KEY STAGE 2 / ENGLISH

Poetry Road Map

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Year 3



Junk (short film)

Limericks



A Caribbean Dozen

Class anthology · 13 Caribbean poets



Nature

Haiku



The Cat Rap

Performance poetry · Grace Nichols



The Iron Man

Spine poems

Year 4



Benjamin Zephaniah

Poet study · Performance poetry



Volcanoes

Metaphor poems



The Real Thief

Shape poems



On the Ning Nang Nong

Nonsense poetry · Spike Milligan

Year 5



Harry Potter

Structured poetry



Beowulf

Narrative poetry



Be Very Afraid

Free verse poetry · Carol Ann Duffy



The Moon at Knowle Hill

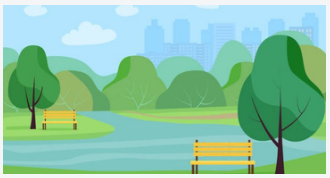
Metaphor poetry · Jackie Kay

Year 6



Dulce et Decorum Est

Imagery · Wilfred Owen



Richmond Park

Free verse poetry · Joseph Coelho



Skellig

Concrete poems



New Beginnings

Performance poetry

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Non-Fiction Road Map

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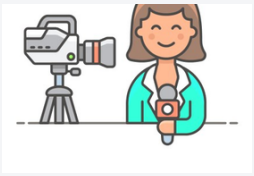
How to catch a witch
Instructions



Edmund's Letter
Recount



The life cycle of plants
Explanation



St Michael's News
TV news report



Inventing a robot
Non-chronological report

Year 4



Operating a device
Explanation



Gawain's innocence or guilt
Discussion and debate



Newspaper report on the Pompeii eruption
Recount

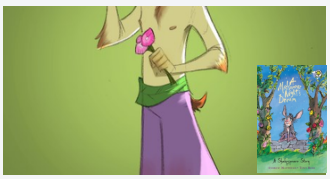


The Land of NeverBelieve
Non-chronological report

Year 5



Potion recipe
Instructions



A letter to the Duke
Persuasion



Design a dragon
Non-chronological report



Guion Bluford biography
Recount

Year 6



Historical recount
Recount



Galápagos animals
Non-chronological report



Newspaper report on a plane crash
Recount



Balanced argument on a topical issue
Discussion



Environment campaign speech
Persuasion

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Fiction Road Map

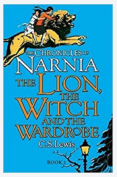
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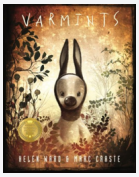
Year 3



Hansel and Gretel
Linear story



The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe
Setting description



Varmints
Changing perspective



Elvis the Cat
Non-human character description

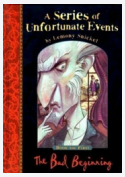


The Iron Man
Sentence structure

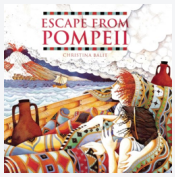


Playscripts

Year 4



The Bad Beginning
Character description



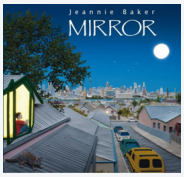
Escape from Pompeii
Openings



Taking Flight
Cohesion and editing



The Real Thief
First-person narrator



Mirror
Setting description



Playscripts

Year 5



Harry Potter
Flashbacks



A Midsummer Night's Dream
Show, don't tell



Dragon of Krakow
Setting description



Treasure Island
Dialogue

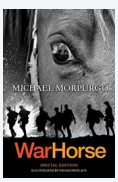


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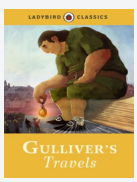


Monologues

Year 6



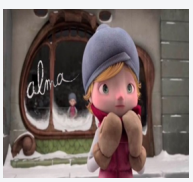
War Horse
Action



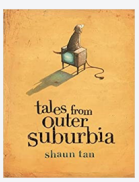
Gulliver's Travels
Imagery



Letters from the Lighthouse
Dual narrative



Alma
Suspense



Tales from Outer Suburbia
Sci-fi characters



Soliloquy