Poetry 2021 - 2022

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| Year Group | Autumn | Spring | Summer |
| Nursery | Author Anthology The Puffin Baby and Toddler Treasury | Ten in the Bed by Penny DaleWhat the Ladybird Heard by Julia Donaldson | Author Anthology The Oxford Treasury of Nursery RhymesIan Beck | Shark in the ParkNick SharattDinosaur Roar Paul & Henrietta Stickland | Author Anthology The Puffin Baby and Toddler Treasury | The Gruffalo by Julia DonaldsonAliens Love Underpants by Clare Freedman |
| Reception | Author Anthology This Little PuffinElizabeth Matterson | I’m a Little TeapotThe Wheels on the BusOld Macdonald Had a FarmHickory, Dickory, DockJack and JillRhyming Picture BooksFox in SocksDr SeussGiraffes Can’t Dance by Giles Andreae | Author Anthology A Treasury of SongsJulia Donaldson | Five Currant BunsOne, Two, Three, Four, FiveFive Little Speckled FrogsThe Mulberry BushRing a Ring O’ Roses Rhyming Picture BooksMy Many Coloured DaysDr SeussSharing a ShellJulia Donaldson | Author Anthology This Little PuffinElizabeth Matterson | Ten Green BottlesTen Fat SausagesHey Diddle, DiddleThe Grand Old Duke of YorkThe Farmer’s In His DenBrown Girl in the RingRhyming Picture BooksEach Peach, Pear Plum Janet and Allan AhlbergCommotion in the OceanGiles Andreae |
| Y1 | Author Anthology Here’s a Little PoemJane Yolen & Andrew Fusek Peters | Noisy GardenMonday’s ChildIf You’re Happy and You Know ItBobby ShaftoeI Had a Little Monkey | Author AnthologyHey, Little Bug!James Carter | Samantha Is SobbingTopsy TurvyA Sailor Went to Sea Sea SeaOne PotatoI Went to the Animal Fair“Quack!” said the Billy Goat | Author Anthology When We Were Very YoungAA Milne | The Owl and the PussycatLondon Bridge Is Falling DownThe Bells of LondonThe Big Ship Sails on the Alley, Alley OThe Mouse and the LionPeter Piper |
| Y2 | Author Anthology A First Poetry BookPie Corbett & Gaby Morgan | Fairy LettersThe Fairy Rule BookMonsterI Wish I Was a PirateDiamond Poem – DawnThe Dinosaur’s Dinner | Author Anthology Crazy Mayonnaisy MumJulia Donaldson | Going UpstairsMirror FriendsSpaceship ShopThe Alien’s Sweet ShopI Don’t Want an Avocado for an UncleShe Sells Seashells | Author Anthology Heard it in the PlaygroundAllan Ahlberg | Windy NightsMoving AwayGreat Aunt PollyWhat Is The Sun?Bears Don’t Like BananasCuckoo |
| Y3 | Author Anthology Paint Me a PoemGrace Nichols | I Ask YouGoodbye Now & ‘Bye NowWolfMy Name Isfrom Snap ShotsThe Robin | Author Anthology Quick, Let’s Get out of HereMichael Rosen | Miss Mary MackSunfireDazzledanceThe Sound CollectorChisRain In The City | Author Anthology The Puffin Book of Utterly Brilliant PoetryBrian Patten | The Tale of the Cleverest SonHow Did He Escape?PheasantTangle TalkThe Name of the Game |
| Y4 | Author Anthology Deep in the Green Wood Wes Magee | SunsetThe Frozen ManCity LightsA Saucerful of MilkA Stick InsectStill Winter | Author Anthology Hot Like Fire Valerie Bloom | Overheard on a SaltmarshPlaying a DazzlerThe Mango TreeBirdfoot’s GrampaIn the Time of the Wolf | Author Anthology Sensational!Roger McGough | A Smuggler’s SongA Chance in Francefrom Fourteen Ways of Touching the PeterSlowlyOur StreetAn Animal Alphabet |
| Y5 | Author Anthology Lost MagicBrian Moses | The Highwayman – Alfred NoyesThe Listeners – Walter de la MareIn the Garden Sat a Hat – John RiceA Boy’s Head – Miroslav HolubA Girl’s Head – Katherine Gallagher Maze – Gina Douthwaite | Author AnthologyThe Magic Box Kit Wright | The Tyger – William BlakeThe Refrigerator’s Belly – George SzirtesSmall Dawn Song – Philip GrossAll of Us – Kit WrightHigh Dive – James KirkupThe Magic Box – Kit WrightGetting Rid of the Box – Matthew Sweeney | Author Anthology Juggling with Gerbils Brian Patten | This Morning I Have Risen Early – John RiceLeaving the Village – Selina Rodrigues Young Africa’s Lament – Dennis Chukude OsadebayLanguage for Sale – Shakuntala HawoldarBengali Language – Rabindranath Tagore |
| Y6 | Author Anthology Charles Causley | A Poison Tree – William BlakeGoodbye (Cinquain) – Valerie BloomTouchy – Philip GrossBullies – Katherine GallagherIn Memoriam (Easter, 1915) – Edward ThomasLeaves – Ted HughesMessage for the Mosquito who Shares My Bedroom – Pie Corbett | Author Anthology Ted Hughes | From Sylhet to Sheffield – Mina BegumWhat to Call a Jackdaw – Philip GrossThe Hate – Brian MosesThe Warm and the Cold – Ted HughesLettuce Marry – Trad.Witches Chant – ShakespeareA Puzzle – Anon.The Visitor – Valerie Bloom | Author Anthology Carol Ann Duffy | Jabberwocky – Lewis CarrollI Took the Hammer to My Old Desk – John RiceCity Jungle – Pie CorbettExtracts from The Tempest – ShakespeareHigh Places – John GohorryCurious Craft – Philip Gross |