## **English Teaching**







YEAR R Reading & Writing Genre Spine

**AUTUMN TERM - 2023 - 24** 

## Year R - Reading and Writing Spine - Autumn







Year R	Autumn 1	Autumn 2
Text	Who Are You?	Lost and Found  Lost and Found  by Oliver Jeffers
	Themes: Identity, starting a new journey, making friends, being yourself, being unique and special.	Themes: Loneliness, friendship, appreciation, journeys.
Key	Unique, identity, family, community,	Penguin, lost, found, disappointment, South Pole,
Vocabular	adventure, play, occasions, world, opinions,	harbour, rowboat, weather, home.
у	likes and dislikes.	
Writing	To write initial sounds matched to an image.	To spell words using phonics knowledge.
Outcomes		
Poetry	Silly soup to support phonics knowledge.	I'm a Little Penguin.
Text	The Worrysaurus	Elmer in the Snow

	Workysaurus  Themes: Anxiety, facing fears, "what if's", coping with challenging emotions	Themes: Hot and cold, diversity between friends and communities, identity, tolerance
Key Vocabular y	Worry, anxiety, scared, planning, overthinking, special,	Cold, snow, fun, play, trick, frozen.
Writing Outcomes	To write initial sounds matched to an image.	To spell words using phonics knowledge.
Poetry	Silly soup to support phonics knowledge.	Five Little Snowmen.
Text	Elmer  Themes: diversity between friends and communities, identity, tolerance	Stick Man  Stick Man  Stick Man  Themes: Christmas, seasons, overcoming challenges, new adventures, family and their importance.
Key Vocabular y	Different, colourful, unique, jokes, celebrate, parade.	Family, lost, beware, home, frolicking, lonely, safe.

Writing	To write initial sounds matched to an image.	To spell words using phonics knowledge.
Outcomes	To begin writing phonetically plausible	
	words.	
Poetry	Silly soup to support phonics knowledge.	Breezy Weather from The Poetry Basket.
Text	Handa's Surprise	The Nativity  THE STORY OF BARY JESUS  May Ellor  May E
	<u>Themes:</u> making connections with our own lives and experiences, friendship, stealing	Themes: the Christian message of the birth of Jesus the Son of God, born in humble surroundings, the triumph of good over evil
Key	Different, colourful, unique, jokes, celebrate,	Christianity, birth, manger, donkey, star, angel,
Vocabular	parade.	shepherd, wise men, God.
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Writing	To write initial sounds matched to an image.	To spell words using phonics knowledge.
Outcomes	To begin writing phonetically plausible words.	
Poetry	Silly soup to support phonics knowledge.	Christmas Lights – Little Learning Corner
Half	Jack and the Beanstalk, The Little Red Hen,	The Three Little Pigs, The Three Billy Goats Gruff, Little
termly	Goldilocks and the Three Bears	Red Riding Hood

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