
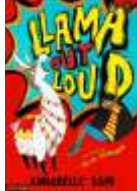
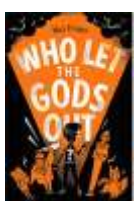

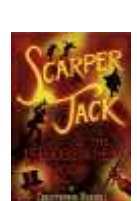





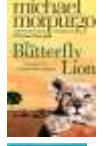
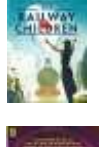







Year 4 Literature Plan

Children should...

- Listen to and discuss a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books or text books
- Increase their familiarity with a wide range of books, including fairy stories, myths and legends and retelling these orally
- Recognising some different forms of poetry
- Prepare poems and plays to read aloud and to perform

Class Novels	Potential Book Club Books	Key Texts
 <p>Crater Lake (Jennifer Killick) PSHCE focus on Young Carers, friendship, bullying Basic Story Plot – Quest</p>  <p>Llama out Loud (Annabel Sami) PSHCE focus on diversity, overcoming challenges Basic Story Plot – Rebirth</p>  <p>Who let the Gods out? (Maz Evans) Topic focus of Ancient Greece; PSHCE focus of Young Carers Basic Story Plot – Quest</p>  <p>The Land Of Roar (Jenny McLachlan) – adventure story with focus on friendship, family and growing up Basic Story Plot – Voyage and Return/Quest</p>  <p>Scarper Jack – modern fiction PSHCE focus on child labour, human rights link to Victorians, consolidation of history knowledge Basic Story Plot – Rebirth</p>  <p>The House with Chicken Legs (Sophie Anderson) – modern fiction and books from other cultures and traditions PSHCE focus on following dreams and finding your own path Basic Story Plot – Rebirth</p>	 <p>The Girl Who Stole an Elephant (Nizrana Farouk) – Story from another culture, PSHCE focus on friendship and doing the right thing</p>  <p>The Switching Hour (Damaris Young) PSHCE focus on finding yourself and standing up for what you believe</p>  <p>The Boy at the Back of the Class (Onjali Q Rauf) – Citizenship link to immigration, PSHCE link to bullying</p>  <p>Odd and the Frost Giants (Neil Gaiman) – topic link to Vikings; link to myths and legends</p>  <p>The Butterfly Lion (Michael Morpurgo) – PSHCE focus on friendship and loss</p>  <p>The Railway Children (E Nesbit) – Classic fiction on story, PSHCE focus on family and friendship</p>  <p>I was a Rat (Phillip Pullman) – focus on family and care for others, link back to traditional tales (Cinderella)</p>  <p>The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane (Kate DiCamillo) – PSHCE focus friendship, care for others, respect, family</p>  <p>Death Cloud (Andrew Lane) – young Sherlock Holmes novel; mystery historic based text</p> <p>Books not covered as Book Club Books will be covered as extracts.</p>	<p>Fairy Stories, Myths and Legends</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Greek myths • Berlie Doherty Fairytales – Cinderella with focus on gender roles • The True Story of the Three Little Pigs (Jon Scieszka) • Into the Forest (Anthony Browne) <p>Key poems (those in red to learn by heart to perform)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Door (Miroslav Holub) • Mr Mistoffelees (T.S. Eliot) • The Caged Bird (Maya Angelou) • Life doesn't Frighten me (Maya Angelou) • The Lion and Albert (Stanley Holloway) • Cloud Busting (Malorie Blackman) • The Adventures of Isabel (Ogden Nash) • Extinct (Mandy Coe) • The Walrus and the Carpenter (Lewis Carroll) • Escape at bedtime (Robert Louis Stevenson) • Goldilocks on CCTV (John Agard) • The sun is laughing (Grace Nichols) • Seeing Granny (James Berry) • The Space on the Page (Michael Rosen) • Alternative Santa (Roger McGough) • The Sad Book (Michael Rosen) • Windrush child (John Agard) • The ABC (Spike Milligan) • Elastic Days (Paula Thompson) • Pawprints (Jacqueline Shirliff) • The Sorrowful Saga of Sue (Colin West) • Dreambeast (Chris White) • Daffodils (William Wordsworth) • Gran, Can you Rap? (Jack Ousby) <p>Poetry Collections</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Land of the Giants (George Szirtes) • The Lost Words (Robert Macfarlane and Jackie Morris) • Shakespeare Poetry Collection • Moon Juice (Kate Wakeling)



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Key Themes	Key Texts	
<p>Key People/Inspirational People:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charles Darwin (Moth, Isabel Thomas) • Doctor Barnado • Nelson Mandela • Maya Angelou • Ruth Bader-Ginsberg • Wangari Maathai <p>Key Authors (look at linked extracts):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • William Shakespeare • Lewis Carroll • Michael Morpurgo • Malorie Blackman <p>Key topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slavery • Mental Health • Windrush • Loss • Refugees • Bullying • Young Carers • Endangered Animals • Educate and Celebrate theme <p>Wider curriculum subjects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anglo Saxons to Vikings • Ancient Greece • Victorians • UK Counties • Natural Disasters • Russia • Electricity • Sound • States of Matter • Living things and their habitats • Animals including humans • Islam <p>PSHCE Themes and key texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal strengths • Respect • Feelings • Children's rights • First aid • Environment • Managing risk 	<p>Non-fiction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Wild Child's Guide to Endangered Animals • Nelson Mandela A Long Walk to Freedom • The Story of the Windrush (KN Chimbi) • Amazing Muslims who changed the world (Burhana Islam) • Earth Shattering Events (Robin Jacobs) • Who invented this? (Anne Ameri-Siemens) • The Apartment: A Century or Russian living (Alexandra Litvina) • Herstory (Katherine Halligan) • I Dissent: Ruth Bader Ginsberg makes her mark (Debbie Levy) 	<p>Other Key Texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alice's Adventures in Wonderland (Lewis Carroll) • The Lost Fairytales (Isabel Otter) • The Monster who Wasn't (TC Shelley) • Mythologica • A Story Like the Wind (Gill Lewis) <p>Picture books</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Varmints (Helen Ward) • The Wall • I go Quiet (David Ouimet) • Moth (Isabel Thomas) • The Rhythm of the Rain (Grahame Baker-Smith) • The Ice Bear (Jackie Morris) • Henry's Freedom Box (Ellen Levine) • Badger's Parting Gifts (Susan Varley) • On the Origin of Species (Sabina Radiva) • I Talk Like a River (Sydney Scott) • One Plastic Bag (Miranda Paul) • Wangari Maathai: the woman who planted millions of trees • Bug in a Vacuum (Melanie Watt) • The Lost Homework (Richard O'Neill) • Tell me a Dragon (Jackie Morris) • Arthur and the Golden Rope (Joe Todd-Stanton) • Greenling (Levi Pinfold) • Umbrella (Elena Arevalo-Melville) <p>Song Lyrics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fast Car (Tracey Chapman) • Read all about it (Emeli Sande) • Bridge over troubled water (Simon and Garfunkel) • Big Yellow Taxi (Joni Mitchell) • Pompeii (Bastille)

