



**Federation of Holy Trinity Church of England Schools**  
**English writing and guided reading units overview 2024 - 2025**

Year	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Nursery	Year A & B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Super Duper You</li> <li>• Colour Monster</li> <li>• Eyes, Nose, Ears and Toes</li> <li>• Once there were Giants</li> <li>• We're Going on a Leaf Hunt</li> </ul>	Year B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Topsy and Tim: Meet the Police</li> <li>• When You're Fast Asleep, Who Works at Night-Time</li> <li>• Busy Day Firefighter</li> <li>• Ness the Nurse</li> <li>• We're Going on an Elf Chase</li> </ul>	Year B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ketchup on your Cornflakes</li> <li>• Off to Market</li> <li>• Hats, Hats, Hats</li> <li>• Mrs Honey's Hat</li> <li>• When Jelly had a Wobble</li> </ul>	Year B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Teddy Bear's Picnic</li> <li>• Goldilocks and the Three Bears</li> <li>• We're Going on an Egg Hunt</li> </ul>	Year B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Luna Loves Gardening</li> <li>• Eco Girl</li> <li>• Ten Seeds</li> <li>• The Very Hungry Caterpillar</li> <li>• My World, Your World</li> </ul>	Year B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Amazing Airplanes</li> <li>• The train Ride</li> <li>• 'Peek! A Thai Hide-and-Seek – Dim Sum for Everyone!</li> </ul>
	<b>Writing units/texts</b>			<b>Guided Reading units/texts</b>		
	<b>Autumn</b>	<b>Spring</b>	<b>Summer</b>	<b>Autumn</b>	<b>Spring</b>	<b>Summer</b>
Reception	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dear Zoo</li> <li>• People who help us</li> <li>• Brown Bear, Brown Bear what can you see?</li> <li>• Whatever Next</li> <li>• The Gingerbread Man</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How to catch a Star</li> <li>• Little Kids first big book of Dinosaurs - National Geographic</li> <li>• Owl Babies</li> <li>• Goldilocks and the three bears</li> <li>• Tadpole to frog</li> <li>• Lost and Found</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bears Don't Eat Egg Sandwiches</li> <li>• Dear Dinosaur</li> <li>• Sam Plants a Sunflower</li> <li>• The Ugly Vegetables</li> <li>• The Big Book of Bugs</li> <li>• The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch</li> </ul>	Little Wandle Reading Practice Sessions		
Y1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How Do You Feel? (nf)</li> <li>• Oi Frog! (f)</li> <li>• The Train Ride (p)</li> <li>• The High Street (f)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Boa's Bad Birthday (f)</li> <li>• Bonkers about Beetroot (f)</li> <li>• Hidden World: Ocean (nf)</li> <li>• Zim Zam Zoom (p)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Book of Hopes (f)</li> <li>• I Love Bugs (p)</li> <li>• Stella &amp; the Seagull (nf)</li> <li>• How to Hide a Lion at School (f)</li> </ul>	Little Wandle Reading Practice Sessions		
Y2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Little Red Riding Hood (f)</li> <li>• How to wash a woolly mammoth (nf)</li> <li>• No-Bot (f)</li> <li>• Mrs Armitage and the Big Wave (f)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ellsworth's Extraordinary Ears (p)</li> <li>• The Boy Who Cried Ninja (f)</li> <li>• A Dog's Day (f)</li> <li>• ?? Wanted: The Perfect Pet (f)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Disgusting Sandwich (f)</li> <li>• A First Poetry Book (p)</li> <li>• Amelia Earhart (nf)</li> <li>• Mae Jemison (nf)</li> </ul>	Little Wandle Reading Practice Sessions	Little Wandle Fluency Programme Reading Practice Sessions	
Y3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meerkat Mail (f)</li> <li>• Cinderella of the Nile (f)</li> <li>• Myth Atlas (f)</li> <li>• Mog's Christmas Calamity (f)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Works Poetry (p)</li> <li>• Rocks (nf)</li> <li>• A Walk in London (nf)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• An Anthology of Intriguing Animals (nf)</li> <li>• Arthur and the Golden Rope (f)</li> <li>• What a Waste (nf)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Book of Hopes - Wherever a flower blooms, Hope Hunter, The Seed, Bird</li> <li>• The Tunnel</li> <li>• The Pea and the Princess</li> <li>• Mog's Christmas Calamity</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pebble in my Pocket</li> <li>• Amazing Animal Journeys</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Arthur and the Golden Rope</li> <li>• Tropical Rainforests – Amazing Habitats</li> <li>• Ask Dr Fisher</li> </ul>
Y4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lost Happy Endings (f)</li> <li>• Penguins (nf)</li> <li>• Blue John (f)</li> <li>• Fantastically Great Women who Changed the World (nf)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Paddington Goes to Town (f)</li> <li>• Marvin &amp; Milo (nf)</li> <li>• The Day The Crayons Quit (nf)</li> <li>• A River (p)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Flotsam (f)</li> <li>• Poetry Pie (p)</li> <li>• Paper Bag Prince (f)</li> <li>• The Dictionary of Difficult Words (nf)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Squishy McFluff and the Invisible Cat</li> <li>• The Iron Man</li> <li>• Weeds</li> <li>• The Penguin In Lost Property</li> <li>• The Frozen Man</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vikings – A Question Of History</li> <li>• Julian Stories: The Pudding Like a Night on the Sea</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Hodgeheg</li> <li>• Charlotte's Web</li> <li>• Author study</li> </ul>
Y5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Incredible Edibles (nf)</li> <li>• Hansel and Gretel (f)</li> <li>• Ripley's Believe It or Not! Mighty Machines (nf)</li> <li>• Bethlehem (p)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Beowulf (f)</li> <li>• Shackleton's Journey (nf)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Varjak Paw (f)</li> <li>• Our Planet (nf)</li> <li>• Cloud Busting (p)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cool!</li> <li>• Hidden Figures</li> <li>• When we were Warriors</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Shackleton's Journey</li> <li>• The Promise</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Journey to the River Sea</li> <li>• The Viewer</li> </ul>
Y6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Eats, Shoots and Leaves (nf)</li> <li>• Women In Science (nf)</li> <li>• Merlin (f)</li> <li>• Christmas Tales (f)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 101 things to do to become a superhero! (nf)</li> <li>• Volcanoes (nf)</li> <li>• Earth Verse (p)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Paraphernalia (f)</li> <li>• Kensuke's Kingdom – Narrative and Newspaper (f/nf)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Sky Bots</li> <li>• The Fib (The Long Walk)</li> <li>• The Giant's Necklace</li> <li>• A Drove of Bullocks</li> <li>• The Snow Queen</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Lion, The Witch &amp; The Wardrobe</li> <li>• Mr William Shakespeare's Plays</li> <li>• Guess</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kensuke's Kingdom</li> <li>• Mushrooms and related poems by Sylvia Plath</li> </ul>
				NYCC Reading programme 2024/25 from Jan 2025		