



Devon School Library Service

Supporting Learning in Schools

Go Reading Book list for Year 5

A world of reading and Dare to enter...the house of reading

Book by an author you have not read before

Free choice.

Adventure story

BANKS Lynne Reid
BIRDSALL Jeanne
BLACKMAN Malorie

CORDER Zizou
D'LACEY Chris
DODER Joshua

ELBOZ Stephen
FARDELL John
GARDNER Sally
HART Matt

HAYNES Natalie
HOROWITZ Anthony
IBBOTSON Eva

KORMAN Gordon

MASSON Sophie
MASTERS Anthony

MORPURGO Michael
MORRISON P R
MOULD Chris

Harry the poisonous centipede's big adventure.
The Penderwicks.
Forbidden game.
A.N.T.I.D.O.T.E.
Hacker.
The computer ghost.
Lion boy.
Horace.
A dog called Grk.
Grk and the Pelotti gang.
Grk and the hotdog trail.
The tower at Moonville.
The 7 professors of the far north.
The boy with the magic numbers.
The black sphinx.
The midnight beast.
The great escape.
The devil and his boy.
Journey to the river sea.
The star of Kazan.
Chasing the falconers.
The fugitive factor.
Thomas Trew and the hidden people.
Deathtrap.
Hunted.
Shark attack.
Kensuke's kingdom.
The wind tamer.
The wooden mile.
The icy hand.

MOWLL Joshua	The darkling curse.
	Operation Red Jericho.
	Operation typhoon shore.
NICKERSON Sara	How to disappear completely and never be found.
PAULSEN Garry	Hatchet.
PAVER Michelle	Chronicles of ancient darkness series.
PRIESTLEY Chris	Death and the arrow.
REEVE Philip	Buster Bayliss series.
RICHARDS Justin	The Invisible detective series.
ROBERTS Katherine	The Mausoleum murder.
RUTT Val	The race for the lost keystone.
TREWELLARD J M	Butterfingers.
WILKINSON Carole	Dragon keeper.
WILLIAMS Alex	The talent thief.
Funny story	
AHLBERG Allan	Giant baby.
	Woof.
	The boy, the wolf, the sheep and the lettuce.
BANKS Lynne Reid	Harry the poisonous centipede.
BARNES Emma	Sam and the Griswalds.
BLAKE Jon	Stinky Finger's house of fun.
	Crazy party at the house of fun.
	Holiday mania at the house of fun.
COWELL Cressida	How to train your dragon.
	How to speak dragonese.
	How to cheat a dragon's curse.
	How to be a pirate.
DOYLE Roddy	The meanwhile adventures.
GATES Susan	Night of the haunted trousers.
GLEITZMAN Morris	Misery guts.
	Puppy fat.
	Worry warts.
	Aristotle's nostril.
GRAY Kes	Huffaluks, maggots and hermits.
	Cowcumpers, pippelwaks and altigators.
HENDRY Diana	Harvey Angell.
HOROWITZ Anthony	Granny.
	The falcon's malteser.
	The French confection.
JENNINGS Paul	Lots of stories.
JOHNSON Pete	Rescuing dad.
LLEWELLYN Sam	Little darlings.
	Desperado Darlings.
McDONALD Alan	Fleas. Dirtie Bertie series.
NADIN Joanna	Soloman Smee versus the monkeys.
OGDEN Charles	Rare beasts.
	Pet's revenge.
	High wire.
	Ribticklers! Funny stories chosen by Michael Rosen.
SNICKET Lemony	A series of unfortunate events.
PIELICHATY Helen	Simone's letters.
STANTON Andy	You're a bad man, Mr Gum.

STRONG Jeremy
UMANSKY Kaye
WHYBROW Ian

Mr Gum and the biscuit millionaire.
Mr Gum and the goblins.
Krazy kow saves the world – well, almost.
Pongwiffy.
Little wolf's book of badness.

Ghost or mystery story

AIKEN Joan
ARRIGAN Mary

Snow horse and other stories.
Baldur's bones.
Grimstone's ghost.

BRADMAN Tony (Ed.)

Tales of terror: Deadly game.
Tales of terror: Final cut.

DEAN Jan
EVANS Ann
FRENCH Vivian
GARFIELD Leon
GATES Susan

The Claygate hound.
The beast.
Sharp sheep.
Mr Corbett's ghost.
The night of the haunted trousers.
Revenge of the toffee monster.
Invasion of the vampire spiders.

GLOVER Sandra
HENDRY Diana
IBBOTSON Eva

Devil's rock.
Harvey Angell and the ghost child.
Dial a ghost.

JACQUES Brian
JOHNSON Pete

The great ghost rescue.
Seven strange and ghostly tales.
Ghost dog.
The phantom thief.
The frighteners.
The creeper.

KEMP Gene
MAHY Margaret
MASTERS Anthony

My friend's a werewolf.
Snaggletooth's mystery.
Shock forest and other stories.
Dancing with the dead.
Dark tower.

MORPURGO Michael
NEWBERY Linda
NIMMO Jenny
POTTER Tessa
STEWART Paul

Beware the wicked web.
The ghost of Grania O'Malley.
At the firefly gate.
The Rinaldi ring.
The ghosts of Golfhawk school.
The waking.
The midnight hand.
The curse of Magoria.
Curse of the night wolf.

SWINDELLS Robert

Room 13.

WADDELL Martin

Nightmare stairs.
Soft butter's ghost and Himself.
Gallows hill and The ghostly penny.
Bone and the tinker and Dancing with Francie.
Death and the neighbours and Little Bridget.

Book in letter or diary format

CAREY Janet Lee	Wenny has wings.
GRAVETT Emily	Meerkat mail (Pic.)
GRINDLEY Sally	Dear Max.
	Bravo Max.
	Relax Max.
HORSE Harry	The last polar bears.
	The last cowboys.
	The last castaways.
MOON Pat	Do not read this book.
PIELICHATY Helena	Simone's letters.
TOWNSON Hazel	Two weird weeks.
	Deathwood letters.
	Dark deeds at Deathwood.
URE Jean	Shrinking violet.
WHYBROW Ian	Little Wolf's book of badness.
WILES Deborah	Love, Ruby Lavender.

Myth or legend

Any myth or legend from collections in your library that may be found in the non-fiction sequence at Dewey number 292 or 398.2.

BARLOW Steve & SKIDMORE, Steve	Stone me! Mind the door! A touch of wind! Must fly!
CROSSLEY-HOLLAND Kevin	Outsiders.
HENDERSON Kathy	Lugalbanda the boy who got caught up in a war.
MCCAUGHREAN Geraldine	Greek heroes. St George and the dragon (Pic.)
MORPURGO, Michael	Arthur, high king of Britain. Beowulf. Robin of Sherwood.
WILLIAMS Marcia	Sir Gawain and the green knight. Greek myths (Pic.) The Iliad and the Odyssey (Pic.) Adventures of Robin Hood (Pic.)

Non-fiction book or website about your hobby

Pupils research their hobby or interest in either a non-fiction book from home or school or on a website and come up with 3 interesting facts to share with the class or a reading partner.

Traditional tale

ANDERSEN HANS CHRISTIAN	Individual stories available as picture books.
BECK Ian	The secret history of Tom Trueheart
CHILD Lauren	Who's afraid of the big bad book (Pic.) The princess and the pea (Pic.)
DOHERTY Berlie	Fairy tales.
GARDNER Lyn	Into the woods.
GRIMM	Hansel and Gretel illustrated by Anthony Browne (Pic.)
HUGHES Shirley	Ella's big chance (Pic.)

JONES Terry
LEESON Robert
McBRATNEY Sam
ORAM Hiawyn
PIROTTA Saviour
SCIESZKA Jon

Fairy tales.
The amazing adventures of Idle Jack.
One voice please: tales of truth and trickery.
The wise doll (Pic.)
Once upon a world series.
The stinky cheese man (Pic.)
The true story of the 3 little pigs (Pic.)

Your choice

Children choose whatever they like to read but must be prepared to tell you/ the class why they chose it. Would they recommend this "good read" to a friend?