



PARKDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Autumn Term Reading Spine

The intent of this reading spine is to provide a list of books that staff apply to their long-term plans. These books are used as class reads when reading for pleasure and to support new learning. The intention is that by the time the children at Parkdale Primary School reach year 6 and beyond, they will have developed a wide and rich vocabulary, a broader knowledge of the world and a passion for reading.



EYFS

Nursery Reading Spine	
Class Texts	Whole Class Shared Reading Texts/ Reading for Pleasure
<u>Super You!</u> – Anne Kennedy Brady	<u>Funny Bones</u> - Allan Ahlberg
<u>The Colour Monster Goes To School</u> – Anna Llenas	<u>Elmer</u> –David Mckee
<u>Monkey Puzzle</u> - Julia Donaldson	<u>Ruby's Worry</u> – Tom Percival
<u>The Leaf Thief</u> –Alice Hemming	<u>Pick A Pumpkin</u> - Patricia Toht
<u>Pumpkin Soup</u> - Helen Cooper	Rhyming Stories
<u>Dear Santa</u> - Rod Campbell	Stories About Celebrations Around The World
<u>The Gruffalo</u> - Julia Donaldson	
<u>Binny's Diwali</u> -Thrity Umrigar	

Reception Reading Spine	
Class Texts	Whole Class Shared Reading Texts/ Reading for Pleasure
<u>Starting School</u> – Allan Ahlberg	<u>Paddington Bear Stories</u> - Michael Bond
<u>Shine</u> - Sarah Asuquo	<u>Spot The Dog Stories</u> - Eric Hill
<u>Peace at Last</u> – Jill Murphy	Rhyming and Alliteration Stories
<u>Little Robin Red Vest</u> –Jan Fearnley	Julia Donaldson Texts
<u>Nativity</u> –Fiona Watt	



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Year 1 Reading Spine	
Class Texts	Whole Class Shared Reading Texts/ Reading for Pleasure
Beegu – Alexis Deacon	Julia Donaldson Texts
The Everywhere Bear - Julia Donaldson	Lost and Found - Oliver Jeffers
The House That Once Was – Julie Fogliano	
The Word Collector -Peter H. Reynolds	

Year 2 Reading Spine	
Class Texts	Whole Class Shared Reading Texts/ Reading for Pleasure
The Boy, The Mole, The Fox and The Horse - Charlie Mackesy	Have You Filled a Bucket Today? - Carol McCloud
Odd Dog Out - Rob Biddulph	Prince Cinders - Babette Cole
Zaha Hadid –Maria Isabel Sanchez Vergara	Amelia Earhart - Maria Isabel Sanchez Vergara
	Ada Lovelace - Maria Isabel Sanchez Vergara



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Year 3 Reading Spine	
Class Texts	Whole Class Shared Reading Texts/ Reading for Pleasure
There's a Pharaoh In Our Bath! – Jeremy Strong	The Secrets of a Sun King - Emma Carroll
Romans on a Rampage – Jeremy Strong	A Mummy Ate My Homework - Thiago de Moraes
A range of nonfiction texts covering the Ancient Egyptians and Romans.	Julius Zebra: Entangled with the Egyptians! – Gary Northfield
	Julius Zebra: Rumble with the Romans! – Gary Northfield
	How Winston Delivered Christmas – Alex T. Smith
	How Winston Came Home for Christmas – Alex T. Smith
	The Christmasaurus – Tom Fletcher

Year 4 Reading Spine	
Class Texts	Whole Class Shared Reading Texts/ Reading for Pleasure
The Boy Who Grew Dragons - Andy Shepherd	Dare To Be Different - Ben Brooks
Star Boy – David Bowie	You Are Awesome - Matthew Syed
Boy – Roald Dahl	You Are A Champion - Marcus Rashford
Robin Hood Comics	The Creakers -Tom Fletcher
Robin Hood Stories	Here We Are - Oliver Jeffers
Autobiographies – Nottingham Famous People	
Can I Build Another Me? - Shinsuke Yoshitake	
The Boy With A Pink Shadow - Scott Stuart	



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Year 5 Reading Spine	
Class Texts	Whole Class Shared Reading Texts/ Reading for Pleasure
Windrush Child - Benjamin Zephaniah	Range of Poetry - Benjamin Zephaniah, John Agard
The Undefeated - Kwane Alexander	Diary Accounts of Slavery: Mary Prince, Olaudah Equiano, Speeches and Protests Based on Diversity
We Rise, We Resist, We Raise our Voices – Wade Hudson	Sunflower Sisters - Monika Singh Gangotra
I am Malala – Malala Yousafzai	Forgotten Fairytales of Kindness and Courage - Various Authors
We Are All Born Free – Amnesty International	We Sang Across the Sea: The Empire Windrush and Me - Benjamin Zephaniah
The Explorer –Katherine Rundell	If I Were the World - Mark Sperring
	Earth Heroes - Lily Dyu
	Young Gifted and Black - Jamia Wilson
	Black and British - David Olusoga

Year 6 Reading Spine	
Class Texts	Whole Class Shared Reading Texts/ Reading for Pleasure
Wonder - R.J.Palacio	The Nowhere Emporium – Ross MacKenzie
Can I Build Another Me? - Shinsuke Yoshitake	Range of Inspirational People Books (Little People, Big Dreams)
Shakespeare Plays	
Little Leaders Visionary Women Around the World – Vashti Harrison	

