

### Year 3 and 4 Book List 2024-25

Cycle A	A1		A2		A3		A4		A5		A6	
<b>Writing Text Focus (Writing Roots)</b>	<b>The Heart and the bottle</b> by <b>Oliver Jeffers</b>	<b>The story of Tutankamun</b> by <i>Patricia Cleveland-Peck</i>	<b>Frindleswylde</b> by Natalia O'Hara & Lauren O'Hara	<b>Cinderella of the Nile</b> by Beverley Naidoo	<b>The Barnabus Project</b> by the Fan Brothers	<b>The First Drawing</b> by Mordicai Gerstein	<b>The Thames and Tide Club</b> By Katya Balen	<b>The Tear Thief</b> By <b>Carol Ann Duffy</b>	<b>Varmints</b> By Helen Ward	<b>Escape from Pompeii</b> By Christina Balit	<b>The Iron Man</b> By Ted Hughes	<b>Pride</b> By Rob Sanders
<b>Guided Reading Class book (Literacy Leaf)</b>	<b>How does a lighthouse work?</b> By Roman Belyaev	<b>The Humans- Ancient Civilisations</b> By Jonny Max	<b>The White Fox</b> By Jackie Morris	<b>Africa, Amazing Africa</b> By Atinuke	<b>Skygazing</b> By Anna Claybourne	<b>The Poet's Dog</b> By Patricia MacLachlan	<b>The Necklace of Raindrops</b> By Joan Aiken	<b>New and Collected Poem for Children</b> By <b>Carol Ann Duffy</b>	<b>The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe</b> By CS Lewis	<b>I am the seed that Grew the Tree</b> By Fiona Waters	<b>The Firework Maker's Daughter</b> By <b>Phillip Pullman</b>	<b>Eart Shattering Events</b> By Robin Jacobs
<b>Reading for Pleasure Chapter books</b>	<b>Secrets of a Sun King</b> By <b>Emma Carroll</b> (Exploration)		<b>Harley Hitch and the Iron Forest</b> By Vashti Hardy (Sci-fi-Mystery)		<b>Deadly Letter*</b> By <b>Mary Hoffman</b> (Familiar Setting)		<b>You're thinking about tomatoes</b> By <b>Michael Rosen</b> (Humour)		<b>Romans on the Rampage!</b> By Jeremy Strong (Historical Setting)		<b>A Bear called Paddington</b> By Michael Bond (Classic Fiction)	
<b>Reading for Pleasure Picture books</b>	<b>How to Live Forever</b> By Colin Thompson (Fantasy)		<b>The Incredible Book Eating boy</b> By <b>Oliver Jeffers</b> (Humour)		<b>Ocean Meets Sky</b> By <b>The Fan Brothers</b> (Fantasy)		<b>The Midnight Panther</b> By Poonam Mistry (Modern Fable)		<b>The Lost Homework</b> By Richard O'Neill (Realistic)		<b>If I were Prime Minister</b> By <b>Trygve Skaug, Ella Okstad</b> (World Issues)	
<b>Reading for Pleasure Non-fiction</b>	<b>If: A Mind Bending Way of Looking at Big Ideas and Numbers</b> By David J Smith				<b>The Dictionary of Difficult Words</b> By Jane Solomon				<b>Amazing Islands: 100 Places that Will Boggle Your Mind</b> By Sabrina Weiss			
<b>Reading for Pleasure Poetry Book</b>	<b>Michael Rosen's A to Z – The best Children's Poetry</b>				<b>I am a jigsaw: Puzzling-</b> By Roger Stevens		<b>Hopscotch in the Key-</b> By Lucinda Jacob		The Puffin Book so Utterly Brilliant Poetry edited by Brian Patten			

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Cycle B	B1		B2			B3		B4		B5		B6		
<u>Writing Text Focus</u> (Writing Roots)	<b>Cloud Monkeys</b> By Mal Peet	<b>The Tin Forest</b> By Helen Ward	<b>Weslandia</b> By Paul Fleischman	<b>Granny came here on the Empire Windrush</b> By Patrice Lawrence		<b>The Pied Piper of Hamelin</b> By Michael Morpurgo	<b>The Selfish Giant</b> By Oscar Wilde	<b>Black Dog</b> By Levi Pinfold	<b>Shackleton's Journey</b> By William Grill	<b>Until I met Dudley</b> By Roger McGough and Chris Riddell	<b>Odd and Frost Giants</b> By Neil Gaiman	<b>Cinnamon</b> By Neil Gaiman	<b>Jabberwocky</b> By Lewis Carroll	
<u>Guided Reading Class book</u> (Literacy Leaf)	<b>Annie Lundsden, The girls from the sea</b> By David Almond	<b>Zombierella</b> By Joseph Coelho	<b>The Underdefeated</b> By Kwame Alexander	<b>Fortunately, The Milk</b> By Neil Gaiman	<b>The Wild Robot</b> By Peter Brown	<b>The Pied Piper of Hamelin</b> - By Robert Browning	<b>The Last Firefox</b> By Lee Newbury	<b>Poems of a Green and Blue Planet</b> By Sabine Mahfouz	<b>BFG</b> By Roald Dahl (Fantasy adventure)	<b>Viking Voyagers</b> By Jack Title	<b>Norse Myths</b> By Kevin Crossley-Holland	<b>Tamarind and the Star of Ishta</b> By Jasbinder Bilan	<b>Mr Penguin and the lost treasure</b> By Alex T. Smith	
<u>Reading for Pleasure Chapter books</u>	<b>Nim's Island</b> By Wendy Orr (Adventure)		<b>The Secret of Spiggy Holes</b> By Enid Blyton (Adventure-Mystery)			<b>Flat Stanley</b> By Jeff Brown (Humour)		<b>Real Pigeons Fight Crime</b> By Andrew McDonald (Humour)		<b>The Hodgeheg/ The Sheep Pig</b> By Dick King-Smith (Animals)		<b>The Boy Whose Wishes Came True?</b> By Helen Rutter (Magic Realism)		
<u>Reading for Pleasure Picture books</u>	<b>Leon and the Place Between</b> By Angela McCallister (Fantasy Adventure)		<b>The Fantastic Flying Books of Mr Morris Lessmore</b> By W. E. Joyce (Humour)			<b>You Wouldn't Want to be an Anglo Saxon Peasant!</b> by Jacqueline Morley		<b>I Talk Like a River</b> By Jordan Scott + Sydney Smith (Familiar Setting)		<b>Black Dog</b> By Levi Pinfold (Mystery)		<b>Rainforest Warrior</b> By Anita Ganeri (Environmental)		
<u>Reading for Pleasure Non-fiction</u>	<b>Can you get Rainbows in Space?</b> By Dr Sheila Kanani					<b>How to Survive Anywhere</b> By Ben Lerwill			<b>Earth Clock</b> By Welbeck					
<u>Reading for Pleasure Poetry book</u>	<b>The Big Amazing Poetry Book</b> - By Gab By Morgan					<b>I don't like Poetry</b> - By Joshua Seigal		<b>Who Let the Words Out</b> - By Joshua Seigal		<b>A Whale of a Time 365 poems</b>				

Year 5 and 6 Book List 2024-25

Cycle A	A1		A2			A3		A4		A5			A6		
<b>Writing Text Focus (Writing Roots)</b>	<b>The Odyssey</b> by Gillian Cross		<b>The Lost Thing</b> by Shaun Tan		<b>Kasper, Prince of Cats</b> by Michael Morpurgo	<b>Alte Zachen</b> by Ziggy Hanaor	<b>Anne Frank</b> by Josephine Poole	<b>Unforgotten Coat</b> by Frank Cottrell Boyce	<b>Leila and the Blue Fox</b> by Kiran Millwood Hargrave	<b>The Wind in the Wall</b> by Sally Gardner	<b>The Lizzie and Belle Mysteries</b> by J.T Williams		<b>High Rise Mystery</b> by Sharna Jackson	<b>Romeo and Juliet-</b> By William Shakespeare	
<b>Guided Reading Class book (Literacy Leaf)</b>	<b>When the Stars come out</b> By Nicola Edwards	<b>Mythologica</b> By Dr Stephen P Kershaw	<b>Who Let the Gods out</b> By Maz Evans	<b>Cosmic</b> By Frank Cottrell-Boyce (Sci-fi)	<b>Poetry for Young People-</b> Langston Hughes By Benny Andrews	<b>When Hitler sole Pink Rabbit</b> By Judith Kerr	<b>Letters from the Lighthouse</b> By Emma Carroll (Historical)	<b>One the Move: Poems about Migration</b> By Michael Rosen	<b>Leila and the Blue Fox</b> By Kiran Millwood Hargrave	<b>Darwin's Voyage of discovery</b> By Jake Williams	<b>On the Origin of Species</b> By Sabina Radeva	<b>Back and British: A short Essential History</b> By David Olusoga	<b>Poetry for Kids:</b> By William Shakespeare	<b>Me My Dad at the End of the Rainbow</b> By Benjamin Dean (Realistic)	
<b>Reading for Pleasure Chapter book</b>	<b>Mark of the Cyclops</b> By Saviour Pirotta (Mythology)		<b>Rumaysa</b> By Radiya Hafiza (Fairy tale)			<b>Other Words for Home</b> By Jasmine Warga (Realistic)		<b>The Boy at the Back of the Class</b> By Onjali Q. Rauf (Realistic)		<b>The Factory Made Boy</b> By Christine Nostlinger (Humour)			<b>Wildsmith: Into the Dark Forest</b> By Liz Flanagan (Fantasy)		
<b>Reading for Pleasure Picture book</b>	<b>The Visitor</b> By Antje Damm (Friendship)		<b>Last – The Story of a white Rhino</b> By Nicola Davies (Animals)			<b>War Horse- Picture Book</b> By Michael Morpurgo (Historical)		<b>The Arrival</b> By Shaun Tan (Classic Fiction)		<b>King of the Sky</b> By Nicola Davies (Realistic)			<b>The Stinky Cheese Man and Other Fairly Stupid Tales</b> By Jon Scieszka (Fairy Tales)		
<b>Reading for Pleasure Non-fiction</b>	<b>Tales of Ancient Worlds</b> By Stefan Milosavljevich					<b>Kay's Anatomy</b> By Adam Kay					<b>How Everything Works</b> By DK				
<b>Reading for Pleasure Poetry book</b>	<b>Sensational</b> Chosen By Roger Cough		<b>Being you- Poems of Positivity</b> By Daniel Thompson <b>Big Thoughts for Little Thinkers</b> By Daniel Thompson			<b>Classic Poems</b> By Miles Kelly		Book of Very Silly Poems- Michael Rosen Spike Milligan- <b>Silly Verse for Kids</b>		<b>Tiger Tiger Burning Bright- 365 poems</b>			<b>Hot like fire and other poems-</b> Valerie Bloom		

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<b>Writing Text Focus (Writing Roots)</b>	<b>The Island</b> By Armin Greder	<b>The Tempest</b> By William Shakespeare	<b>The Whale</b> By Ethan and Vita Murrow	<b>The Hidden Forest</b> By Jeannie Baker	<b>Can we save a tiger?</b> By Martin Jenkins	<b>Rain Plater</b> By David Wisniewski	<b>Paradise Sands</b> By Levi Pinfold	<b>Firebird</b> By Saviour Pirotta and Catherine Hyde	<b>Beowulf</b> By Michael Morpurgo	<b>Suffragette: The Battle for Equality</b> By David Roberts	<b>The Invention of Hugo Cabret</b> By Brian Selznick	<b>The Last wild</b> By Piers Torday
<b>Guided Reading Class book (Literacy Leaf)</b>	<b>The Wolves of Willoughby Chase</b> By Joan Aiken	<b>The Listeners</b> By Walter de La Mare	<b>The Secret of Haven Point</b> By Lisette Auton	<b>The story of Titanic for Children</b> By Joe Fullman	<b>Politics for beginners</b> By Louie Stowell	<b>Real Life Mysteries</b>	<b>Sir Gawain and the Green Knight</b> By Michael Morpurgo	<b>Grimm Tales for Young and Old</b> By Phillip Pullman	<b>Malala</b> By Malala Yousafzai	<b>Hidden Figures-</b> By Margot Lee Shetterly	<b>The Invention of Hugo Cabret</b> By Brian Selznick	<b>Overheard in the Tower Block</b> By Joseph Coelho
<b>Reading for Pleasure Chapter book</b>	<b>Treason</b> By Berlie Doherty (Historical Setting)		<b>Kensuke's Kingdom</b> By Michael Morpurgo (Adventure)		<b>Tom's Midnight Garden</b> By Philippa Pearce (Classic -Fantasy)		<b>The Great Chocoplot</b> By Chris Callaghan (Mystery)		<b>Bills New Frock</b> By Anne Fine (Comedy)		<b>A Different Sort of Normal</b> By Abigail Balfe (Realistic)	
<b>Reading for Pleasure Picture books</b>	<b>The Lost Happy Endings</b> By Carol Ann Duffy (Fantasy)		<b>Wild is the Wind</b> By Grahame Baker-Smith (Travel)		<b>I am the Subway</b> By Kim Hyo-eun (Transport- Cultural)		<b>The Island</b> By Armin Greder (Realistic)		<b>The Viewer</b> By Gary Crew (Fantasy)		<b>The Mysteries of Harris Burdick</b> By Chris Van Allsburg (Mystery)	
<b>Reading for Pleasure Non-fiction</b>	<b>Oceanarium</b> By Loveday Trinick				<b>You are History</b> By Greg Jenner				<b>Am I made of stardust?</b> BY Dr Maggie Aderin-Pocock			
<b>Reading for Pleasure Poetry Book</b>	<b>My Heart is a poem-</b> Poetry about Feelings		<b>Tiger Tiger Burning Bright-</b> 365 poems		<b>The School of Life-</b> An Emotional Menagerie		<b>Bright Burst of Colour</b> By Matt Goodfellow and Aleksi Bitskoff		<b>Funky Chicken-</b> Benjamin Zephaniah		<b>The Rainmaker danced</b> By John Agard and Satosi Kitamura	