

### Year 5 and 6 – Recommended Book List

We understand that sometimes finding and choosing the right book to interest and challenge your child can be difficult. Therefore, we have compiled a list of 100 books to help make this process easier. All of these books are recommended for children in Year 5 and 6. However it is important to remember that every child is different and we need to ensure that each book interests them and challenges them. If children always read books that are too easy for them, they will find it difficult to increase their vocabulary and make progress in reading.

Here is a link to a website where you can search for a book and read its synopsis to help you decide on its suitability for your child: <https://www.fictiondb.com/search/search.htm>

If you need any further support with choosing books for your child, please do not hesitate to talk to your child's class teacher.

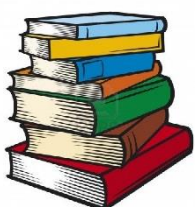
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The Year 5 and 6 Team

<b>Book Title</b>	<b>Author</b>
Demon Dentist	David Walliams
Good Night Mr Tom	Michelle Magorian
Inside Out and Back Again	Thannha Lai
The Suitcase Kid	Jacqueline Wilson
The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas	John Boyne
Firegirl	Tony Abbott
The Many Worlds of Albie Bright	Christopher Edge
Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief	Rick Riordan
Coraline	Neil Gaiman
Journey to the River Sea	Eva Ibbotson
Five On A Treasure Island	Enid Blyton
Time Travelling With a Hamster	Ross Welford
Room 13	Robert Swindells
A Monster Calls	Patrick Ness
Millions	Frank Cottrell-Boyce
Street Child	Berlie Doherty
Cogheart	Peter Bunzl
Cloud Busting	Malorie Blackman
Gaslight	Eloise Williams
Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone	JK Rowling
The Imaginary	A F Harold
Matilda	Roald Dahl

Kensuke's Kingdom	Michael Morpurgo
The Crossover	Kwame Alexander
Phoenix	S F Said
Charlotte's Web	E B White
Alice's Adventures In Wonderland	Lewis Carroll
The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe	C S Lewis
Stig Of The Dump	Clive King
Artemis Fowl	Eoin Colfer
Diary Of A Wimp Kid	Jeff Kinney
Five Children and It	E Nesbit
Beetle Boy	M G Leonard
Clockwork	Phillip Pullman
The Secret Garden	Frances Hodgson Burnett
Wonder	RJ Palacio
The Borrowers	Mary Norton
The Fantastic Flying Books of Mr Morris Lessmore	William Joyce
Skellig	David Almond
A Series of Unfortunate Events	Lemony Snickett
The Girl of Ink and Stars	Kiran Millwood Hargraves
Holes	Louis Sachar
Once	Morris Gleitzmann
Groosham Grange	Anthony Horowitz
The Indian In The Cupboard	Lynne Reed Banks
The Nowhere Emporium	Ross Mackenzie
Oranges in No Man's Land	Elizabeth Laird
Rooftoppers	Katherine Rundell
A Girl Called Owl	Amy Wilson
Shadow Forest	Matt Haig
The Diamond of Drury Lane	Julia Golding
The London Eye Mystery	Siobhan Dowd
The Silly Book of Side-Splitting Stuff	Andy Seed
The Dreamsnatcher	Abi Elphinstone
Mold and the Poison Plot	Lorraine Gregory
Flour Babies	Anne Fine
The Worst Children's Jobs In History	Tony Robinson
The Amazing Maurice and his Educated Rodents	Terry Pratchett
The Wolves of Willoughby Chase	Joan Aiken
The Queen's Nose	Dick King-Smith
Who Let The Gods Out?	Maz Evans
The Hobbit	JRR Tolkien
Black Beauty	Anna Sewell
The Demon Headmaster	Gillian Cross
LionBoy	Zizou Corder
The Wind in the Willows	Kenneth Grahame
The Wind Singer	William Nicholson
When Hitler Stole Pink Rabbit	Judith Kerr
How to Train Your Dragon	Cressida Cowell
A Library of Lemons	Jo Cotterill

The Bubble Boy	Stewart Foster
Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children	Ransom Riggs
The Boy Who Sailed the Ocean in an Armchair	Lara Williamson
Pax	Sara Pennypacker
My Brother is a Superhero	David Solomons
The Brilliant World of Tom Gates	Liz Pichon
Black Powder	Ally Sherrick
Sweet Pizza	G R Gremin
Swallows and Amazons	Arthur Ransome
Strange Star	Emma Carroll
A Long Walk To Water	Linda Sue Park
Sad Book	Michael Rosen
The Arrival	Shaun Tan
Ballet Shoes	Noel Streatfeild
Watership Down	Richard Adams
Swimming to the Moon	Jane Elson
Carrie's War	Nina Bawden
Peter Pan	JM Barrie
The Diary of Anne Frank	Anne Frank
Winter Magic	Stories by Various Authors
What to Do When You Worry Too Much	Dawn Huebner
The Secret of Nightingale Wood	Lucy Strange
The Invention of Hugu Cabret	Brian Selznick
There May Be A Castle	Piers Torday
Skullduggery Pleasant	Derek Landy
Howl's Moving Castle	Diana Wynne Jones
101 Poems for Children	Carol Ann Duffy
The Goldfish Boy	Lisa Thompson
The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane	Kate DiCamillo
The Wonderful Wizard of Oz	L Frank Baum



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