



## London's Calling

Year 2 – Autumn Term 2



### Wider Curriculum Core Text



Katie in London by James Mayhew

### English – TalkForWriting

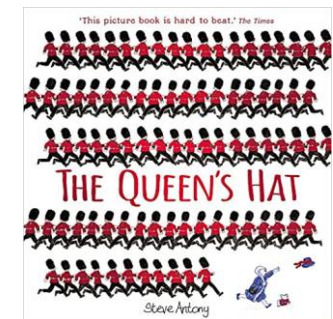
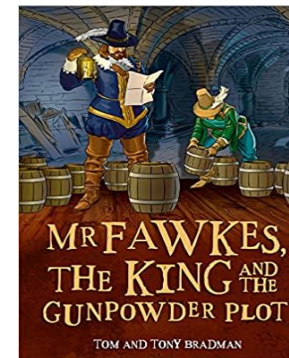
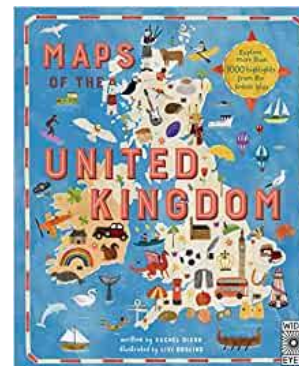
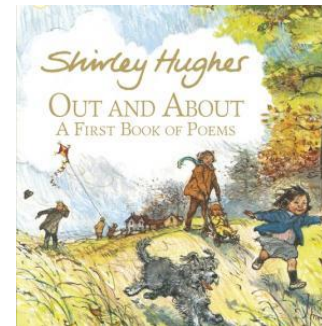
**Text:** Katie in London by James Mayhew

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

### Key Vocabulary

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

### Recommended Reads





**Entry Point** – Creating a mini London from your London landmark projects

**PE** – *Basketball, dribble, pass, shoot*

This term we will be learning how to play basketball and the key skills needed.

**Key questions:** What kind of game is basketball?

**Activity:** What do you know about basketball? Write a list of the things you would like to find out.



**Geography** – *London, capital city, United Kingdom, aerial photographs, landmarks, locations*

This half term we will be learning about London, key landmarks and the UK.

**Key questions:**

*What makes London unique? How do we recognise landmarks on a map?*

**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?



**PSHE** – *success, strengths, challenge, achievement, goals*

This half term we will be thinking about personal goals as well as how to work well within a team.

**Activity:** Complete a task as part of a team.

**Key questions:**

*What are my future dreams and goals?*



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**RE** – *forgiveness, sorry, Kwanza, apologise, remorse*

This half term we are going to be learning about forgiveness and why it is important.

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

**Key question:**

*What does it mean to say sorry?*



**History** – *plot, treason, Catholic, Protestant, monarch*

We will be learning about the Gunpowder plot and the key figures involved. We will also be visiting the Tower of London.

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

**Key questions:** What was the Gunpowder Plot and who was involved?



**Art** – *gradient, shadow, tones, shades, mood*

This half term we will be looking at art work by Matisse and then creating our own London skyline at sunset or sunrise.

**Activity:** Sketch some London landmarks or the London skyline.

**Key question:** *How do we use different tones to create atmosphere?*



**Exit Point** – Tower of London trip / Nativity Play