



## Recommended Reading List

Below is a list of some reading books recommended for each year group. Children should be reading a text that matches their reading ability. The reading book should provide a level of challenge; more complex story structures, introducing new vocabulary and the book should engage the children to maintain their interest.

Books by similar authors or have similar levels of challenge can also be read.

### Year 2 suggested Reading List

The Gruffalo's Child

The Owl who was afraid of the dark The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs

Flat Stanley

Katie Morag series

A First Poetry Book (Pie Corbett & Gaby Morgan)

The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig

Rosie's Babies

Dogger

Pizza (Brian Moses)

Codes and Signals (Cambridge)

### Year 3 suggested Reading List

The Adventures of the Little Wooden Horse

Gobolino the Witch's Cat

The Twits

The Enormous Crocodile

My Naughty Little Sister

The Wolf's Story

Sophie is seven

The Hodgeheg

Milly Molly Mandy

Horrid Henry

The Worst Witch

Picture books: The Princess and the Pea (Lauren Child)

The Mousehole Cat

### Year 4 suggested Reading List

Bill's New Frock

George's Marvellous Medicine

Charlotte's Web

The Iron Man

The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe

The Butterfly Lion



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Danny Champion of the World  
The Polar Express (Picture book)  
Emil and the Detectives  
The Firework Maker's Daughter  
Clever Polly and the Stupid Wolf series  
The Wolves of Willoughby Chase  
The Garden (Picture book)

### Year 5 Suggested Reading List

Beowulf (Morpurgo)  
A Series of Unfortunate Events  
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory  
The Magician's Nephew/ The Horse and His Boy/ The Voyage of the Dawn Treader/ The Silver Chair  
Clockwork  
Matilda  
Clarice Bean  
Please, Mrs Butler  
Diary of a Wimpy Kid  
Krindlekrax  
What's their story? series (biographies by Oxford)  
Picture books: Way Home  
The Princess' Blankets  
Flotsam (no text: inference and plot through pictures)  
Kensuke's Kingdom  
Street Child  
There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom

### Year 6 Suggested Reading List

War Horse  
Wolf Brother/ any more in the series  
The White Horse of Zennor  
Waiting for Anya  
The Lying Carpet  
Inkheart  
Skellig  
Journey to the River Sea  
There's a boy in the girls' bathroom  
The Unforgotten Coat  
Wonder  
The Amulet of Samarkand



## Recommended Reading List

Holes

Knife Edge

### Year 6 Classics Reading List

Tom's Midnight Garden

Five Children and It

The Railway Children

Swallows and Amazons

A Little Princess

The Secret Garden

Black Hearts in Battersea

The Hobbit

The Lord of the Rings

The Last Battle

The Weirdstone of Brisingamen/ The Moon of Gormath

The Midnight Folk/ The Box of Delights

Alice's Adventures in Wonderland

The Little White Horse

Black Beauty

What Katy Did

Little Women

Little House in the Big Woods

Oliver Twist / Christmas Carol

The Borrowers

Carrie's War

Treasure Island

Diary of Anne Frank

Robinson Crusoe

Wizard of Oz

Peter Pan