Alfred Sutton Reading Spine - Year 6 - Autumn 1

Curriculum focus: Science – animals including humans, Science – electricity, Science – light



Core text



BBC iPlayer - Five Fables - 5. The Fox, the Wolf and the Farmer

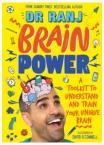


English KS2: Friend or Foe by Michael Morpurgo - BBC Teach

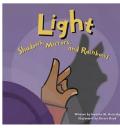


Carrie's War by Nina Bawden BBC Teach

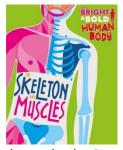
Complementary texts



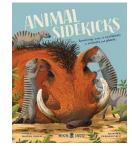
Dr Ranj Brain Power by Dr. Ranj Singh and David O'Connell



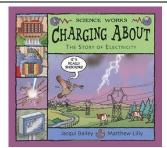
Light: Shadows, Mirrors, and Rainbows by Natalie M Rosinsky and Sheree Boyd



The skeleton and muscles by Sonya Newland and Dan Prescott



Animal Sidekicks by Macken Murphy, Neon Squid and Dragan Kordić



Charging About: The Story of Electricity by Jacqui Bailey



Meet the Microbes! by Dr Emily Grossman and Maggie Li

Alfred Sutton Reading Spine - Year 6 - Autumn 2

Curriculum focus: Science- living things and their habitats, History – WW2



Core text

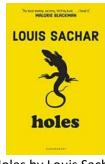


The Machine Gunners

Robert Westall English KS2: The Machine Gunners
BBC Teach



A Christmas Carol Charles Dickens - BBC Teach



Holes by Louis Sachar

Complementary texts



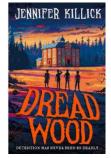
Mohinder's War by Bali Rai



I Go Quiet: David Ouimet by David Ouimet



Woeful Second World War by Terry Deary and Martin Brown



Dread Wood by Jennifer Killick



Arctic Star by Tom Palmer and Tom Clohosy Cole



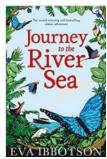
Skyward: Female Pilots of World War Two: The Story of Female Pilots in WW2: by Sally Deng

Alfred Sutton Reading Spine - Year 6 - Spring 1

Curriculum focus: History - WW2, Geography - USA



Core text

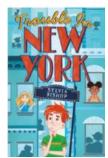


Journey to the River Sea by Eva Ibbotson and Katie Hickey



A Poem for Every Night of the Year by Allie Esiri and Papio Press

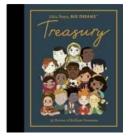
Complementary texts



Trouble in New York by Sylvia Bishop



Kidnap on the California Comet by M. G. Leonard, Sam Sedgman and Elisa Paganelli



Little People, BIG DREAMS: Treasury by Maria Isabel Sanchez Vegara and Lisbeth Kaiser



Front Desk by Kelly Yang



National Parks of the USA by Kate Siber and Chris
Turnham



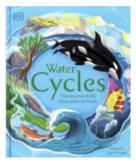
50 Adventures in the 50 States by Kate Siber and Lydia Hill

Alfred Sutton Reading Spine – Year 6 – Spring 2

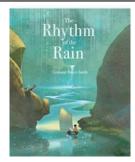
Curriculum focus: Geography - USA, Geography - rivers



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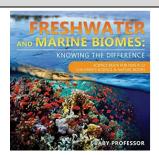


Water cycles by DK



The rhythm of the rain by Grahame Baker-Smith

Complementary texts



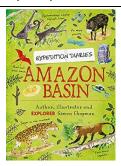
Freshwater and Marine Biomes by Baby Professor



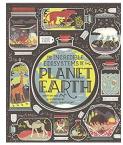
A really short history of nearly everything by Bill Bryson



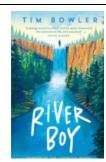
What a Wonderful World by Leisa Stewart-Sharpe and Lydia Hill



Amazon Basin by Simon Chapman



The Incredible Ecosystems of Planet Earth by Rachel Ignotofsky



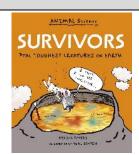
River Boy by Tim Bowler

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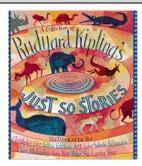
Curriculum focus: Geography – rivers, Science – evolution and inheritance



Core text



Survivors: The Toughest Creatures on Earth by Nicola Davies and Neal Layton

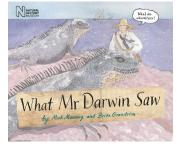


Just So Stories by Rudyard Kipling

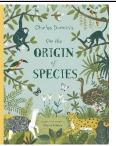
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Killer Plants and Other Green Gunk by Anna Claybourne



What Mr Darwin Saw by Mick Manning and Brita Granström



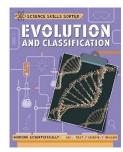
Charles Darwin's on the Origin of Species by Sabina Radeva



Mary Anning's Grewsome Beasts by Deshan Tennekoon



Jurassic Mary: Mary Anning and the Primeval Monsters by Patricia Pierce



Evolution and Classification by Anna Claybourne

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Curriculum focus: Science – evolution and inheritance, History – the Mayan, Geography – global trade



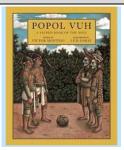
Core texts



Shakespeare's Macbeth for children

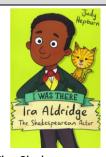


Middleworld (Jaguar Stones) by J&P Voelkel

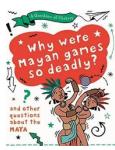


Popol Vuh by Victor Montejo, Luis Garay & David Unger

Complementary texts



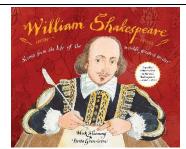
Ira Aldridge: The Shakespearean Actor by Judy Hepburn and Ben Whitehouse



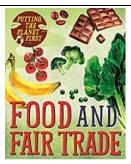
Why were Mayan games so deadly? by Tim Cooke and Matt Lilly



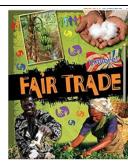
Mayan Civilization by Clare Hibbert



William Shakespeare by Mick Manning and Brita Granström



Food and Fair Trade by Paul Mason



Fair Trade by Jillian Powell

Alfred Sutton Reading Spine – Year 6 – 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.

