



## London's Calling

### Year 2 – Autumn Term 2



#### Topic Core Text



Katie in London by James Mayhew

#### English – TalkForWriting

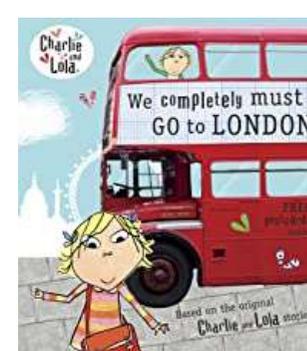
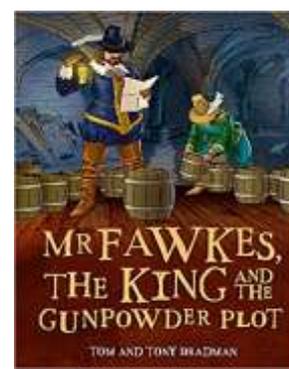
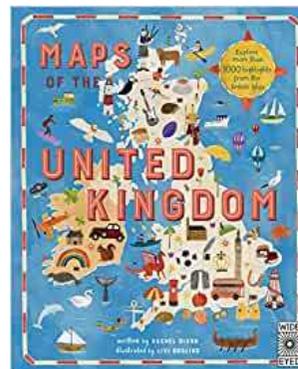
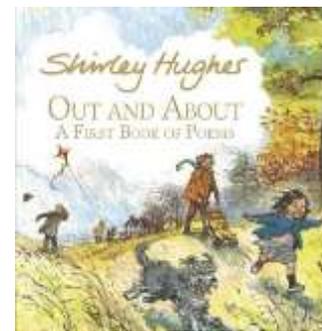
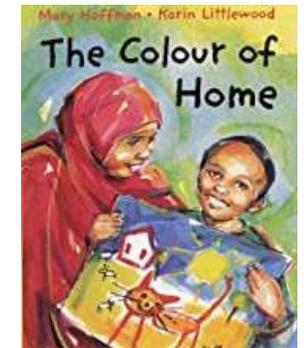
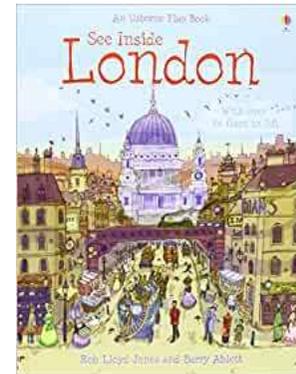
**Text:** Katie in London by James Mayhew

**Focus:** We will be writing a diary recount and poetry

#### **Key Vocabulary**

relief, admire, thrilling, venture, glittering, landmarks, mesmerising

#### Recommended Reads





## **Entry Point** – Junk Modelling London Landmarks

**PE** – This term we will be learning how to play basketball.

**Activity:**

What do you know about Basketball? Write a list of the things you would like to find out.

**Key Vocabulary:** Basketball *Dribble, pass, shoot.*

**PSHE** – This half term we will be learning about health and wellbeing and how we can look after our own and others.

**Activity:**

Create a list of ways you can help yourself and others with their wellbeing. Can you fit these into your day?

**Key Vocabulary:** *Health, wellbeing, safety, illness, medicines, mindful*

**Key questions:**

*What does it mean to be healthy? What is wellbeing? How can we improve our wellbeing? How can we support the wellbeing of others?*

**History** – We will be learning about the history of London such as the Gunpowder Plot.

**Activity:** Do you celebrate Bonfire Night? Can you draw a picture of your celebrations?

**Key Vocabulary:** Bonfire night, fireworks, Gun Powder Plot, Guy Fawkes, parliament, Protestant, Catholics

**Key questions:**

*What does the history of London mean?  
How is London's past different to ours now?  
Why do we celebrate bonfire night?*



**Exit Point** – Creating a mini London

**Geography** – This half term we will be learning about London and the UK.

**Activity:**

If you have been on a trip to London before, reflect on your trip – create a picture about where you visited. If not, research London - can you make a fact leaflet?

**Key Vocabulary:** *London, city, UK, capital, attraction, landmark, locations*



**Key questions:**

*What is the UK? What countries make the UK? Can you find London on a map? What landmarks are in London? Where do people often visit in London?*



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**RE** – This half term we are going to be learning about special books for different people.

**Activity:** Discuss a time you have said sorry to someone. How did it make you feel after?

**Key Vocabulary:** *forgiveness, sorry*

**Key questions:**

*How do you say sorry? Why is important to say sorry?*

**Art** - This half term we will be creating our own art work of London.

**Activity:**

What is your favourite colour and how does it make you feel?

**Key Vocabulary :** *tones, primary colours, shades, warm, cool*

**Key questions:**

*What happens when we mix primary colours together? How can we make a colour darker/lighter? Why do some colours make you feel certain ways?*