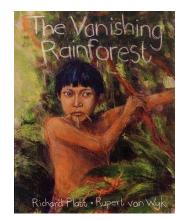




Cycle A texts Year 5 and Year 6

Autumn 1

Vanishing Rainforest by Richard Platt and Rupert van Wyk



English links- Emotive language, inference skills using images, layout features (font choice etc.)

Wider links- Environmental/world issues, cultural diversity, empathy to other cultures.

Autumn 2

When the Sky Falls by Phil Earle

English links- Imagery, unreliable narrator, dialogue to advance action.

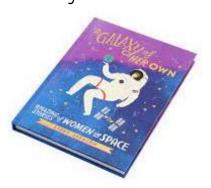


Wider links- set in a deprived area, gives an unusual perspective, history links.

Spring 1

Galaxy of Her Own by Libby Jackson

English links- Formal language, technical vocabulary, sequencing of events, quotations.



Wider links- representation of women, STEM, aspirational.

Spring 2

Arthur and the Golden Rope by Joe Todd-Stanton



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English links- Graphic novel layout, legend style, inference skills.

Wider links- history knowledge, unlikely hero.

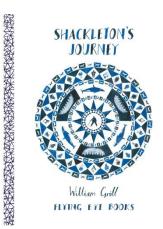


Summer 1

Shackleton's journey by William Grill

English links- Drama, formal tone, recount skills.

Wider links- geography knowledge, resilient role model.



Summer 2

Lambton worm and Laidly worm

English links- Old language, dialect, drama/performance.

Wider links- local knowledge, historical perspective/contrast, art links.

