

## Year 5 Whole Class Reading Plans

### Autumn Term

Theme	Links/ Reason	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3
<b>Beetles</b>	Making connections between texts.	Beetles - Non Fiction <a href="#">Text</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Beetle Boy by MG Leonard <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Eleanor Rigby by The Beatles <a href="#">Lesson</a>
<b>Great Openings</b>	Writing techniques. Links between narratives.	The Clockwork Crow by Catherine Fisher <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Storm Keeper's Island by Catherine Doyle <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Cogheart by Peter Bunzl <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Middle Eastern Countries	Geography Current events and knowledge of the world.	The Breadwinner by Deborah Ellis <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Gertrude Bell <a href="#">Text</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Searching For Hidden Beauty Across The Middle East <a href="#">Text</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>
<b>Changing Materials</b>	Year 5 science unit	Chromatography <a href="#">Chromatography</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Heston's Craziest Recipes <a href="#">Heston's Craziest Recipes</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Mentos and Coke <a href="#">Mentos and Coke</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>
<b>Disney Songs</b>	Inference Narrative through songs	I've Got A Dream (Tangled) <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Be Prepared (The Lion King) <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Out There (The Hunchback Of Notre Dame) <a href="#">Lesson</a>
<b>Medieval Monarchs</b>	History	Henry II <a href="#">Text</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>	King Richard and King John <a href="#">Text</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Henry V <a href="#">Text</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>
<b>Energy / Forces</b>	Year 5 science unit	William Kamkwamba <a href="#">Text</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>	How Parachutes Work <a href="#">How Parachutes Work</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>	How Do Solar Panels Work? <a href="#">How Do Solar Panels Work?</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>
<b>Children's Classics: Peter Pan</b>	Connections between texts	Peter Pan by JM Barrie <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Peter Pan by JM Barrie <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Mermaid's Lagoon Literacy Shed Plus <a href="#">Lesson</a>
<b>Notable People</b>	Diversity, representation and inclusion. School Values	The Gauntlet by Karuna Riazi <a href="#">Text</a>	Floodland by Marcus Sedgwick <a href="#">Lesson</a>	

		<a href="#">Lesson</a> (Diversity advocate. International woman's week pre teach).	(Global Warming. Current events. COP26)	
<b>Christmas</b>	Current events. Connections between texts.	The Christmas Tree Ship by Carol Crane  Epic  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	'Twas The Night Before Christmas by Clement Clarke Moore  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens  <a href="#">Lesson</a>

### Spring Term

Space	Science Current Year 5 history Knowledge of world events	Margaret Hamilton  <a href="#">Margaret Hamilton</a>  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Dorothy Vaughan  <a href="#">Dorothy Vaughan</a>  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Jamie Drake Equation by Christopher Edge  <a href="#">Text</a>  <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Notable People Vol 1		Lilian Bader  <a href="#">Text</a>  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Mae Jemison  Epic  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Helen Sharman  <a href="#">Text</a>  <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Kate DiCamillo	Links between texts. Author familiarity.	Flora and Ulysses  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Raymie Nightingale  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Louisiana's Way Home  <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Frank Cottrell Boyce	Links between texts. Author familiarity.	Cosmic  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Unforgotten Coat  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Millions  <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Circuses	Texts on a theme. Making connections between texts.	Leon And The Place Between by Angela McAllister  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Wild Boy by Rob Lloyd Jones  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Wild Boy by Rob Lloyd Jones  <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Picture Books Volume 1		Greenling by Levi Pinfold  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Fantastic Flying Books Of Mr Morris Lessmore by WE Joyce  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Fantastic Flying Books Of Mr Morris Lessmore by WE Joyce  <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Equality	Celebrating diversity, representation and inclusion.	International Women's Day and Clara Zetkin  <a href="#">International Women's Day and Clara Zetkin</a>  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Cesar Chavez  <a href="#">Cesar Chavez</a>  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Youngest Marcher by Cynthia Levinson  <a href="#">Lesson</a>

Novels Volume 2	Author familiarity.	Kick by Mitch Johnson <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Wonder by RJ Palacio <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Street Child by Berlie Doherty <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Songs from Musicals	Inference. Narratives through songs.	A Conversation from Mary Poppins Returns <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Do You Hear The People Sing from Les Misérables <a href="#">Lesson</a>	You Will Be Found from Dear Evan Hansen <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Children's Classics Vol 1	Author familiarity. Wide range of texts and authors.	Around the World in Eighty Days by Jules Verne <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Hobbit by JRR Tolkien <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Jungle Book by Rudyard Kipling <a href="#">Lesson</a>

### Summer Term

Michael Morpurgo	Author familiarity	War Horse <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Private Peaceful <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Kensuke's Kingdom <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Islands	Geography	Leprosy <a href="#">Leprosy</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Island At The End Of Everything by Kiran Millwood Hargrave <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Island by Armin Greder <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Antarctic Explorers	Geography	Shackleton's Journey by William Grill <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Shackleton's Journey by William Grill <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Shackleton's Journey by William Grill <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Novels Volume 1	Author familiarity	The Gauntlet by Karuna Riazi <a href="#">Text</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Floodland by Marcus Sedgwick <a href="#">Lesson</a>	A Girl Called Owl by Amy Wilson <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Picture Books Volume 1	Variety of poems	Greenling by Levi Pinfold <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Fantastic Flying Books Of Mr Morris Lessmore by WE Joyce <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Fantastic Flying Books Of Mr Morris Lessmore by WE Joyce <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Life Cycles	Year 5 Science	Cicada by Shaun Tan <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Circle Of Life <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Life Cycle Of A Butterfly <a href="#">Life Cycle Of A Butterfly</a> <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Nigeria	Geography	Explore Nigeria: 12 Facts (Epic) Facts 1-3	Explore Nigeria: 12 Facts (Epic) Facts 4-6	Poverty by Odimegwu Onwumere

		<a href="#">Lesson</a>	<a href="#">Lesson</a>	<a href="#">Lesson</a>
Poetry Vol 2	Variety of poems Current events History	The Walrus and the Carpenter by Lewis Carroll  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	Do Not Stand At My Grave And Weep by Mary Elizabeth Frye  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	We Refugees by Benjamin Zepheniah  <a href="#">Lesson</a>
Titanic	History	Liverpool's Links To The Titanic  <a href="#">Text</a>  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	RMS Titanic: Information Sheet 41  <a href="#">Text</a>  <a href="#">Lesson</a>	The Unsinkable Molly Brown  <a href="#">Text</a>  <a href="#">Lesson</a>