## Whole School Core Texts



At Race Leys, the curriculum between subjects is linked in order to support children with their understanding of the need to apply skills they are taught in certain subjects and also to allow them to see the connections between learning.

The core literacy spine is informed by high quality, challenging texts which are linked to curriculum themes in each year group.

Children will be exposed to, and learn a number of other fiction, non-fiction and poetry throughout the year, which is also linked to the year themes.

	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Autumn 1	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory Roald Dahl	Horrible Science: Blood, Bones and Body Bits	Heart Boy	Heart Boy
Autumn 2	The morning I Met a Whale Michael Murpurgo	Horrible Geography:Freaky Peaks	Shackleton's Journey	Shackleton's Journey
Spring 1	Stone Age Boy Satoshi Kiramura	Secrets of a Sun King Emma Carroll	Letters from a Lighthouse	Letters from a Lighthouse
Spring 2	Escape from Pompeii	George's Marvellous Medicine Roald Dahl	Streetchild	Streetchild
Summer 1	Hercules	Manfish Jennifer Berne	Day of the Dead	Day of the Dead
Summer 2	Tom Sausage Lion Michael Murpurgo	Beowulf Michael Morpurgo	Roman Invasion	Roman Invasion