

Our Lady & Saint Thomas Catholic School
Class Texts / Story Texts



All named texts are subject to review and may change according to new publications on the market, children's interests or key world events. Where a change is made a teacher will inform the Reading lead and ensure that text is age appropriate..

Year A 2021-22	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Class 1	<p>Autumn 1</p> <p>Our Special and Unique Families</p> <p>The Tiger Who came To Tea (Induction link)</p> <p><i>Author: Shirley Hughes</i></p> <p>* Lucy and Tom at the Seaside * Alfie and his Very Best Friend * Alfie and Grandma * Dogger * Alfie and Annie Rose</p> <p><i>Author: Jill Murphy</i></p> <p>* Five Minutes Peace * A Piece of Cake * Mr Large in charge * A quiet Night In * All in One Piece</p> <p>Autumn 2</p> <p>Inspiring the Imagination</p> <p><i>Author: Julia Donaldson</i></p> <p>* Room on the Broom * The Gruffalo * The Gruffalo's Child * Zog * The Snail and the Whale * The Smartest Giant in Town * Charlie Cook's Favourite Book * The Paper Dolls * Cave Baby * Tyrannosaurus Drip * Sharing a Shell * What the ladybird Heard * What the Ladybird Heard Next</p>	<p>Spring 1</p> <p>Living in a Lighthouse</p> <p><i>Author: Ronda and David Armitage</i></p> <p>*The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch * The Lighthouse Keeper's Rescue * The Lighthouse Keeper's Tea * The Lighthouse Keeper's Cat * The Lighthouse Keeper's Catastrophy * The Lighthouse Keeper's Picnic</p> <p>Spring 2</p> <p>Oh I do like to be beside the seaside!</p> <p><i>Various Authors:</i></p> <p>* The Rainbow Fish - Marcus Pfister * Lucy and Tom at the Seaside - Shirley Hughes * Harry by the Sea - Gene Zion * Sally and the Limpet - Simon James * Little Mermaid - Anna Bowles * When we go Camping - Sally Sutton * Catch me if you Can! - David Styring * Sam who went to sea - Phyllis Root</p>	<p>Summer 1</p> <p>Traditional Tales - various versions</p> <p>* Jack and the Beanstalk * The Magic Porridge Pot * Three Billy Goats Gruff * The Gingerbread Man * Goldilocks * Little Red Riding Hood * Cinderella * Sleeping Beauty * Snow White * The Enormous Turnip * Beauty and the Beast</p> <p>PSED - Behaviour Matters</p> <p>* Lions in a Flap * Elephant learns to Share * Lion's in a Flap * Cheetah learns to play * Giraffe is Left Out * Croc Needs to Wait * Hippo Owns Up * Monkey Needs to Listen * Tiger has a Tantrum * Rhino Learns to be Polite</p> <p>Summer 2</p> <p>Having Adventures</p> <p><i>Author: Ian Whybrow</i></p> <p>* Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs * Harry and the Dinosaurs go to School * Harry and the Robots * Harry and the Dinosaurs have a Happy Birthday * Harry and the Dinosaurs say 'Raahh' * Harry and the Dinosaurs go on Holiday * Harry and the Dinosaurs United * Harry and the Dinosaurs Go Wild * Harry and the Dinosaurs</p>

	<p><i>Rhyming Stories:</i> <i>Author – Giles Andreae</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Farmyard Hullabaloo * Commotion in the Ocean * Mad About Dinosaurs * Mad About Minibeasts * Rumble in the Jungle * Mad About Mega Beasts * ABC Animal Jamboree 		<p>First Sleepover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Harry and the Dinosaurs Go To School * Harry and the Dinosaurs at the Museum
Class 2	<p>Fantastic Mr Fox Winnie the Witch stories Traditional Stories Christmas stories from around the world Christmas poems</p>	<p>Stories about animals Minibeasts - the angry ladybird, the angry wasp Animal poems Magical stories Poems about wizards, dragons</p>	<p>George's Marvellous Medicine Stories from other cultures Anansy Dreamtime stories</p>
Class 3	<p>The Iron Man By Ted Hughs</p> <p>Utterly Me, Clarice Bean By Lauren Child</p> <p>Three Weeks with the Queen By</p>	<p>Cliffhanger by Jaqueline Wilson</p> <p>Ottoline and the Yellow Cat by Chris Ridell</p> <p>The Queen's Nose by DickKing-Smith</p>	<p>The Dragon in the Library By Louis Stowell</p> <p>The Griffin Gate By Vashti Hardy</p>
Class 4	<p>"Durham Folk Tales" Adam Bushnell</p> <p>"The Butterfly Lion" Michael Morpurgo</p> <p>War Poetry (one week)</p>	<p>Shakespeare (Play chosen by RSC)</p> <p>"Krinklekrax" by Philip Ridley</p>	<p>"Kensuke's Kingdom" by Michael Morpurgo</p>
Read Me - A Poem For Every Day Of The Year			
Class 5	<p>Skellig - David Almond (not covered last year due to lockdown)</p> <p>Crater Lake - Jennifer Killick</p>	<p>Darwin's Dragons Lyndsey Galvin</p> <p>Letters from the Lighthouse Emma Carroll</p>	<p>Brightstorm Vashti Hardy</p> <p>The Highland Falcon Thief By M. G. Leonard and Sam Sedgman</p>
Poem of the day to be shared wherever possible with class 5 as well as class novel			

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Class 3	The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane By Kate DiCamillo	Hodgeheg By Dick King-Smith	Varjak Paw By S.F. Said
Class 4	"Holes" by Louis Sachar	Shakespeare (Play chosen by RSC)	"The Boggart" by Susan Cooper
	War Poetry (one week)	"Skellig" by David Almond	Poetry (Charlotte Dymond)
Read Me - A Poem For Every Day Of The Year			
Class 5	Machine Gunners By Robert Westall Letters from the Lighthouse Emma Carroll	Crater Lake Jennifer Killick Brightstorm Vashti Hardy	Darwin's Dragons Lyndsey Galvin