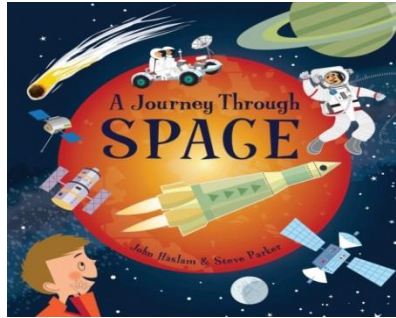
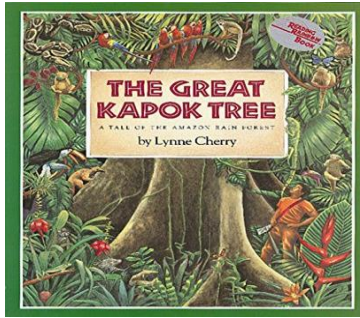
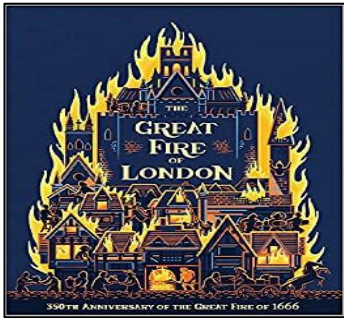


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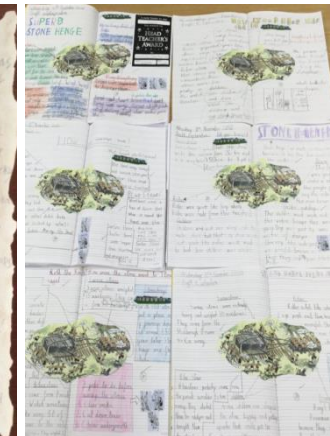
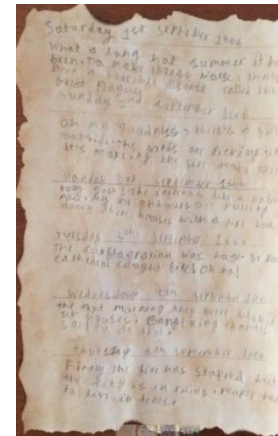
Linking Reading and Topic to Writing

All year groups try, where possible, to link their writing planning and subsequent reading activities to their overall topic. As an example, Year 2 may be studying the Great Fire of London so would choose to tie in instructions and diaries linked to events around The Great Fire of London. These links are often explored through a text that links topic to English and combines knowledge of a topic with skills in reading and writing.



Opportunities to Write

Our children are blessed with plenty of opportunities to write for a range of purposes and audiences. No matter the genre, they thoroughly enjoy communicating their ideas. We equally enjoy opportunities to show off our oracy skills through debate, drama and live poetry.



School Library

We are incredibly lucky to have a wonderful school library stocked with fantastic classics and new-releases. The children are allowed a 'vote' to select new books for the library each term and benefit greatly from a weekly visit to the library to loan and return books. Our library was opened in 2018 by the children's author Emma Carroll.



Relationships with Authors

We are very proud at Colwall to share so many fantastic relationships with a range of children's authors and the benefits for our children are huge. They are regularly given opportunity to interact with different authors and to use their work to inspire their own.

