji Davies</p> <p><i>Treasures by the Sea</i> by Lisa Woollett and Sarah McCartney</p> <p><i>Hurray for Fish</i> by Lucy Cousins (PoR)</p> <p><i>Commotion in the Ocean</i> by Giles Andreae</p> <p><i>Hidden World Ocean</i> by Libby Walden and Stephanie Fizer Coleman</p> <p><i>Fabulous Frogs</i> by Martin Jenkins</p> |

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| | | <p>Contemporary picture books (PoR)</p> <p>Poems on a theme: nursery rhymes Literary heritage/ classic</p> <p>Poetry taken from <i>My Very First Mother Goose</i> by Iona Opie</p> | |
| Summer term | Life | <p><i>The Bad-Tempered Ladybird</i> by Eric Carle Contemporary picture book</p> <p><i>The Very Hungry Caterpillar</i> by Eric Carle Classic picture book</p> <p><i>What the Ladybird Heard</i> by Julia Donaldson and Lydia Monks Contemporary picture book/ verse story (PoR)</p> <p><i>No Dinner! The Story of the Old Woman and the Pumpkin</i> by Jessica Souhami Traditional tale (PoR)</p> <p><i>Growing Frogs</i> by Vivian French and Alison Bartlett Information story</p> <p><i>Jack and the Beanstalk</i> by Nick Sharrat Traditional tale</p> <p>Poetry on a theme: life (PoR)</p> <p><i>A Great Big Cuddle Poems for the Very Young</i> by Michael Rosen and Chris Riddell</p> | <p><i>Egg Drop</i> by Mini Grey</p> <p><i>Titch and the Growing Story</i> by Ruth Krauss and Helen Oxenbury</p> <p><i>Jim and the Beanstalk</i> by Raymond Briggs</p> <p><i>The Little Gardener</i> by Emily Hughes</p> <p><i>The Seed I Planted</i> by Mick Manning and Brita Granstrom</p> <p><i>Hidden World Forest</i> by Libby Walden and Stephanie Fizer Coleman</p> <p><i>Oliver's Vegetables</i> by Vivian French and Alison Bartlett</p> <p><i>Amazing Animal Journeys</i> by Chris Packham and Jason Cockcroft</p> <p><i>The Very Busy Spider</i> by Eric Carle</p> |

Author of the half term

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