

Year 3's Reading Spine

Class Texts / Class Novels:

Fiction:

- Beowulf by Rob Lloyd Jones
- There's a Viking in my Bed by Jeremy Strong
- The Ice Palace by Robert Swindells
- Diary of a Roman Slave by Richard Platt
- Leon and the Place Between by Angela McAlliester
- Butterfly Lion by Michael Morpurgo
- The Tunnel by Anthony Browne

Books used in school to support learning:

Fiction:

- Into the Forest, and other books by Anthony Browne
- Anansi Stories by various authors
- Talking Turkeys by Benjamin Zephaniah
- The Day the Crayons Quit by Drew Daywalt

Non-Fiction:

- The Vikings: Raiders, Traders and Adventurers! By Marcia Williams
- Viking Longship by Mick Manning & Brita Granström
- Viking Voyagers by Jack Tite

Suggested reading for children:

Autumn Term - Topic: Vikings and Anglo-Saxons

Fiction:

- How to Train Your Dragon by Cressida Cowell
- Anglo-Saxon Boy by Tony Bradman
- Viking Boy by Tony Bradman
- The Worst Witch by Jill Murphy
- Starfell - Willow Moss and the Lost Day by Dominique Valente

- King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table by Marcia Williams

Non-Fiction:

- Life In Anglo-Saxon Britain by Anita Ganeri
- Everybody Counts by Kristin Roskifte
- The Skeleton Book by Robert Winston

Spring Term - Topic: The Caribbean

Fiction:

- The Highland Falcon Thief by M.G.Leonard and Sam Sedgman
- The boy with Wings by Lenny Henry
- Tales from the Caribbean by Trisha Cooke
- Cendrillon: A Caribbean Cinderella by Robert D. San Souci
- Wicked World by Benjamin Zephaniah
- Planet Omar: Accidental Trouble Magnet by Zanib Mian

Non-Fiction:

- Next stop: The Caribbean by Ginger McDonell
- Forces and Magnets: Let's investigate by Ruth Owen
- Rocks and Minerals by Steve Tomecek

Summer Term - Topic: The Romans and The Circus

Fiction:

- The Palace of Laughter by Jon Berkeley
- Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit
- Romans on the Rampage by Jeremy Strong
- Mr Majeika by Humphrey Carpenter
- The Parent Agency by David Baddiel
- The Nothing to See Here Hotel by Stephen Butler

Non-Fiction:

- Awesome Engineering Bridges by Sally Spray
- So You Think You've Got It Bad? A kid's Life in Ancient Rome by Chae Strathie and Marissa Morea
- Light and Shadow by James Driver