Sticky Knowledge New Terminology and Vocabulary	Sticky Knowledge	Reading Suggestions	KS2
Character terminology Protagonist — a character that the reader identifies with in story Antagonist — a character that is against the protagonist and causes conflict Major character — a character that features through the majority of the story and has a big impact on the story Minor character — a character that doesn't feature much in the story and plays a small part in the shape of the story Symbolic character — a character that is used to be a symbol of something greater. They might represent an idea or part of the writer's message Foil — a character used by the writer to help us understand our main character through comparison Motivation — what drives a character to behave, think or make decisions Internal conflict — the problem the character is dealing emotionally or mentally External conflict — the problem the character is dealing as a result of other people or the situation Comic relief character — a character that is used by writers to lighten the mood or add comedy to events Narrative devices Foreshadow — a clue about what will happen later in the story Flashback / flashforward — a moment in a story that shows something in the past / future Complication — the moment towards the start of a story where a conflict starts Crisis — the worst moment in the story and for the characters Exposition — the part of the story that explains key bits of the story Denouement — the story's ending Unreliable narrator — when the story is told by something who doesn't know the full story or might lie First-person perspective — when the story is told from one person's perspective	Concepts Writers focus on different elements when writing a story. Each one has a different effect. What is the effect of each one? Action Setting Weather Feelings Dialogue Objects People Thoughts Theme A theme is a running idea or concept that is in a novel, poem or play. They are not always obvious. The writer will use characters, settings	Animal Farm — George Orwell Treasure Island — Robert Louis Stevenson Northern Lights — Philip Pullman Local Context	Developing knowledge of storytelling and fiction gained from KS2 Cultural Capital
(!) Second-person perspective – when the story is told from the reader's perspective (you) Third-person perspective – when the story is told from an outsider's perspective (he/she) Third-person omniscient – when the story is told from a godlike narrator and they can see everything and know what is going on inside the character's heads Nice to know Why writers start a story with a different focus How two novels are structured differently	and events to teach us about an idea. Examples of a theme: love, death, battle between good and evil, coming of age, survival, power, courage and heroism, prejudice, individual against society, war.	Links to other subjects RE – morality of a character and different perspectives PSHE – the motivation of people and the consequences of actions	Deeper Thinking Do modern writers use characters differently to Victorian