

# Alfred Sutton Reading Spine – Year 2 – Autumn 1

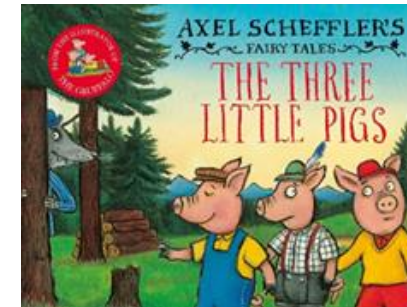


Curriculum focus: History – The Three Bs, Science – Everyday materials

## Core text

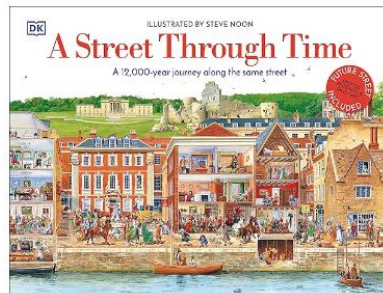


The Smart Cookie by Jory John

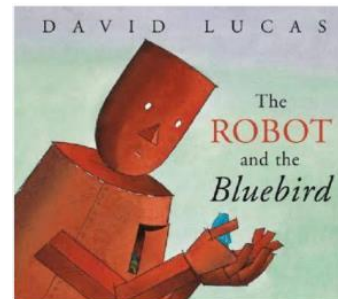


The Three Little Pigs by Axel Scheffler

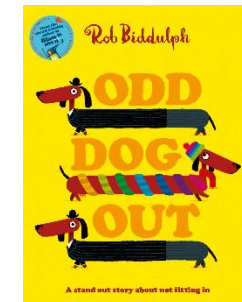
## Complementary texts



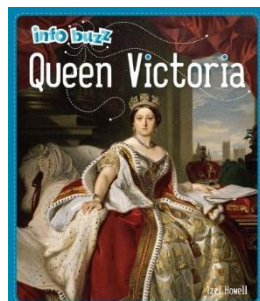
A Street Through Time



The Robot and the Bluebird by David Lucas



Odd Dog Out by Rob Biddulph (PSHE)



Queen Victoria by Izzi Howell



Everyday Materials by Peter Riley



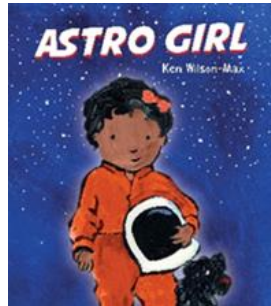
The Puffin Book of Fantastic First Poems by June Crebbin (English)

# Alfred Sutton Reading Spine – Year 2 – Autumn 2



Curriculum focus: Geography – continents and oceans, History- journeys, Science – Animals including

## Core text



Astro Girl by Ken Wilson-Max



Lost and Found by Oliver Jeffers



The Blue Whale by Jenni Desmond

## Complementary texts



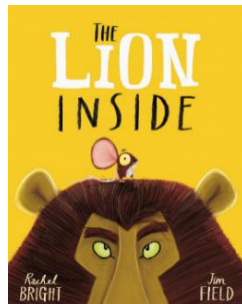
The Pirates Next Door by Johnny Duddle



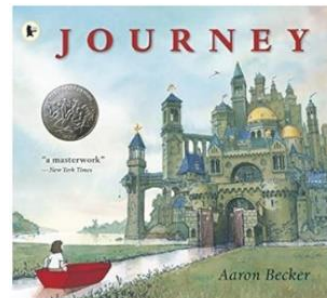
Taking Flight: How the Wright Brothers Conquered the Skies by Adam Hancher



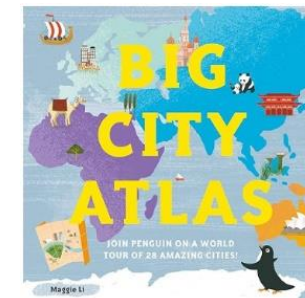
The Big Book of Beasts (NF) by Yuval Zommer



The Lion Inside by Rachel Bright and Jim Field (PSHE)



Journey by Aaron Becker



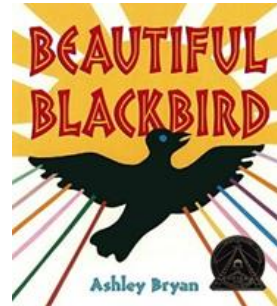
Big City Atlas

# Alfred Sutton Reading Spine – Year 2 – Spring 1



Curriculum focus: Geography – Contrasting Locality: Zambia

## Core text



Beautiful Blackbird by Ashley Bryan

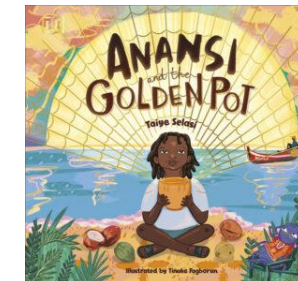
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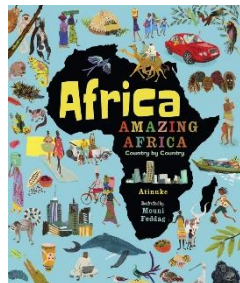
One day on our blue planet: ...in the savannah by Ella Bailey



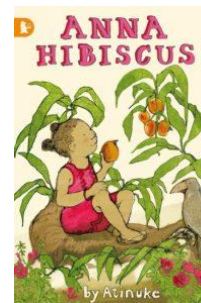
Last Stop on Market Street by Matt de la Peña and Christian Robinson



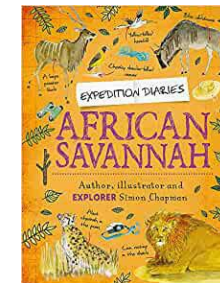
Anansi and the Golden Pot by Taiye Selasi and Tinuke Fagborun



Africa, Amazing Africa: Country by Country by Atinuke and Mouni Feddag



Anna Hibiscus by Atinuke



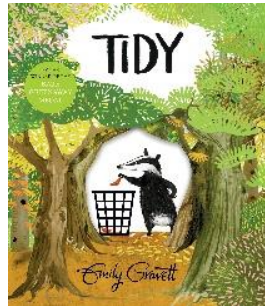
Expedition Diaries: African Savannah by Simon Chapman

# Alfred Sutton Reading Spine – Year 2 – Spring 2



Curriculum focus: Science – Living things and their habitats, History - Monarchy

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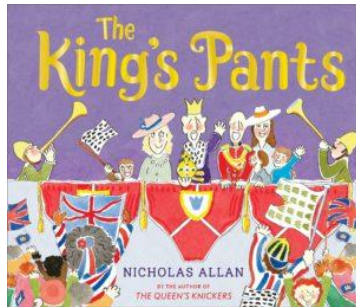


Tidy by Emily Gravett



The Queen's Hat by Steve Antony

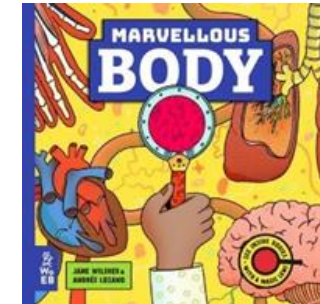
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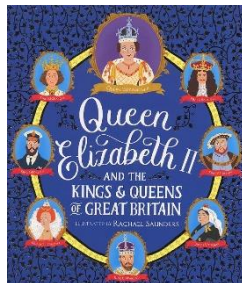
The King's Pants by Nicholas Allan



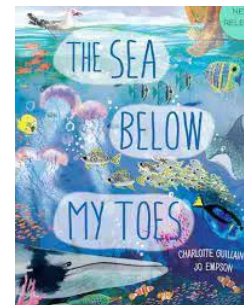
The Paper Bag Princess by Robert Munsch



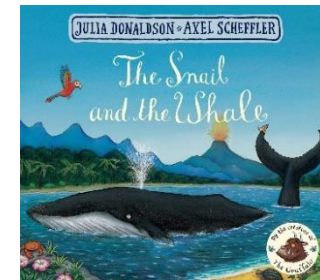
Marvellous Body by Jane Wilsher



#Queen Elizabeth II : and the kings and queens of Great Britain



The Sea Below my Toes by Charlotte Guillain



The Snail and the Whale by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler

# Alfred Sutton Reading Spine – Year 2 – Summer 1



Curriculum focus: History – Trailblazers, Geography – Hot and Cold Places

## Core text



Coming to England by Floella Benjamin

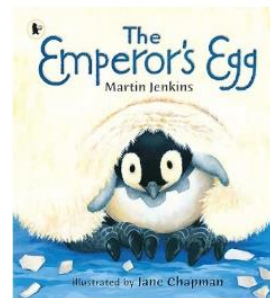


Meerkat Mail by Emily Gravett

## Complementary texts



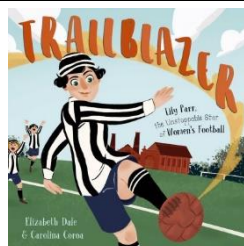
Polar Bear Son by Lydia Dabovich



The Emperor's Egg by Martin Jackson



Jane Goodall by Anita Ganeri and Keiron Ward



Trailblazer: Lily Parr, the unstoppable star of women's football by Elizabeth Dale and Carolina Coroa



Iceberg by Claire Saxby



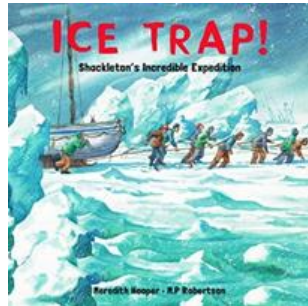
The Last Bear by Hannah Gold and Levi Pinfold

# Alfred Sutton Reading Spine – Year 2 – Summer 2



Curriculum focus: Geography – Antarctica 2024, Science - Plants

## Core texts

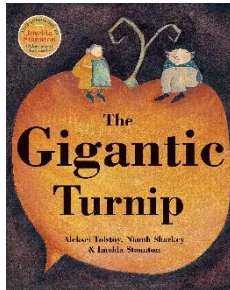


Ice Trap! By Meredith Hooper

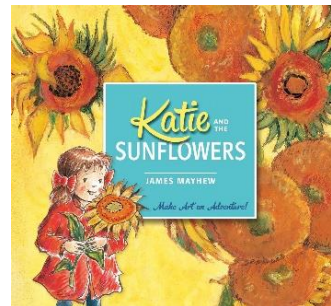


The Girl Who Planted Trees by Caryl Hart

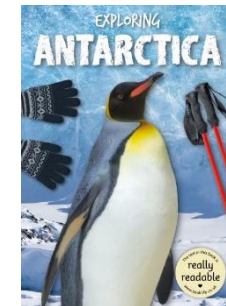
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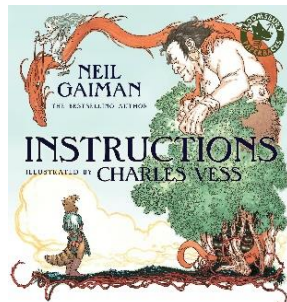
The Gigantic Turnip by Aleksei Tolstoy and Niamh Sharkey



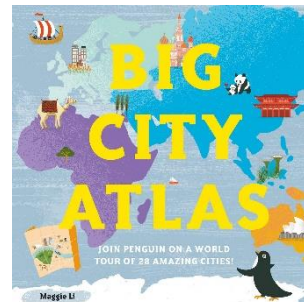
Katie and the Sunflowers by James Mayhew



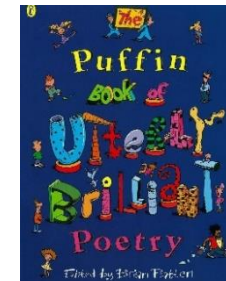
Exploring Antarctica by Shalini Vallepur



Instructions by Neil Gaiman and Charles Vess



Big City Atlas by Maggie Li



The Puffin Book of Utterly Brilliant Poetry by Brian Patten (Poetry)

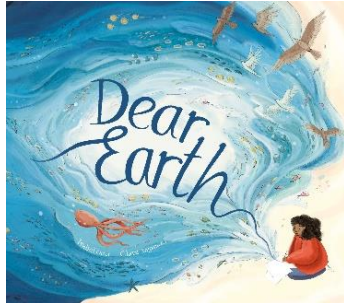
# Alfred Sutton Reading Spine – Year 2 – Class reads



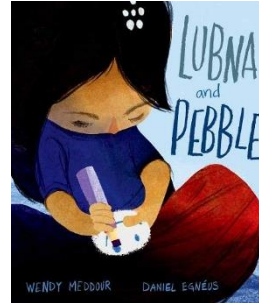
These books have been chosen because they are year group favourites or are listed on recommended year group book lists.

They are to be read during whole class reading slots and are for enjoyment.

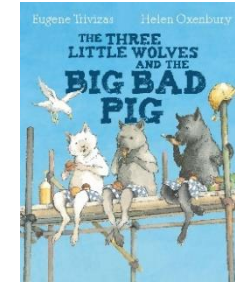
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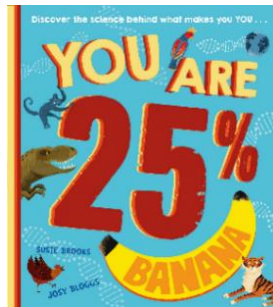
Dear Earth by Isabel Otter and Clara Anganuzzi



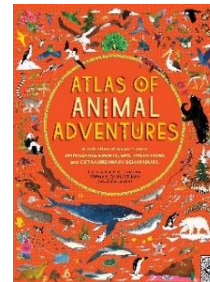
Lubna and Pebble by Wendy Meddour



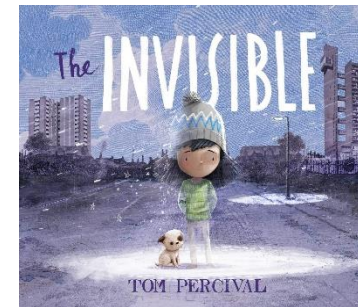
Three Little Wolves And The Big Bad Pig by Eugene Trivizas and Helen Oxenbury



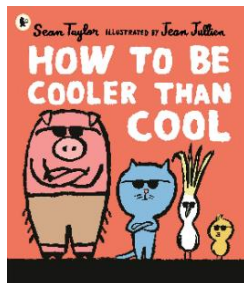
You Are 25% Banana by Susie Brooks and Josy Bloggs



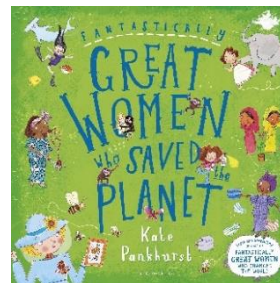
Atlas of Animal Adventures by Rachel Williams and Emily Hawkins



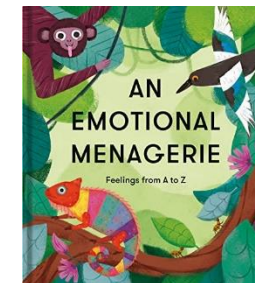
The Invisible by Tom Percival



How to Be Cooler than Cool by Sean Taylor and Jean Jullien



Fantastically Great Women Who Saved the Planet by Kate Pankhurst



An Emotional Menagerie: Feelings from A to Z:  
Feelings from A-Z by The School of Life