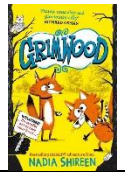
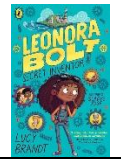
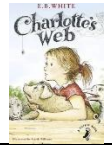
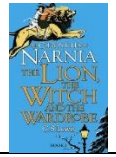
KS2 Reading Curriculum: Safeguarding, British Values and Protected Characteristics Mapping

Term	Text	Main Safeguarding Themes	Key Safeguarding Messages	British Values Links	Protected Characteristics Links
Autumn 1	Grimwood 	Friendship, belonging, resilience, adapting to change	Good friends support one another through difficult situations; adapting positively to change helps us grow.	**Mutual Respect** and **Tolerance** through accepting others and working together despite differences.	Indirect link through inclusion, acceptance and valuing difference.
Autumn 1	Leonora Bolt 	Self-esteem, aspirations, resilience, positive role models	Believe in your abilities, persevere through setbacks and use your talents positively.	**Individual Liberty** through pursuing ambitions and expressing individuality.	Challenges stereotypes around interests, talents and achievement.
Autumn 2	The Wild Robot 	Belonging, empathy, emotional wellbeing, community, environmental awareness	Kindness, empathy and cooperation help us build positive relationships and communities.	**Mutual Respect**, **Tolerance** and **Individual Liberty** through accepting differences and contributing to a community.	Indirect links to inclusion, diversity and acceptance of those who may seem different.
Spring 1	How to Train Your Dragon 	Friendship, courage, anti-bullying, understanding differences	People should not be judged on appearances or assumptions; understanding others leads to stronger relationships.	**Mutual Respect**, **Tolerance** and **Individual Liberty** through challenging prejudice and making independent choices.	Promotes respect for difference and challenges stereotypes.
Spring 2	Charlotte's Web 	Friendship, loss, emotional wellbeing, kindness, empathy	Caring relationships are important; kindness and loyalty can make a significant difference to others.	**Mutual Respect** and **Tolerance** through valuing others and showing compassion.	Indirect link through promoting respect, empathy and inclusion.
Summer 1	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe 	Courage, resilience, family relationships, making responsible choices	Standing up for what is right requires courage; choices have consequences and can affect others.	**Individual Liberty**, **Rule of Law** and **Mutual Respect** through moral decision-making and responsibility.	Indirect link through discussing fairness, justice and respect for others.