Nursery, Reception and Year 1 Class Stories

Class Stories are read on a rotation throughout the half term with the intention that children become familiar with a variety of key texts.

	Nursery	Reception	Year 1
Aut 1 Stories	 The Gruffalo — Julia Donaldson The Invisible String — Patrice Karst My Daddies (Gareth Peter) What will I be? (Frances Stickley) Dear Zoo (Rod Campbell) My Mum and Dad make me laugh. (Nick Sharatt) 	 The Enormous Turnip The Leaf Thief — Alice Hemming The Family book — Todd Parr Call me gorgeous — Giles Milton Incredible You — Rhys Brisenden Weirdo — Zadie Smith 	1. Super Duper You — Sophy Henn 2. Only One You — Linda Kranz 3. A Piece of Cake — Jill Murphy 4. Splash — Claire Cashmore 5. After the Fall — Dan Santat 6. On Sudden Hill — Linda Sarah
Rhymes/ poetry	 Miss Polly had a Dolly) Ten in the bad (and the little one said) Leaves are falling (Poetry Basket) Chop, Chop (Poetry Basket) 	1. Hickory, Dickory, Dock- 2.Pointy Hat (Poetry Basket) 3.A basket of apples (poetry basket)	1.Happy - Michaela Morgan (p40 First Poetry Book) 2.My Baby Sister — Marian Swinger (p19 First Poetry Book) 3.The Wobbling Race — Clive Riche (Puffin First Poems p61)
Aut 2 Stories	 Little Red Riding Hood Can you see the stars tonight? (Anna Terreros Martin) Handa's Surprise (Eileen Browne) Can Bear's Ski? (Raymond Antrobus) Whatever Next! (Jill Murphy) Two Hungry Bears (Linda Cornwell) 	 Astro girl – Ken Wilson Max Beegu – Alexis Deacon Stick man – Julia Donaldson When you joined our family – Harriet Evans Father Christmas Needs a Wee – Nicholas Allen The magic Porridge pot 	 The Crayon's Christmas – Oliver Jeffers Mrs Armitage on Wheels – Quentin Blake What if, Pig – Linzie Hunter Arlo – The Lion Who Couldn't Sleep – Catherine Rayner Somebody Swallowed Stanley Sarah Roberts

			6. Leah's Star – Margaret Bateson- Hill and Karin Littlewood
Rhymes/ poetry	 Zoom, Zoom Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star Shoes (Poetry Basket) Wise Old Owl (Poetry Basket) 	1.Hey Diddle Diddle 2. One finger, one thumb 3. Five Little Pumpkins (Poetry Basket) 4.Mice by Rose Fyleman (Poetry basket)	1.On the Train — Dave Ward (p256 First Poetry Book) 2. Mud - John Smith (Puffin First Poems p21) 3. Sounds Good! — Judith Nicholls - (Puffin First Poems p50)
Spring 1 Stories	1. The Three Billy Goats Gruff 2. A Dinosaur named Tiny (Alan Durant) 3. Maisie's Scrapbook (Samuel North) 4. Amazing (Steven Antony) 5. Polar Bear, Polar Bear! What can you hear? (Bill Martin) 6. Winnie the Witch (Korky Paul)	1.The girl with two Dad's — Mel Elliot 2.Pig the Pug - Aaron Blabey 3.Izzy Gizmo — Pip Jones 4. What happened to you — James Catchpole 5.Room on the Broom — Julia Donaldson 6. The Pea and the Princess — Mini Grey	1. The Hat Full of Secrets — Karl Newson 2. The Monster Race — Caryl Hart 3. Amazing Grace — Mary Hoffman 4. Dogger — Shirley Hughes 5. The Invisible — Tom Percival 6. Billy and the Beast — Nadia Shireen
Rhymes/ poetry	 There was a Princess long ago! 5 Little Snowmen Carrot Nose (Poetry Basket) Hungry Birdies (Poetry Basket) 	1.If you're happy & you know it 2.10 Little Monkeys 3. Let's put on our Mittens (Poetry basket)	1. Winter Night — Tim Pointon (p223 First Poetry Book) 2. Clocks and Watches — Unknown (P92 - Puffin First Poems) 3. Blue Flashing Light — Celia Warren (P125 A First Poetry Book)
Spring 2 Stories	 Tiddler (Julia Donaldson) Rainbow Fish (Marcus Phister) Mama Paya's Pancakes (Mary Chamberlin) 	1.The Lion Inside 2. Jack and the Beanstalk 3. Good Little Wolf — Nadia Shireen	1.Look Up — Nathan Bryon and Dapo Adeola 2.Baby Brains — Simon James

	4. Pablo and the Noisy Party (Andrew Brenner) 5. The Cave (Rob Hodgson) 6. Titus's Troublesome Tooth (Linda Jennings)	4.Gorilla — Anthony Browne 5.The Magic Paintbrush — Julia Donaldson 6. Tilda Tries Again — Tom Percival	3.Princess Smarty Pants — Babette Cole 4.Mog — The forgetful Cat — Judith Kerr 5.One Springy Day — Nick Butterworth 6. Tiger in My Soup — Kashmira Sheth
Rhymes/ poetry	 Old McDonald had a Farm 5 Current Buns Pancake (Poetry Basket) A Little House (Poetry Basket) 	1. Hey Diddle Diddle 2. Head, Shoulders, knees & Toes 3.Spring Wind (Poetry Basket)	 Nut Tree – Julia Donaldson Magic carpet – Shel Silverstein The Sound Collector – Roger McGough
Summer 1 Stories	1. The Three Little Pigs 2. Ambrose goes for Gold (Tor Freeman) Beautiful Bananas (Elizabeth Laird) 4. Slug in Love (Nadia Shireen) 5. Each, Peach, Pear Plum (Allan Alhburg) 6. Are you there Baby Bear (Catherine Walters)	1.The Pirate Mums — Jodie Lancet Grant 2. Rapunzel 3.My cat likes to hide in Boxes — Eve Sutton 4. Somebody's swallowed Stanley — Sarah Roberts 5. Seal surfer - Michael Foreman 6. Bringing the Rain to Kapiti Plain - Verma Aardema	 Paddington: The Original Story Michael Bond Giraffes Can't Dance - Giles Andreae A Dark, Dark Tale - Ruth Brown No Bot - Sue Hendra Man on the Moon - Simon Bartram Traction Man I'm Here - Mini Grey
Rhymes/ poetry	 The ants go marching one by one There's a worm at the bottom of the garden. If I were so very small (Poetry Basket) 	1.One finger one thumb 2.10 Green Bottles 3.A little shell (Poetry Basket)	1. Busy Day — Michael Rosen (P66/67 - Puffin First Poems) 2. The Great Fire (p241) (Pie Corbett — First Poetry Book)

	4. Pitter Patter (Poetry Basket)		3. Never Pick a Fight with a Fairy Roger Stevens (p11) (Pie Corbett — First Poetry Book)
Summer 2 Stories	 Superworm Arnie the accidental hero (Joanne Partis) My Granny went to market (Stella Blackstone) We're going to find a monster (Malorie Blackman) Pig in the Pong (Martin Waddell) Oh Boris (Carrie Weston) 	1. Leo and the Octopus — Isabelle Marinov 2. What's my Superpower? - Aviaq Johnston 3. The Goggle eyed goats — Christopher Corr and Stephen Davis 4.The Rapping Princess — Hannah Lee 5.The Elves and the shoemaker 6. Bring the rain to the kapiti Plain- Verma Aarderna	1. Green Eggs and Ham — Dr Seuss 2. Smeds and the Smoos — Julia Donaldson 3. The Slightly Annoying Elephant — David Walliams 4. Supertato — Run, Veggies, Run — Sue Hendra 5. The Dragon with the Blazing Bottom — Beach 6. The Rescue Party Nick Butterworth
Rhymes/ poetry	 Walking through the Jungle Wheels on the Bus The Fox (Poetry Box) 5 Little Owls (Poetry Box) 	1.Grand Old Duke of York 2.When I was 1 3. Monkey Babies — Irene Rawnsley and John Foster (Poetry Basket)	1.Four Seasons - Cecil Frances 2.A Place - Sara Fox 3. Now I am Six - AA Milne -