

Reading when you are in Key Stage 2 is all about enjoying books, building up stamina to read longer and more challenging texts, learning new vocabulary and understanding what you are reading.

There are old favourites on here as well as books that have just been published.

You can read these on your own or supported by an adult.

If you read one of the books on this list or a different title by one of the authors, you could write a book review, let your teacher know and/or add it to your book mark.

Year 5 & 6

Book Name	Author	В
The Diamond of Drury Lane	Julia Golding	Т
Carrie's War	Nina Bawden	Т
Noughts and Crosses	Malorie Blackman	Т
Treasure Island	Robert Louis Stevenson	S
Clockwork	Philip Pullman	R W
The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night Time	Mark Haddon	S Ea
Wizard of Oz	F Baum	N
Oliver Twist	Charles Dickens	P
Jungle Book	Rudyard Kipling	T R
The Diary of the Wimpy Kid	Jeff Kinney	N A
A Boy Called Christmas	Matt Haig	Jo
Tom's Midnight Garden	Philippa Pearce	A
Watership Down	David Parking	В
Holes	Louis Sachar	T A
The Uncommoners: The Crooked Sixpence	Katherine Woodfine	Т
Poppy Fields Mystery Series	Tanya Landman	N

Book Name	Author
The Borrowers	Mary Norton
The Bad Beginning	Lemony Snicket
The Boy Who Went Magic	A .P. Winter
School for Skylarks	Sam Angus
Running On the Roof of the World	Anthony Horowitz
Sputnik's Guide to Life on Earth	Frank Cottrell Boyie
My Brother is a Superhero	David Solomons
Pax	Sarah Pennypacker
Tome Gates: Dog Zombies Rule	Tom Gates
My Family and Other Animals	Gerald Durrell
Journey to the River Sea	Eva Ibbotson
Artemis Fowel	Eoin Colfer
Ballet Shoes	Noel Streatfield
The Accidental Secret Agent	Tom McLaughlin
The Wolf Wilder	Katherine Rundell
Murder Mystery Series	Tanya Landman

Non Fiction

Horrible History Series

A World of Cities by Lily Murray

Beyond the Sky: You and the Universe by Dara O'Brian

Real Life Mysteries. Can you Explain the Unexplained? By Susan Martineau

The Wonder Garden: Wander through the world's wildest habitats and discover more than 80 amazing animals by Jenny Broom



Year 3 & 4

Book Name	Author
Harry the Poisonous Centipede	Lynne Reid Banks
Kid Normal	Greg James
Fantastic Mr Fox	Roald Dahl
Dog in the Dungeon	Lucy Daniels
The Diary of a Killer Cat	Anne Fine
All Because of Jackson	Dick King Smith
Amelia Fang and the Barbaric Ball	Laura Ellen Anderson
Winnie the Pooh Collection	A A Milne
Mrs Pepperpot Stories	Alf Proyson
Cat in the Hat	Dr Seuss
The Butterfly Lion	Michael Morporgo
The BFG	Roald Dahl
The Hundred Mile an Hour Dog	Jeremy Strong
Charlotte's Webb	E.B White
The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe	C.S. Lewis
The Dragon's Child	Jenny Nimmo
The Sea Piper	Helen Creswell
Gregory Cool	Caroline Binch
The Iron Man	Ted Hughes
Stig of the Dump	Clive King
Cool	Michael Morpurgo
Gangster Granny	David Walliams
The Hedgehog	Dick King-Smith

Book Name	Author
Football Season 1: - Where Football Explains the World	Alex Bellos and Ben Lyttleton
The Wizards of Once	Cressida Cowell
Matt Millz	Harry Hill
Sky Dancer	Jill Lewis
The Worst Witch	Jill Murphy
l am not a Loser	Barry Loser
Toko – the Ninja Cat and the Great Escape	Dermot O'Leary
How to Train your Dragon	Cressida Cowell
Dog Man	Dav Pilkey
Clarice Beau, Utterly Me	Lauren Child
The Wind in the Willows	Kenneth Grahame
Little Foxes	Michael Morpurgo
The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark	Jill Tomlinson
The Magic Faraway Tree	Enid Blyton
The Fintastic Diary of Darcy Dolphin	Sam Watkins
The Pongwiffy Stories	Kaye Umansky
Witch Wars	Sibeal Punder
A Bear Grylls Adventure	Bear Grylls
Shifty McGifty and Slippery Sam	Tracey Corderoy
Jedi Academy	Jeffery Brown
Beast Quest Series	Adam Quade
The Racehorse Who Wouldn't Gallop	Clare Balding
The Seaside Puppy	Holly Webb

Non Fiction

The Orchard Book of First Greek Myths

Ripley's Believe It Or Not

Please Mr Buttler - Poetry by Allan Ahlberg

Guinness Book of World Records

How to Avoid a Wombat's Bum (Trivia Book) - Mitchell Symonds