

Book Families

While the focus is on one particular text for Literacy each year group uses 'book families' to complement learning on a topic. This involves using other texts to support learning on the same topic. With these book families there is a more of a focus on shorter sections, pieces of poetry or specific parts of text which will support the children's overall appreciation of a topic.

Example:

Topic: Maafa- Africa

Literacy text- Black and British by David Olusoga (factual)

Book family- Windrush Child by Benjamin Zephaniah (fiction), Freedom by Catherine Johnson (fiction), Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry by Mildred D Taylor, Living in Morocco- design from Casablanca to Marrakesh

These book families are included on each year group's literacy curriculum map.

