

## Year 5 Recommended Reads

- ◆ All books are listed by genre to help you find something to enjoy.
- ◆ 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.
- ◆ You can read books from any genre—all from one or mix them up!
- ◆ The books can be found on the year 5 recommended reads shelf in our classroom. **These are either library copies, or Mrs Richards' or Miss Miles' own books, so please look after them!**
- ◆ Many of the books can also be found as e-books or audio books on SORA.
- ◆ If you can't find a book to read, speak to your class librarian, Mrs Wilding or Miss Miles.

### 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!

If you read a book you think should be added to the Recommended Reads, please let Miss Miles know!

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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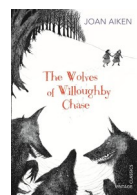
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Favourite Storytime books



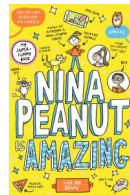
- The House with Chicken Legs - Sophie Anderson, Melissa Castrillon and Elisa Paganelli
- The Wolves of Willoughby Chase - Joan Aiken
- Crookhaven: The School for Thieves - J. J. Arcanjo

Funny books



- The Beast and the Bethany - Jack Meggitt-Phillips and Isabelle Follath
- Dexter Procter the 10-Year-Old Doctor - Adam Kay and Henry Parker
- Speedwheels 3000: The Race Against Crime - Jenny Pearson and Katie Kear

- Nina Peanut is Amazing - Sarah Bowie
- Diary of a Wimpy Kid - Jeff Kinney

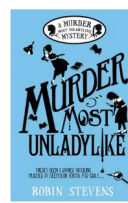
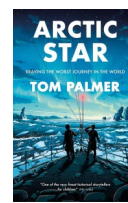


Mystery books

- The Case of the Lighthouse Intruder - Kereen Getten and Leah Jacobs-Gordon
- The Mizzy Mysteries: A Skeleton in the Closet - Claire Hatcher-Smith
- Real-Life Mysteries - Susan Martineau
- The Super Sunny Murder Club - Serena Patel and Robin Stevens



Use this space to record some ideas and thoughts about the books you have read - it could be some ratings, favourite characters, new facts you've learnt, or even drawings inspired by your reads.

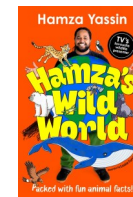


Historical Fiction

- Arctic Star - Tom Palmer
- Secrets of a Sun King - Emma Carroll
- A Different Kind of Freedom: a Romani Story - Richard O'Neill
- The Fossil Hunter - Kate Winter
- Anna at War - Helen Peters
- Murder Most Unladylike - Robin Stevens

Animal stories

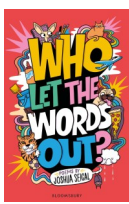
- Paws - Kate Foster
- The Last Bear - Hannah Gold and Levi Pinfold
- Hamza's Wild World - Hamza Yassin and Louise Forshaw
- Always, Clementine - Carlie Sorosiak



Fantasy, Myths and Legends

- Impossible Creatures - Katherine Rundell
- Pinch Perkins and the Midsummer Curse - Cathy FitzGerald
- Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief - Rick Riordan
- Dragon Mountain - Kevin and Katie Tsang





Poetry

- Who Let the Words Out? - Joshua Seigel
- My Heart is a Poem - Various poets

Adventures Around the World

- Land of the Last Wildcat - Lui Sit and David Dean
- Ghostlines - Katya Balen
- Brightstorm - Vashti Hardy
- The Time Travellers: Adventure Calling - Sufiya Ahmed and Alessia Trunfio
- Hunt for the Golden Scarab - M. G. Leonard and Manuel Sumberac
- Paper Dragons - Siobhan McDermott



True-to-Life Stories

- I Am Lenny Brown - Dan Freedman and Kajsja Hallstroem
- My Name is Sunshine Simpson - G. M. Linton and Fuji Takashi
- Ella on the Outside - Cath Howe
- Jaz Santos vs the World - Priscilla Mante



Graphic Novels and Picture Books

- Frankie's World - Aoife Dooley
- El Deafo - Cece Bell
- Roller Girl - Victoria Jamieson
- Varmints - Helen Ward



Shorter reads

- Lunar - Chris Bradford and Charlotte Grange
- Me and My Brian - Helen Rutter and Claudia Petrazzi
- Bobby Bains Plays a Blinder - Bali Rai and Daniel Duncan
- Frankenstiltskin - Joseph Coelho and Freya Hartas



Non-fiction

- Robots - Dr Henry Admoni, Neon Squid and Amy Grimes
- I Ate Sunshine for Breakfast - Micheal Holland and Philip Giordano
- Factopia - Kate Hale and Andy Smith
- Can You Get Rainbows in Space? - Dr Sheila Kanani

