

English Curriculum Through Quality Texts Overview

Big Writing Missions	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Mission 1	Can't You Sleep, Little Bear? By Martin Waddell	Katie in London By James Mayhew	The Abominables By Eva Ibbotson	Superhero Street By Phil Earle and Sara Ogilvie	When the Sky Falls By Phil Earle	-The Island By Armin Greder -Eye of the Wolf By Daniel Pennac
Mission 2	Lost and Found By Oliver Jeffers	The Whole Truth and Penny Dreadful and the Rat By Joanna Nadin	After the Fall: How Humpty Dumpty Got Back Up Again By Dan Santat	The Great Kapok Tree By Lynne Cherry	Tom's Midnight Garden By Philippa Pearce, Susan Einzig	Skellig By David Almond -Once By Morris Gleitzman
Mission 3	-Beegu By Alexis Deacon -Man on the moon By Simon Bartram	Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Book? By Lauren Child	The Wild Robot By Peter Brown	Cakes in Space By <u>Philip Reeve</u>	-Plague By John Farndon -Plague A Cross on the Door Written By Ann Turnbull	Pig-heart Boy By Malorie Blackman
Mission 4	-Little Red and the Very Hungry Lion By Alex T. Smith -Good Little Wolf By Nadia Shireen	-The Pirates of Scurvy Sands By Johnny Duddle -The Pirate Pie Ship By Adam and Charlotte Guillain -Pirate School: Just a Bit of Wind By Jeremy Strong	Dragons at Crumbling Castle: And Other Stories By Terry Pratchett	Christophe's Story By Nikki Cornwell, Karin Littlewood	The Girl Who Speaks Bear By Sophie Anderson	Wordsmith- Fantastic, Funny, Frightening (A collection of short stories)
Mission 5	-Message in a bottle by Tom Percival -Message in a bottle By Matt Hunt -Dougal's Deep-Sea Diary By Simon Bartram	The Robot and the Bluebird By David Lucas.	The Literacy Shed - The Dragon Slayer	The Spiderwick Chronicles By Tony DiTerlizzi and Holly Black	-Clockwork – All Wound Up By Philip Pullman -Oranges in No Man's Land By Elizabeth Laird	Shakespeare English KS2 / KS3: Shakespeare in Shorts - BBC Teach -Tales from Shakespeare (As told by Marcia Williams)