## Light and Dark Knowledge Mat

Subjec	t Specific Vocabulary	Interesting Books	Sticky Knowledge
light source	Something that gives out light		about light sources
opaque	A material that does not let light through		☐ Light sources can be man made ( torches, lamps, candles, ) some are natural ( sun, glow worms)
reflect	When light hits an object and bounces off	Anna Claybourne	Candles are made from wax and a wick. The wax melts when hot and turns from a solid to a liquid
translucent	A material that lets some light through but you can not see through it clearly	Important image to understand by the end of the Celebrations unit:	
transparent	A material that lets light through and you can see through it clearly		
shadow			<ul> <li>□ Materials can be opaque, translucent or transparent</li> <li>□ Opaque materials form shadows</li> </ul>
adaption	How animals and plants change to ensure that they can live in their habitat		when lit from behind  Nocturnal animals have a range of adaptions to help them navigate their world in the dark
nocturnal	Animals which are active at night and sleep during the day	Opaque Translucent Transparent	☐ Nocturnal animals are active in the night and asleep in the day
			<ul> <li>Nocturnal animals include hedgehogs, badgers, bats and owls</li> </ul>