Laygate Community School Literacy Spine					
	Year 3	Autumn Term			
	Text	Genres covered	Intended Learning Outcomes		
Fiction	Lion	Fables 'The Lion and the Mouse' by Jerry Pinkney 'The Lion Inside' by Rachel Bright	To identify and discuss main characters, evaluate their behaviour and justify views.		
	TORTOISE TOR	'The Hare and the Tortoise' by Brian Wildsmith 'Tortoise vs the Hare – The Rematch' by Preston Rutt	To write portraits of characters, using story text to describe behaviour and characteristics.		
	Snow	Traditional tales 'The Snow Queen' by Lucy M. George	Plan stories orally; explore moral dilemmas for characters using drama.		
Non-Fiction	Emperors Egg Marte Jenkin Penguins Penguins	Information Texts & Non-chronological Reports 'The Emperor's Egg' by Martin Jenkins Usborne beginners: 'Penguins' by Emily Bone	Use notes to write an effectively organised non-chronological report		
Poetry	POETRY WERE REY STAGE 2 WARTS 3 and 4	Performance Poetry 'The Marrog' by RC Scriven	To use humorous verse as a structure for children to write their own by adaptation, mimicry or substitution. To select, prepare, read aloud and recite by heart poetry that plays with language or entertains.		
Other		Disney cartoon 'Silly Symphony the Tortoise and The Hare' https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xglt9 K24r40	To investigate different versions of the same story in print or on film.		

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	Year 3	Spring Term			
	Text	Genres covered	Intended Learning Outcomes		
Fiction	STONE AGE BOY SATOSHE KITAMURA	'Stone Age Boy' by Satoshi Kitamura	Write stories that have a problem and resolution and are organised into paragraphs using adverbs of time. Include description of a setting and characters.		
Non-Fiction	HOW TO WASH A WOOLLY MAMMOTH	Instructions 'How to wash a Woolly Mammoth' by Michelle Robinson & Kate Hindley	Independently write clear written instructions using correct register and devices to aid the reader.		
Poetry	POER Heart Hairy Toe	'The Hairy Toe' Traditional Poems – Native American	To read and prepare poems for performance To write new or extended verses based on a familiar poem		
		Performance Poetry 'The Three-headed Dog' by Clare Bevan			
Other		The Story of Britain BBC Teach Class Clips https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips- video/history-ks2-the-story-of-britain/zj4r7nb	Research factual information to help plan stories in a historical setting.		

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	Year 3	Summer Term			
	Text	Genres covered	Intended Learning Outcomes		
Fiction	GREGORY COOL CAROLINE BINCH	Stories from other cultures 'Gregory Cool' by Caroline Binch	Include dialogue to set the scene and present characters. Discuss writing models similar to those they will use in their own writing to learn from its structure grammar and vocabulary.		
Non-Fiction	BIC BIC WHY Tortle, Tortle, Watch Outl Watch Outl Watch Outl Watch Outl Watch Outl Watch Outl	Explanations 'Little Kids First Big Book of Why' by Amy Shields Animals (Ask Dr K. Fisher) by Claire Llewellyn 'Endangered Sea Turtles/Elephants' (Earth's Endangered Animals) by Bobbie Kalman 'Turtle, Turtle, Watch Out!' by April Pulley Sayre	In formal presentations, explain processes orally using notes. Write a series of extended sentences to explain a process		
Poetry	Hot Like Fire Other Poor	Poetry from other cultures & traditions 'Hot Like Fire & Other Poems' by Valerie Bloom	To discuss how a poet uses rhythm and rhyme. To explore the use of dialect in poetic forms.		
Other	Coming to England	The Children's Poetry Archive – Valerie Bloom https://childrens.poetryarchive.org/poet/valerie- bloom/ CLPE – Poetry Line – Valerie Bloom https://clpe.org.uk/poetryline/poets/bloom-valerie 'Coming to England' by Floella Benjamin The Windrush Generation https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/43793769	To discuss how a poet uses rhythm and rhyme. To explore the use of dialect in poetic forms. Explore an author's own experiences to plan a poem.		