

English Reading Year 2 Autumn 2



Pathways to Read keys

Mastery keys:

Sessions 1-3	Sessions 4-6
→ Introduce non-fiction books that are structured in different ways	→ Answer and ask questions

→ Predict

Predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far (1e)

→ Clarify vocabulary

Discuss and clarify the meaning of words, linking new meanings to known vocabulary (1a)

→ Read and retrieve

Answer and ask questions (1b)

→ Read and explain:

Discuss their favourite words and phrases (1a)

Answer and ask questions (1b)

Introduce non-fiction books that are structured in different ways (1b)

Discuss the sequence of events in books and how items of information are related (1c)

Make inferences on the basis of what is being said and done (1d)

Vocabulary

Week 1: surface, climate, predators, species, organism, molluscs, wingspan, translucent, crustaceans, camouflaged, demersal, hues.

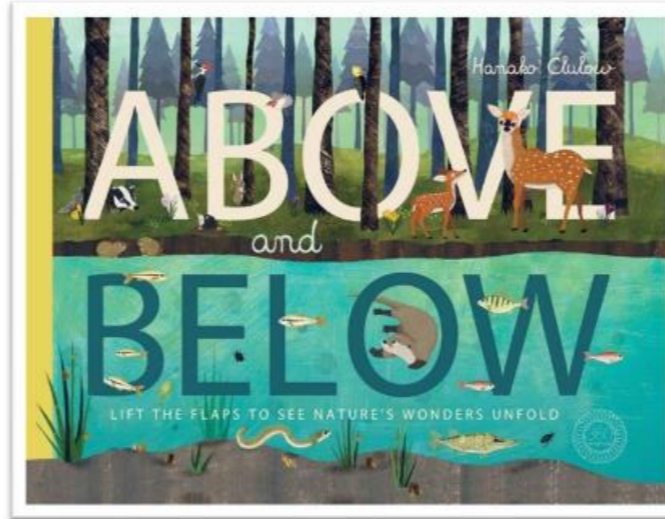
Week 2: Ice burg, ice floe, snowy owl, arctic fox, walrus, polar bear, ermine, snow goose, porpoise, narwhal, orca, planktonic copepod, harp seal, arctic cod, humpback whale, absorb, adept, aquatic, collision, expand, float, formation glaciers, grooves, migrate, masses, nocturnal, northernmost, plankton planktonic, polar regions, temperatures

Week 3: valuable, protect, appearance, shallow, declining, illegal, vertical, creatures, shelter, produced, habitat

Week 4: mountainous, areas, fierce, hunters, evergreen, shrub, perfect, hideout natural, warmth, secretive, species, dormant, state, excellent, tree climbers, echolocation

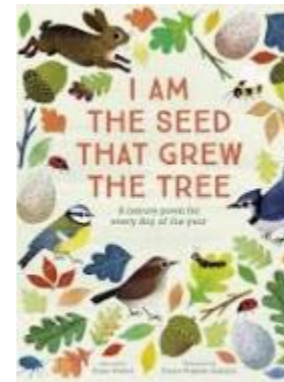
Week 5: pods, blowholes, blubber, erosion, weathering, remote, isolated, colonies, blooms, co-existing, thrive, burrows, bills, shovel, fungus, alga, sea ledge, conical, resistance, drab

Week 6: woody, vegetation, insects, toadstool, roots, soil, earthworms, holes, antlers, grass, nuts, seeds, hibernate, trunk



Additional texts:

Five Little Owls by Anonymous (from *I am the Seed that Grew the Tree* by Fiona Waters)



Word reading opportunities in this unit of work (a selection from the text):

- Read accurately most words of two or more syllables: cover, surface, major, climate, weather, underwater, remains, plenty, discover, translucent, produce, variety, return, necessary, re-grow, below, sociable, communicate, albatross, wingspan, without, octopus, colour, pattern, texture, master, disguise, demersal, mucus, animal, northernmost, middle, Arctic, winter, migrate, special, survive, contrast, broken, away, Atlantic, Antarctic, contain, number, snowy, unlike, nocturnal, active, tunnel, survive, walrus, capable, heartbeat, withstand, polar, under, absorb, summer, reddish, almost, formation, reduce, collision, marine, adept, swimmer, nicknamed, unicorn, famous, humpback, expand, aquatic, freshwater, often, caravan, female, valuable, shelter, acorn, until, around, among, vertical, protect, shallow, willow, either, become, slippery, dragonfly, sideways, dorsal, spiny, second, despite, appearance, illegal, lateral, territorial, habitat, colonise, distinctive, noisy, across, distance, appearance, hummingbird, rapid, adaptable, themselves, rocky, mountain, perfect, hideout, secretive, environment, evergreen, poisonous, attract, salamander, timber, ability, excellent, dormant, body, summer, popular, blowholes, blubber, very, clever, certain, resistant, erosion, shovel, unlike, single, majority, rocky, organism, woody, vegetation, tiny, insects, ruminant, toadstool, fleshy, fungus, effective, deterrent, regrows, maximum, incubates, interwoven, robin, member, badgers, favourite, earthworms, hibernate, supply, underground, annuli, consume, nutrients, sociable, complex, social, structure, colony, burrow, warren,
- Read most words containing common suffixes: oceans, systems, unexplored, reefs, millions, years, organisms, actually, hues, billions, colourful, coconuts, species, fruits, females, hatching, babies, living, brains, limbs, evolved, escaping, predators, dolphins, creatures, squeaks, whistles, largest, resting, surroundings, hundreds, suitably, camouflaged, predators, threatened, anemones, crustaceans, molluscs, trapping, flowing, temperatures, climates, developed, features, floes, masses, moving, icebergs, glaciers, shelves, normally, regions, foxes, burrows, slowing, freezing, rays, months, completely, smallest, mammals, flattened, spending, relatively, feeding, powerful, narwhals, heads, grows, grooves, allowing, rivers, streams, slowly, confused, larger, longer, tipped, called, lilies, moving, providing, reaches, largely, reaching, fastest, growing, entrances, tadpoles, fully, webbed, swimming, walking, dragonflies, helicopters, reptiles, mussels, declining, fishing, mainly, distinguished, chasing, screeches, including, chuckles, gobbling, squirrels, covered, feathers, giving, beating, extremely, eating, bigger, riddled, crannies, naturally, careful, bushes, butterflies, easily, vibrations, climbers, using, specially, adapted, divided, toothed, layers, shelled, usually, formed, weathering, isolated, designed, existing, coming, unlikely, nesting, providing, obtaining, minerals, shaped, curling, leaving, exposed, varies, annually, reaching, preferring, curved, enabling, quickly, adjoining, tunnels, segments, extracting,
- Read most common exception words: water, both, hour(s), many, wild, move(s), (every)body, any, because, find, break, only, (some)where, kind(s), every, plant, whole, grass, eye(s), even, most, fast(est), move

Book Review

Which parts did you like the best?

Would you recommend it to a friend? Why?