Porchester Junior School - Reading Overview – Lower School 2024-25

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| **Word meaning** | **Prediction** | Retrieval | **Relationship** |
| Year 3 – Unit 12 – Night Comes too Soon  Year 3 – Unit 14 – The Story of Tutankhamun  Year 3 – Unit 17 – Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland | Year 3 – Unit 20 – Stig of the Dump (extract 2) | Year 3 – unit 2 – Stone Circles  Year 3 – unit 6 – Prawn Pizza  Year 3 – unit 9 – A House of Snow and Ice  Year 3 – Unit 16 – Wild Animals to be Banned…  Year 3 – Unit 21 – Norse Mythology | Year 3 – unit 3 – My Brother is a Superhero |
| Year 4 – unit 4 – Tsunamis on the Move  Year 4 – unit 5 - Russian Doll  Year 4 – Unit 18 – Charlotte’s Web  Year 4 – Unit 20 – Little Women | Year 4 – unit 11 – Max and the Millions | Year 4 – unit 2 – The Time-Travelling Cat and the Roman Eagle  Year 4 – unit 3 – Volcanoes in Action  Year 4 – unit 7 – The History Behind Christmas Traditions  Year 4 – Unit 15 – Threats to African Elephants  Year 4 – Unit 17 – Black Beauty | Year 4 – unit 8 – The Moomins and the Great Flood |
| **Summarising** | **Word choice** | **Inference** | **Comparison** |
| Year 3 – unit 1 – The Pebble in My Pocket  Year 3 – unit 5 – Sugar: The Facts | Year 3 – unit 7 – The Iron Man  Year 3 – unit 15 – The Butterfly Lion | Year 3 – Unit 4 – The Magic Finger  Year 3 – Unit 8 – The Ice Palace  Year 3 – Unit 10 – The Heavenly River (Chinese Myths and Legends)  Year 3 – unit 13 – Tom’s Midnight Garden  Year 3 – Unit 18 – The Madhatters  Year 3 – Unit 19 – Stig of the Dump (extract 1) | Year 3 – Unit 11 – New Year Celebrations |
| Year 4 – unit 1 – Roman Britain | Year 4 – Unit 19 – A Series of Unfortunate Events | Year 4 – unit 6 – The Little Daughter of the Snow  Year 4 – Unit 9 – For Forest  Year 4 – Unit 10 – The Borrowers  Year 4 – unit 12 – My Secret War Diary  Year 4 – unit 13 – The Amazing Story of Adolphis Tips  Year 4 – unit 14 – The Secret World of Polly Flint  Year 4 – Unit 16 – The Great Elephant Chase | Year 4 – unit 21 – Everything Castles |

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| Lower School | Year 3 text  Year 4 text  **\*\***linked to enquiry or time of year | **Autumn 1**  4 UNITS | **Autumn 2**  4 UNITS + 1 ASSESSMENT | **Spring 1**  4 UNITS | **Spring 2**  4 UNITS + 1 ASSESSMENT | **Summer 1**  4 UNITS | **Summer 2**  1 UNIT + ASSESSMENT |
| Cycle 1 | Stone Age  **\*\***Year 3 – unit 1 – The Pebble in My Pocket (Summarising)  **\*\***Year 3 – unit 2 – Stone Circles (retrieval)  Year 3 – Unit 4 – The Magic Finger (inference)  **\*\***Year 3 – Unit 19 – Stig of the Dump (extract 1) (inference) | Stone Age  **\*\***Year 3 – Unit 20 – Stig of the Dump (extract 2) (prediction)  Year 3 – Unit 21 – Norse Mythology (retrieval)  Year 3 – Unit 12 – Night Comes too Soon (word meaning)  **\*\***Year 4 – unit 6 – The Little Daughter of the Snow (inference)  READING ASSESSMENT | Rivers  **\*\***Year 3 – Unit 10 – The Heavenly River (Chinese Myths and Legends) (inference)  Year 3 – Unit 17 – Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland (word meaning)  Year 3 – unit 15 – The Butterfly Lion (word choice)  Year 4 – Unit 15 – Threats to African Elephants (retrieval) | Rivers  Year 3 – Unit 16 – Wild Animals to be Banned…(retrieval)  Year 4 – unit 12 – My Secret War Diary (inference)  **\*\***Year 4 – unit 8 – The Moomins and the Great Flood (relationship)  Year 4 – Unit 18 – Charlotte’s Web (word meaning)  READING ASSESSMENT | Romans  Year 4 – unit 14 – The Secret World of Polly Flint (inference)  **\*\***Year 4 – unit 1 – Roman Britain (summarising)  **\*\***Year 4 – unit 2 – The Time-Travelling Cat and the Roman Eagle (retrieval)  Year 4 – unit 5 - Russian Doll (word meaning) | Romans  Year 4 – unit 21 – Everything Castles (comparison)  READING ASSESSMENT  READING PLANNING BASED ON GAP ANALYSIS FROM ASSESSMENTS |
| Cycle 2 | Ancient Greece  Year 3 – unit 6 – Prawn Pizza (retrieval)  Year 3 – unit 3 – My Brother is a Superhero (relationship)  Year 3 – unit 5 – Sugar: The Facts (summarising)  Year 3 – unit 13 – Tom’s Midnight Garden (inference) | Ancient Greece  **\*\***Year 3 – Unit 8 – The Ice Palace (inference)  **\*\***Year 3 – unit 9 – A House of Snow and Ice (retrieval)  Year 3 – unit 7 – The Iron Man (word choice)  **\*\***Year 4 – unit 7 – The History Behind Christmas Traditions (retrieval)  READING ASSESSMENT | Natural Disasters  **\*\***Year 3 – Unit 11 – New Year Celebrations (comparison)  Year 3 – Unit 18 – The Madhatters (inference)  **\*\***Year 4 – unit 3 – Volcanoes in Action (retrieval)  Year 4 – Unit 20 – Little Women (word meaning) | Natural Disasters  Year 4 – unit 11 – Max and the Millions (prediction)  Year 4 – Unit 9 – For Forest (inference)  **\*\***Year 4 – unit 4 – Tsunamis on the Move (word meaning)  Year 4 – Unit 19 – A Series of Unfortunate Events (word choice)  READING ASSESSMENT | Ancient Egypt  **\*\***Year 3 – Unit 14 – The Story of Tutankhamun (word meaning)  Year 4 – Unit 17 – Black Beauty (retrieval)  Year 4 – unit 13 – The Amazing Story of Adolphis Tips (inference)  (inference) Year 4 – Unit 10 – The Borrowers (inference) | Ancient Egypt  Year 4 – Unit 16 – The Great Elephant Chase (inference)  READING ASSESSMENT  READING PLANNING BASED ON GAP ANALYSIS FROM ASSESSMENTS |