



## Upper KS2 – Year 5 and 6 – Cycle B 2022-2023

Term	Texts	Written Outcomes	Extended Outcome	Cross-curricular links
Autumn 1a	The Arrival <i>by Shauna Tan</i>	Letters, list of rules, character descriptions, diaries, short playscripts, short report, guides	Extended own version narrative	
	The Lost Happy Endings <i>by Carol Ann Duffy and Jane Ray</i>	Newspaper report, an extended response to a text	Prequel- alternative perspective	
Autumn 1b	Anne Frank <i>by Josephine Poole</i>	Letters, short descriptions, extended diary entries, obituary, optional opinion piece	Newspaper article	History – World War II (Autumn 1B)
	Hidden Figures: The True Story of Four Black Women and the Space Race <i>by Margot Lee Shetterly and Laura Freeman</i>	Non-chronological Reports, formal persuasive letter, informal letter, diary entry, character descriptions, newspaper report (opinion piece)	Memoir of Dorothy Vaughan	Black History Month
Spring 2a	The Invention of Hugo Cabret <i>by Brian Selznick *book and film</i>	Diary entry, journalistic writing, flashback narrative, speech, discussion, letter, film critique	Biography	
	The Odyssey <i>by Gillian Cross</i>	Speeches (proclamation, persuasive, soliloquy), diary entry, dialogue, missing scene, postcard, advertisement	Epic adventure story	History/DT – Ancient Greece (Spring 2B)
Spring 2b	Romeo and Juliet <i>by Williams Shakespeare, Helen Street and Charly Cheung *book and film</i>	Diaries, letters, narratives, character descriptions, balanced argument	Playscript	
Summer 3a	King Kong <i>by Anthony Browne</i>	Job descriptions, informal letters, writing 'in the style of...', letters of advice	Newspaper report	
	The Promise <i>by Nicola Davies</i>	Experimentation with figurative language, report	Sequel to continue the cyclical story	
Summer 3b	The Lost Thing <i>by Shaun Tan *book and film</i>	Diary entries, formal letters, adverts, character and setting descriptions, nonchronological reports	Own version fantasy narrative	
	Some Places More than Others <i>by Renee Watson</i>	Letters, diaries, information leaflets, instructions	Poetry	