

Recommended Books for Children

Here are just a few great titles that your children may wish to read or are fab reads for bedtime stories.

Nursery	<p>The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle We're Going on a Bear Hunt by Michael Rosen The Gruffalo by Julia Donaldson Owl Babies by Martin Waddell You Choose! By Pippa Goodhart Elmer by David McKee Brown Bear, Brown Bear What do you see? By Bill Martin Jr/Eric Carle The Train Ride by June Cribbin Each Peach Pear Plum by Janet and Alan Ahlberg Peepo by Alan Ahlberg Dear Zoo by Rod Campbell Rosie's Walk by Pat Hutchins Meg and Mog by Helen Nicoll and Jan Pienkowski Hug by Jez Alborough Spot Books by Eric Hill</p>
Reception	<p>Peace At Last by Jill Murphy Funnybones by Allan Ahlberg Cops and Robbers by Allan Ahlberg Hairy Maclary from Donaldson's Dairy by Lynley Dodd Meg and Mog by Helen Nichol Not now, Bernard by David McKee Whatever next by Julia Donaldson Room on the broom by Julia Donaldson Snail and the Whale by Julia Donaldson Alfie by Shirley Hughes Duck in a truck by Jez Alborough Sheep in a Jeep by Nancy E. Shaw Mr Grumpy's Outing by John Burningham Mr Wolfs by Jan Fearnley Rainbow Fish by Marcus Pfister Guess How Much I Love You by Anita Jeram</p>
Year 1	<p>Cinnamon by Neil Gaiman I Can Only draw Worms by Will Mabbit Goodnight Everyone by Chris Haughton The Bad Tempered Ladybird by Eric Carle There Are Cats in this Book by Viviane Schwarz Mister Magnolia by Quentin Blake Katie Morag's Island Stories by Mairi Hedderwick My Friend Bear by Jez Alborough Avocado Baby by John Burningham The Tiger Who Came to Tea by Judith Kerr Dogger by Shirley Hughes I want my Hat Back by Jon Klassen Penguin by Polly Dunbar Dinosaurs in the Supermarket! by Timothy Knapman Courtney by John Burningham</p>
Year 2	<p>Six Dinner Sid by Inga Moore Mr Majeika by Humphrey Carpenter Jinnie Ghost by Berlie Doherty The Day the Crayons Quit by Drew Daywalt Mrs Wobble the Waitress by Allan Ahlberg The Giraffe and the Pelly and Me by Roald Dahl Mog Time Treasury – Six Stories About Mog the Forgetful Cat by Judith Kerr</p>

	<p>Mr Wolf's Pancakes by Jan Fearnley Nim's Island by Wendy Orr The Tear Thief by Carol Ann Duffy The Dragonsitter by Josh Lacey The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark by Jill Tomlinson The Cat in the Hat by Dr Seuss Where the Wild Things Are by Maurice Sendak Handa's Surprise by Eileen Browne Giraffes can't Dance by Giles Andreae</p>
Year 3	<p>The World According to Humphrey by Betty G Birney Harry the Poisonous Centipede by Lynne Reid Banks Dilly the dinosaur by Tony Bradman The Invisible Boy by Trudy Ludwig Flat Stanley by Jeff Brown The Magic finger by Roald Dahl My Naughty Little sister by Dorothy Edwards The Diary of the Killer Cat by Anne Fine Picasso Perkins by Adele Geras Charlie Moon by Shirley Hughes All Because of Jackson by Dick King Smith The Hodgeheg by Dick King Smith Who's in the Loo by Jeanne Willis The Story of the 3 Little Pigs by Jon Scieszka It was a Dark and Stormy Night by Janet Ahlberg The Railway Cat by Phyllis Arkle The Worst Witch by Jill Murphy George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl</p>
Year 4	<p>How to Train Your Dragon by Cressida Cowell Lizzie Dripping by Helen Cresswell The Children of Green Knowe by Lucy M Boston Operation Gadgetman! by Malorie Blackman The Peppermint Pig by Nina Bawden The Great Elephant Chase by Gillian Cross The Twits by Roald Dahl Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl War Game by Michael Foreman The Last Castaways by Harry Horse The Falcon's Malteser by Anthony Horowitz The House that Sailed Away by Pat Hutchins Fairy Tales by Terry Jones The Suitcase Kid by Jacqueline Wilson Billionaire boy by David Walliams Cliffhanger by Jacqueline Wilson The Legend of Captain Crow's Teeth by Eoin Colfer The invisible dog by Dick King Smith The Battle of Bubble and Squeak by Phillippa Pearce Give Peas a Chance by Morris Gleitzman The amazing Story of Adolphus Tips by Michael Morpurgo The Yearling by Marjorie Rawlings The Butterfly Lion by Michael Morpurgo Heard it in the Playground by Allan Ahlberg The Hundred and One Dalmatians by Dodie Smith The Iron Man by Ted Hughes Stig of the Dump by Clive King</p>
Year 5	<p>The Railway Children by E Nesbit Carrie's War by Nina Bawden The Crowstarver by Dick King Smith Awful End by Philip Ardagh</p>

	<p>Fruit and Nutcase by Jean Ure Granny by Anthony Horowitz Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo Lion Boy by Zizou Corder The Machine Gunners by Robert Westall Skellig by David Almond Superfudge by Judy Bloom Tell Me No Lies by Malorie Blackman The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe by CS Lewis Goodnight Mister Tom by Michelle Magorain Why the Whales Came by Michael Morpurgo The borrowers by Mary Norton Silverfin by Charlie Higson Beetle Boy by MG Leonard Charlotte's Web by E B White Danny the Champion of the World by Roald Dahl Dial a Ghost by Eva Ibbotson Dragon Rider by Cornelia Funke Emil and the Detectives by Erich Kastner The Incredible Adventures of Professor Branestawm by Norman Hunter The Ghost of Thomas Kempe by Penelope Lively The Harry Potter Series by J K Rowling Krinklekrax by Philip Ridley Scribbleboy by Philip Ridley When Hitler Stole Pink Rabbit by Judith Kerr The Demon Headmaster by Gillian Cross The Witches by Roald Dahl The Scarecrow and his Servant by Philip Pullman A Series of Unfortunate Events by Lemony Snicket Woof by Allan Ahlberg Laughter is an Egg by John Agard The Factory Made Boy by Christine Nostlinger The Midnight fox by Betsie Byars</p>
Year 6	<p>Clockwork by Philip Pullman Artemis Fowl by Eoin Colfer Watership down by Richard Adams The Goldfish Boy by Lisa Thompson The Wolves of Willoughby Chase by Joan Aiken The Dark is Rising Sequence by Susan Cooper War Horse by Michael Morpurgo Private Peaceful by Dick King Smith Northern Lights by Philip Pullman Percy Jackson series by Rick Riordan Holes by Louis Sachar Moondiall by Helen Cresswell Wolf by Gillian Cross Beowulf by Kevin Crossley-Holland The Village by the Sea by Anita Desai The Turbulent Term of Tyke Tyler by Gene Kemp Tales from Shakespeare by Charles and Mary Lamb The Goalkeeper's Revenge by Bill Naughton Blitz Boys by Linda Newbery Blitzcat by Robert Westall Swallows and Amazons by Arthur Ransome The Silver Sword by Ian Serraillier The Switchers Trilogy by Kate Thompson Mad Iris by Jeremy Strong</p>

	Noughts and Crosses by Malorie Blackman Knife Edge by Malorie Blackman The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time by Mark Haddon Boy Overboard by Morris Gleitzman
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