
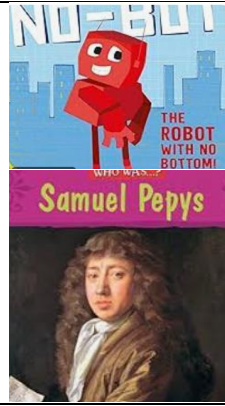


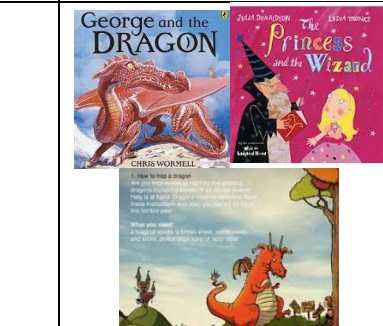
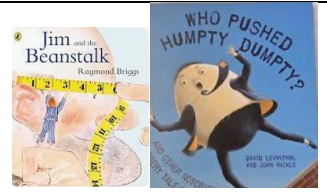


Bluebell Class English Curriculum Year 2025/2026

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Unit	39 days	34 days	29 days	25 days	28 days	35 days
	<b>National Poetry Day 2<sup>nd</sup></b> October 2025  <a href="https://forwardartsfoundation.org/national-poetry-day/">https://forwardartsfoundation.org/national-poetry-day/</a>	<b>Non-fiction November</b>  <a href="https://fcba.org.uk/nfn/">https://fcba.org.uk/nfn/</a>	<b>National Tell a Fairy Tale Day 26<sup>th</sup> Feb</b> 2026  <a href="https://nationaldaycalendar.com/national-tell-a-fairy-tale-day-february-26/">https://nationaldaycalendar.com/national-tell-a-fairy-tale-day-february-26/</a>	<b>World Book Day 5th March 2026</b>  <a href="https://www.worldbookday.com/">https://www.worldbookday.com/</a>	<b>National Writing Day June 2026</b>	<b>National Writing Day June 2026</b>
Outcomes (Purpose and Audience)	Instructions Innovated narrative Non-chronological Report	Innovated narrative - Nobot Diary	Innovated narrative based on novel Letter Non Chronological Report based on Nairobi (Geography)	Innovated narrative with a sea side setting Explanation Text Innovated sea-side poem	Instructions - How to trap a dragon Innovated narrative	Instructions - How to grow a bean Innovated narrative
Focus Texts			 <p>The Island Struay is a quiet island with green hills, sandy beaches, and rocky cliffs. The weather can change quickly. Sometimes it is sunny and calm, but it can also be windy and rainy. The sea around the island is full of boats and sea creatures.</p> <p>The Village Most people on Struay live in a small village. There is a post office, a shop, and a school. The post office is run by Katie Morag's mum, and it is an important place for everyone on the island. The shop sells food, clothes, and toys.</p> <p>The People The people on Struay all know each other. They help one another and often meet at the village hall for events. Katie Morag's family is well known. Her granny lives nearby and tells wonderful stories about the island.</p> <p>Things to Do There are many fun things to do on Struay. Children like to play on the beach, collect shells, and explore the hills. Adults often go fishing or help with farming. Visitors enjoy walking, taking photos, and learning about island life.</p> <p>Conclusion Life on the Isle of Struay is peaceful and full of community spirit. Everyone works together and enjoys the beauty of their island home.</p>	 <p>All about... <b>Hedgehogs</b></p> <p>Hedgehogs are a shy, nocturnal animal. They are covered in spines but they are friendly. In the daytime they spend a considerable amount of time sleeping in holes under their bushes or in stumps.</p> <p>Interesting Facts The spines that give hedgehogs their name are made of keratin, the same material that makes up your hair and nails. Hedgehogs can curl up into a ball to protect themselves from predators. They have about 10,000 spines. Hedgehogs can be found in almost all areas of the UK, except around the Scottish shetlands. They feed on insects, earthworms, and slugs and the molluscs, which they eat, using their spines.</p>		
Link Texts	The Train Ride Oil Get off our train The Little Red Train; Runaway Train	Ten little robots - poem Harry and the Robots Clink The Great Fire of London Samuel Pepys diary	The Jolly Pocket Postman Postman Bear We're Going on a Bear Hunt	Flotsam See what a Seal can Do Three by the Sea Shiver my Timbers The Pirates Next Door Captain Flinn and the Pirate Dinosaurs Polly Parrot Picks A Pirate	Zog The Knight who wouldn't Fight There's no such thing as a Dragon Puff the Magic Dragon	Jack and the beanstalk The Smartest Giant in Town The Paper Bag Princess Shampoozel
Cross Curricular Writing	Non-chronological Report about the Local Area - Geography link	Fact sheet about The Great Fire of London - History link	Non Chronological Report based on Nairobi (Geography)	Explanation text linked to Science - Living Things and Habitats.		