

Reception Topic and Big Book Matrix

2017-2018

	Topic	Big Book for Shared Reading		Stories
Autumn 1	All About Me	My five senses(NF) Sharing a Shell Funny Bones Good day/Bad Day(PSED) The senses (NF)		Avocado Baby Marvellous Me My Family Don't do that What I like about me My mum and dad make me laugh All kinds of bodies (NF)
Autumn 2	Food	Handa's Surprise The Sandwich that Max made Breakfast (NF) Food for festivals (NF) First cookbook (NF) The Big Hungry Bear Eating (NF)		Hungry Hen Eat your peas Oliver's fruit/veg Oliver's milkshake The lighthouse keepers lunch Mr Wolfs pancakes Giant Sandwich
Spring 1	Transport/Journeys	The Train Ride Room on a Broom Mr Gumpy's outing Wheels, wings and other things (NF) Handa's Hen Guess how much I love you (Valentines)		Mr Gumpy's Motor Car Duck in the truck Where the wild things are The Journey
Spring 2	Traditional Tales	Cinderella Jack and the beanstalk Elves and the shoemaker The three little wolves and the big bad pig The boy who cried wolf		The Gingerbread man Rapunzel Hansel and Gretel Little red riding hood The jolly postman
Summer 1	Lifecycles/Changes	My Bean diary (NF) The Very Hungry Caterpillar How to grow a sunflower (NF) From seed to sunflower (NF) The Emperors Egg (NF) Tadpole and Frog Growing Frogs		Two Frogs The Tiny Seeds The Teeny Weeny Tadpole Tadpoles promise Jaspers Beanstalk
Summer 2	Animals	Amazing animal (NF) Hairy Maclary Monkey Puzzle Pig in the pond A visit to the zoo Baby elephant (NF)	Baby Elephant(NF) Leopards Drum Owl Baies The Gruffalo	Night monkey/day monkey Walking through the jungle The tiger who came to tea The bad tempered lady bird Rumble in the jungle