



Recommended Reads for Year Six*

Story Books

Clockwork by Philip Pullman

Holes by Louis Sachar

The Hobbit by J.R.R Tolkien

Skellig by David Almond

Artemis Fowl by Eoin Colfer

Russian Roulette by Anthony Horowitz

River Boy by Tim Bowler

Journey to the River Sea by Eva Ibbotson

Goodnight Mister Tom by Michelle Magorian

When Hitler Stole Pink Rabbit by Judith Kerr

Pig Heart Boy by Malorie Blackman

Millions by Frank Cottrell Boyce

Once by Morris Gleitzman

The Railway Children by E. Nesbit

The Mysterious Benedict Society by Trenton Lee Steward

Pathfinder by Angie Sage

Mission Survival by Bear Grylls

The Wolves of Willoughby Chase by Joan Aiken

Information Books

Over the course of Year 6 it is important to read a range of non-fiction texts.

These could be topic related books or books about your interests.

The following are a few of the suggested non-fiction by www.lovereadings4kids.co.uk :

- Predators by Steve Backshall
- Under the Weather: Stories About Climate Change by Tony Bradman
- Insiders Atlas of the Universe by Mark A. Garlick
- Insiders Children's Encyclopaedia of Dinosaurs by Michael K. Brett-Surman
- Why Can't I Tickle Myself? by Gemma Elwin Harris, Bear Grylls, Miranda Hart, Sir David Attenborough

Poetry

It is also important to explore a range of poetry. There are many poetry books and anthologies which children find pleasurable. Like many other books these can be shared at bedtimes or are for children to enjoy alone. Suggested poetry can be found at <http://www.lovereadings4kids.co.uk/genre/poe/Poetry-.html>

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