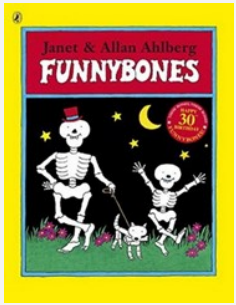
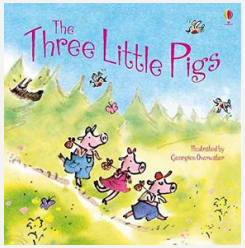
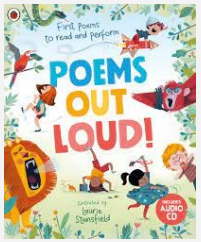
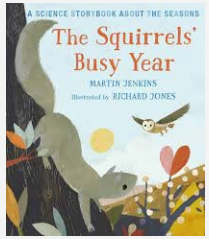
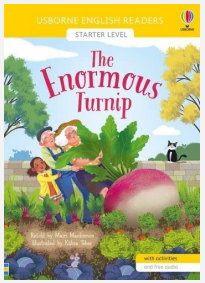
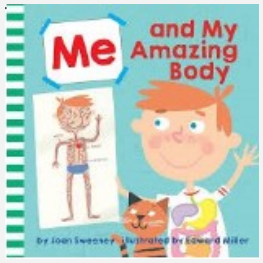
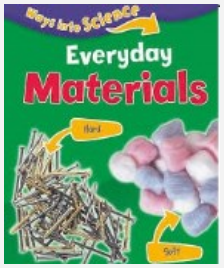
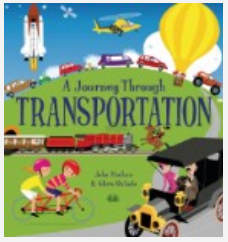
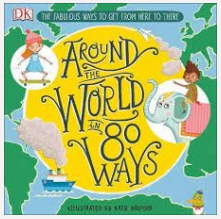
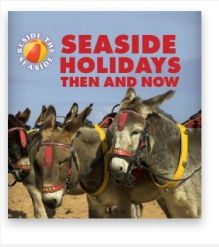
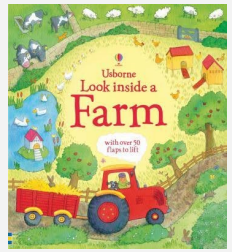
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Year Group / Class Year 1 AB Year 1 EF	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Whole Class Reading Comprehension						
Poetry To perform aloud	Soggy Greens By John Cunliffe	Snowball By Shel Silverstein	Cats By Eleanor Farjeon	The Little Plant Kate L. Brown	Bed in Summer Robert Louis Stevenson	Now We Are Six By A.A Milne
Wider Curriculum Focus Books						

"Reading for pleasure has been associated not only with increases in reading attainment but also with writing ability, text comprehension, grammar, breadth of vocabulary, attitudes, self-confidence as a reader, pleasure in reading in later life, general knowledge, a better understanding of other cultures, community participation, a greater insight into human nature and decision-making."

(Clark & Rumbold, 2006; Howard, 2011; Wigfield & Guthrie, 1997).