

### Reception Recommended Reads

- ◆ You don't have to read every single book; there are lots of choices, so everyone can find something they like.
- ◆ Many of the books are also the start of a series, so you could continue them, or explore other books from that author.
- ◆ Share the book with your child - it still counts as a read book if you read it to them!
- ◆ The books can be found in the Reception recommended reads box. **These are school or library copies, so please look after them!**
- ◆ Many of the books can also be found as e-books or audio books on SORA for free.
  - ◆ If you can't find a book to read, speak to your teacher.

### When you have finished a book:

- ◆ Tick/highlight it and write the date you finished. A copy of the list is also on the website, in case you lose your booklet.
  - ◆ Mark the book as complete on BoomReader!
- ◆ Bring in your Recommended Reads booklet to school when you have read **TEN** of the books, so an adult at school can sign them off and celebrate your brilliant reading!

10 reads = 5 Potley Points

20 reads = 10 Potley Points

30 reads = your very own mufti day!

40 reads = 15 Potley Points

50+ reads = 20 Potley Points and a special celebration!

There are far more than 50 books in this booklet, in order to give your child the best chance of finding books that they enjoy!

Remember, you can't count books you have read before this year towards your challenge, but you can count books you read this year in class.

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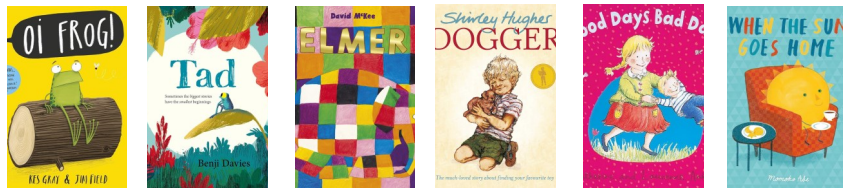
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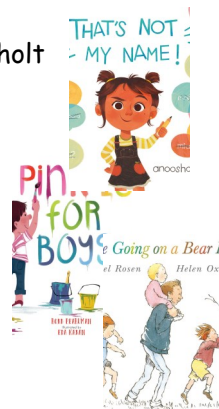


Picture books

- Nature Trail - Benjamin Zephaniah and Nila Aye
- What Happened to You? - James Catchpole and Karen George
- Little Glow - Katie Sahota and Harry Woodgate
- One Goose, Two Moose - Kael Tudor and Nicola Slater
- Ten Fat Sausages - Michelle Robinson and Tor Freeman
- Oi Frog! - Kes Gray and Jim Field
- Tad - Benji Davies
- Elmer - David McKee
- Dogger - Shirley Hughes



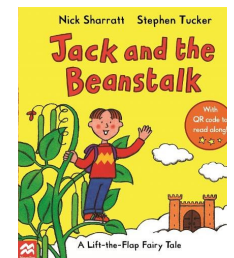
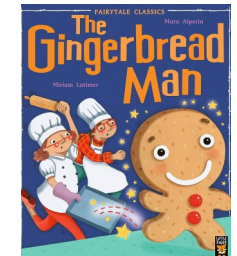
- Good Days Bad Days - Catherine and Laurence Arholt
- When the Sun Goes Home - Momoko Abe
- That's Not My Name! - Anoosha Syed
- Pink is for Boys - Robb Pearlman and Eda Kaban
- We're Going on a Bear Hunt - Michael Rosen and Helen Oxenbury



Classic tales

- The Little Red Hen
- The Gingerbread Man
- The Three Little Pigs
- Little Red Riding Hood
- Jack and the Beanstalk

There are many versions of these traditional tales (including audio books) so you can explore and find ones that you and your child enjoy!  
Below are some examples you could choose:



Illustrated chapter books and graphic novels

- Cat and Dumpling: Home Sweet Home - Nicola Kent
- Bear and Bird - Jarvis
- Meet the Mubbles - Liz Pichon
- Princess Minna: The Enchanted Forest - Kirsty Applebaum and Sahar Haghoo



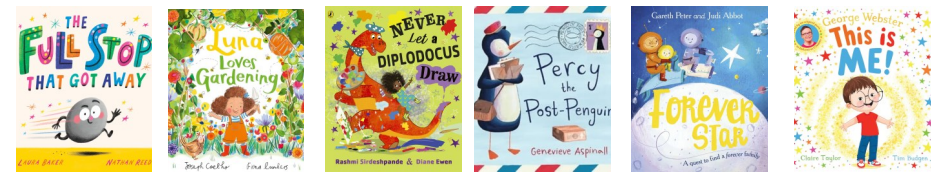
Non-fiction

- Rubbish? Don't Throw It Away! - Linda Newbury and Katie Rewse
- William Bee's Wonderful World of Things That Go! - William Bee
- It's Okay to Be Different - Todd Parr
- The Super Skeleton - Dr Roopa Farooki and Viola Wang
- A First Book of Dinosaurs - Simon Mole and Matt Hunt
- All Kinds of Families - Sophy Henn
- All Are Welcome - Alexandra Penfold



- The Girl at the Front of the Class - Onjali Q. Rauf and Pippa Curnick
- Martha Maps it Out - Leigh Hodgeinson
- Brenda is a Sheep - Morag Hood
- Where is the Cat? - Eva Eland
- Wowzers! - Lou Carter and Magda Brol
- Bedtime is Boring! - Georgie Birkett
- The Bear Out There—Jess Hannigan
- The Space Between - Clare Helen Welsh and Fiona Lumbers
- Super Duper You - Sophy Henn
- Room on the Broom - Julia Donaldson and Axel Schiffler
- Shark in the Park - Nic Sharratt
- Pumpkin Soup - Helen Cooper
- Aliens Love Underpants - Claire Freedman and Ben Cort





Picture books

- Gigantic - Rob Biddulph
- Farah Loves Mangos - Sarthak Sinha
- Clean Up! - Nathan Bryon and Dapo Adeola
- Can You Find My Eid Presents? - A. M. Dassu and Junissa Bianda
- Augustus and His Smile - Catherine Rayner
- The Pirate Mums - Jodie Lancet-Grant
- A Horse Called Now - Ruth Doyle and Alexandra Finkeldey
- I'm Not Sleepy - Raahat Kaduji
- Jabari Tries - Gaia Cornwall
- Listening to the Quiet - Cassie Silva and Frances Ives
- Is that your Mama? - Patrice Lawrence
- Lost and Found - Oliver Jeffers
- Supertato - Sue Hendra and Paul Linnet



- You Choose - Pippa Goodhart and Nick Sharratt
- There's A Tiger on the Train - Mariesa Dulak and Rebecca Cobb
- This is the Ship That Jack Built - Peter Millett and Sam Caldwell
- We Catch the Bus - Katie Abey
- How Long is That Dog? - John Bond
- Hank Goes Honk - Maudice Powell-Tuck and Duncan Beadie
- The Full Stop That Got Away - Laura Baker and Nathan Reed
- Luna Loves Gardening - Josphe Coelho and Fiona Lumbers
- Never Let a Diplodocus Draw - Rashmi Sirdeshpande and Diane Ewen
- Percy the Post Penguin - Genevieve Aspinall
- Forever Star - Gareth Peter and Judi Abbot
- This is Me - George Webster and Tim Budgen