

Talk for writing books – Topic Cycle 1

Term	Topic	Books	Trips
Autumn 1	What do I know about? (2 weeks – Transition) (6 weeks to follow)	Little red riding hood Funnybones	Trip – Eureka Visitor – Event – Parents visits
Autumn 2	Who are the famous characters from inside my books? (7 weeks)	Goldilock’s and the 3 bears Charlie Cook’s favourite book	Trip – Trip to the library/Pantomime Visitor – Storyteller/author Event – Character day with parents
Spring 1	Is every home the same? (6 weeks)	The 3 little pigs The house that Jack built	Trip – Visitor – Event – House making workshop
Spring 2	Are all minibeasts scary? (6 Weeks)	The very Hungry caterpillar The bad-tempered Ladybird	Trip – Butterfly World (Leeds) Visitor – Animals intuition (Richard) Event – Ugly bug ball
Summer 1	What happened to Jack’s bean? (5 Weeks)	Jack and the beanstalk (RECEPTION) Jaspers Beanstalk (NURSERY) The bad tempered ladybird	Trip Visitor – Touchstones puppet theatre Event – Forest school day with parents
Summer 2	What was it like to be a pirate? (7 Weeks)	Pirate Pete Commotion in the ocean	Trip – Trip to the beach (Fleetwood) or Sea life centre Visitor – Event – Water day

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