

Literacy Texts and Topics for EYFS

Cycle 1 Term & Topic/Theme	Autumn 1 All about me	Autumn 2 Light and Dark	Spring 1 Cold places/ Weather	Spring 2 Minibeasts	Summer 1 Growth & Change	Summer 2 Pirates	
Nur	Happy to Be Me 1a 	What's Next 2a 	I Can Fly 1a 	Snail Trail 2a 	Jasper's Beanstalk 1a 	Pirates 2a 	
Nur	How to Say Hello 1b 	Wow! Said the Owl 2b 	Bear Snores On 1b 	The Hungry Caterpillar 2b 	How Does it Grow? 1b 	Sunk! 2b 	
Rec NF	All About Me 1a 	Bats 2a 	Hello Penguin 1b 	Minibeasts 2a 	Seed to Plant 1a 	Treasure Hunters Handbook 2a 	
Text Form (Genre)	*Speech bubble – name *Label	*Label *Class book	*Poster - Label *Class book *Fact Card	*Poster/Lists *Fact book	*List - Instructions *Poster *Fact Card	*Fact card *Descriptive poster	
Rec Fiction	Amazing 1b 	The Leaf Thief 2b 	The Storm Whale in Winter 1a 	Christopher's Caterpillars 2b 	The Woolly Bear Caterpillar 1b 	The Treasure of Pirate Frank 2b 	
Text Form (Genre)	*Speech bubble *Caption	*Descriptive label *Speech bubble *Story Sequence/map	*Speech bubble *Book - Sentence	*Image & Caption *Book retell/rewrite	*Caption * Poster – Life cycle *Spidergram & Fact card	*Descriptive poster *Book retell/rewrite	
Cultural Capital Possible Opportunities (Please see Pike Fold Cultural Capital backpack)	N	Staggered start Home visits Autumn walk	Nursery sing along with parents Winter wonderland day Dentist visit – dental hygiene	Festival stay and plays Chicks	Caterpillars/ tadpoles in the classroom Spring walk	Forest school – growing beans, sunflowers	Beach trip Summer fun day
	R	Dentist visit – dental hygiene	Perform Festival celebration to parents Winter wonderland day	Stay and plays around festivals. Chicks	Whole school world book day celebrations Caterpillars/ tadpoles in the classroom	Forest school – growing beans, sunflowers	Beach trip Summer fun day Creating maps

Cycle 2 Term & Topic/Theme	Autumn 1 People who help us / superhero's	Autumn 2 Terrific tales	Spring 1 Amazing animals & Dinosaurs	Spring 2 Farm	Summer 1 Space	Summer 2 Fun at the seaside	
Nur	When We Grow Up: A First Book of Jobs 1a 	Jack and the Beanstalk 2a 	Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs 1a 	A Visit to the Farm 2a 	On the Moon 1a 	Take a look inside: Seaside 2a 	
Nur	Real Superhero's 1b 	The Three Little Pigs 2b 	Jungle Jamboree 1b 	Cows Go Boo 2b 	Roaring Rockets 1b 	Somebody Swallowed Stanley 2b 	
Rec NF	Jobs People Do 1a 	Castles 2b 	Dinosaurs 1a 	A Visit to the Farm 2a 	Space 1a 	Seaside Holidays Then and Now 2a 	
Text Form (Genre)	*Label *Initial Sounds	*Label *Class book	*Poster - Descriptive *Class book *Fact Card	*Poster/Lists *Fact book	*List *Fact card	*Fact card *Poster *Book- Caption	
Rec Fiction	Supertato 1b 	The Little Red Hen 2a 	Dear Zoo 1b 	A Squash and a Squeeze 2b 	Whatever Next! 1b 	Somebody Swallowed Stanley 2b 	
Text Form (Genre)	*Label *Speech bubble	*Label *Speech bubble	*Speech bubble *Book – retell/rewrite *Fact card	*Image & Caption *Book retell/rewrite	*Postcard *Book sequence rewrite (Narrative)	*Fact Card *Book *Descriptive Poster	
Cultural Capital Possible Opportunities (Please see Pike Fold Cultural Capital backpack)	N	Staggered start Home visits Visitors to school – dentist, fireman	Nursery sing along with parents Winter wonderland Dentist visit – dental hygiene	Awe & Wonder hooks for dinosaur egg	Farm trip Chicks Spring walk Plant life Cycle Stay and play Easter	Space role play area Forest schools	Recycling stations in the classroom Stay and play Eid Summer fun day
	R	Careers – whole school event. Visits from specific job roles Dentist visit – dental hygiene	Perform Festival celebration to parents Winter wonderland	Visit a Zoo	Farm trip Chicks Plant Life cycle Stay and play Easter Whole school world book day celebrations	Imagine that – Role play trip.	Litter picks inside & outside of school Stay and play Eid Summer fun day Visits from Grandparents - Holidays

	Nursery Cycle 1	Reception Cycle 1
Au 1	Happy to Be Me - Emma Dodd How to Say Hello – Sophie Beer	National Geographic Kids Look and Learn: All About Me Amazing – Steve Antony
Au 2	What’s Next – Timothy Knapman Wow! Said the Owl – Tim Hopgood	Bats – Megan Cullis The Leaf Thief – Alice Hemming
Sp 1	I Can Fly – Fifi Kuo Bear Snores On – Karma Wilson	Hello Penguins – National Geographic The Storm Whale in Winter – Benji Davies
Sp 2	Snail Trail – Ruth Brown The Hungry Caterpillar – Eric Carle	Minibeasts flip the flaps – Karen Wallace Christopher’s Caterpillars – Charlotte Middleton
Su 1	Jasper’s Beanstalk – Nick Butterworth How Does it Grow? – Ian Smith	Seed to Plant – National geographic kids Kristin Baird Rattini The Woolly Bear Caterpillar – Julia Donaldson
Su 2	Leapfrog Learners: Pirates – Annabelle Lynch Sunk! – Rob Biddulph	Treasure Hunter’s Handbook – Anna Claybourne The Treasure of Pirate Frank – Mal Peet & Elspeth Graham

	Nursery Cycle 2	Reception Cycle 2
Au 1	When We Grow Up: A First Book of Jobs by Melanie Walsh Real Superheros – Julia Seal	Jobs People Do (Start-Up Geography S.) – Anna Lee Supertato – Sue Hendra
Au 2	Jack and the Beanstalk - Ladybird First Favourite Tales Iona Treahey The Three Little Pigs: Ladybird First Favourite Tales by Nicola Baxter	Castles: A non-fiction book packed full of information about castles. – Maggie Freeman The Little Red Hen: Ladybird First Favourite Tales Hardcover – Ronne Randall
Sp 1	Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs - Ian Whybrow Jungle Jamboree – Jo Empson	Dinosaurs: Lift-The -Flap (Usborne Lift-The-Flap) – Alastair Smith Dear Zoo – Rod Campbell
Sp 2	A Visit to the Farm - Michael Morpurgo Cows Go Boo - Steve Webb	A Visit to the Farm - Michael Morpurgo A Squash and a Squeeze – Julia Donaldson
Su 1	On the Moon – Anna Milbourne and Benji Davies Roaring Rockets – Tony Mitton	Space – Annabelle Lynch Whatever Next! – Jill Murphy
Su 2	Take a look inside Big Outdoors for Little Explorers: Seaside Anne-Kathrin Behl Somebody Swallowed Stanley – Sarah Roberts	Seaside Holidays Then and Now (Beside the Seaside) – Clare Hibbert Somebody Swallowed Stanley – Sarah Roberts

***Other writing forms covered through topic**

Instructions for - pancakes, nest cakes, planting a seed

Recount – Trips, Winter wonderland day

Poetry – Through topic sessions, EAD sessions, Poetry Slam day