



Year 6:								
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2		
Topic:	'Up The Chimneys' (Victorians)		'Blue Planet' (Geography)		'WW1 & WW2' (History)			
Whole class texts:	'Street Child' by Berlie Doherty STREET CHILD BERLIE DOHERTY		"Skellig" by David Almond 20 TH ANALYTICAL ALMOND David Almond SKELLIG WINNER OF THE CARRIEGE VIEDAL		'Warhorse' by Michael Morpurgo From one of Britains best fored storyfellers MICHAEL MORPURGO WAR HORSE			
Other texts covered:	➤ National Poetry d	lay: Invictus (William e River (Valerie Bloom), (it Wright), The	 Information texts on riv Long Way Home (Berli Literacy Shed Compreh Testbase Comprehension 	e Doherty) ensions (Range)	Owen, They - Sieg Fields - John McC > WW2 information			





	 The Scariest Book Ever (X) Historical literature from the Victorian Period (sources) Information texts on 'Light' (Range) Literacy Shed Comprehensions (Range) Testbase Comprehensions (Range) 		> Testbase Comprehensions (Range)
Rationale:	<u>Wider societal issues:</u>	Wider societal issues: The parrative includes the birth of a new	Wider societal issues:
	 Street Child discusses child poverty and themes of familial loss which impact children at Bader The text links to Bader value of 'being happy'— the main character develops his understanding of this concept throughout the narrative. 	 The narrative includes the birth of a new sibling who is unwell at birth - this is an experience that many children at Bader can relate to through their own lived experience. The protagonist is a young man who has recently moved to a new home - this example of mobility is familiar to many children at Bader. 	 Promotes an understanding and empathy for animals - with many children having pets. Handles the theme of conflict and war sensitively and links to our History topic (WW1/WW2) This text links to the Bader value of Determination. This is exemplified by the 'warhorse' Joey as well as the main character (Joey's owner) who is determined to save him from his plight. Literature: Offers a second Michael Morpurgo text to compare and contrast with (Kensuke's Kingdom) A unique viewpoint - the text is presented as a first-hand account from a horse
	Protected characteristic links: • Age Fundamental British Values links:	 This text links to the Bader value of Respect – as the three main characters learn how best to respect each other's differences and as their relationships develop. Protected characteristic links: Disability (Character of Skellig) 	
	 The Rule of Law Individual Liberty Mutual Respect Tolerance 	Fundamental British Value links: • Individual Liberty	





	Rights Respecting Schools (RRS) links: Article 3 - Best Interests of the child Article 11 Protection from kidnapping Article 24 - Health, water, food, environment Article 27 - Food, clothing and a safe home Article 28 - Access to education Article 29 - Aims of education Article 35 - Prevention of sale and trafficking Article 36 - Protection from exploitation Article 40 - Children who break the law Article 41 - Best law for children applies Article 42 - Everyone must know children's rights	 Mutual Respect Tolerance Rights Respecting Schools (RRS) links: Article 3 - Best interests of the child Article 5 - Family guidance as children develop Article 7 - Name and nationality Article 12 - Respect for Children's View Article 13 - Sharing thoughts freely Freedom of Expression Article 18 - Responsibility of parents Article 27 - Food, clothing and a safe home 	Protected characteristics links: Race Fundamental British Values links: Democracy Rule of Law Individual Liberty Mutual Respect Tolerance Rights Respecting Schools links: Article 3 - Best interests of the child Article 7 - Name and nationality Article 8 - Identity Article 19 - Protection from violence Article 38 - Protection in war Article 41 - Best law for children applies
Cross curricular links:	Street Child links to our study of the Victorian era and offers a lens of a unique account into this time and the formation of the charity Barnardos.	 Science - Animals including Humans and Living Things and Their Habitats 	War Horse links to Y6's study of World War One and World War Two.
Pupil termly reading outcomes:	 Apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (morphology and etymology), both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words that they meet. Continue to read and discuss an increasingly wide range of fiction and poetry texts. 	 Apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (morphology and etymology), both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words that they meet. Continue to read and discuss an increasingly wide range of fiction, nonfiction and reference books. 	 Apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (morphology and etymology), both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words that they meet. Continue to read and discuss an increasingly wide range of fiction, poetry, non-fiction and reference books or textbooks.





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