

## SUGGESTED BOOK LIST: ST CHRISTOPHER'S SCHOOL Year 5: Autumn 2020

This list includes a selection of good quality children's books to encourage your reading. When choosing a book, take time to study the blurb and to skim through the opening chapters to find out if a particular book appeals, or is suitable. Read as widely as you can in order to develop your individual taste and judgment.

Joan Aiken:	Blackhearts in Battersea
Tom Avery:	My Brother's Shadow
Lynne Reid Banks:	One More River
Nina Bawden:	Carrie's War
B.B:	Brendon Chase
Jasbinder Bilan	Asha & The Spirit Bird
Jeanne Birdsall:	The Penderwicks
Malorie Blackman:	Pig-heart Boy
Anne Booth:	Girl with a White Dog
Emma Carroll	The Somerset Tsunami
Frank Cottrell Boyce:	Millions
	Cosmic
Theresa Breslin:	Kezzie
Jessica Brody:	Unremembered
H M Castor:	VIII
Soman Chainani:	School For Good and Evil
Lauren Child:	Ruby Redfort series
Anne-Marie Conway:	Butterfly Summer
	Forbidden Friends
Susan Cooper:	The Dark is Rising series
Sharon Creech:	Ruby Holler
	Walk Two Moons
Sarah Crossan:	Apple and Rain
Kevin Crossley-Holland:	Gatty's Tale
Roald Dahl:	Boy
Anna Dale:	Dawn Undercover
Berlie Doherty:	Children of Winter
	Holly Starcross
Roddy Doyle:	A Greyhound of a Girl
	Brilliant
Tonke Dragt:	The Letter for the King
Helen Dunmore:	Ingo
Christopher Edge:	The Infinite Lives of Maisie Day
Deborah Ellis:	Parvana's Journey
Jane Elson:	A Room full of Chocolate
Penelope Farmer:	Charlotte Sometimes
Cornelia Funke:	The Thief Lord
	Inkheart trilogy
	Dragon Keeper trilogy
Paul Gallico:	Thomasina
Sally Gardner:	I, Coriander
	The Red Necklace

Alan Garner:	Elidor
Adele Geras:	Lizzie's Wish
	Cecily's Portrait
Morris Gleitzman:	Once; Then; Now; After
Rumer Godden:	The Dark Horse
Julia Golding:	The Cat Royal series
	Ringmaster
	Empty Quarter
Sandra Greaves:	The Skull in the Wood
G R Gemin:	Cowgirl
Sally Grindley:	Spilled Water
	Bitter Chocolate
John Grisham:	Theodore Boone
E S Grove:	The Glass Sentence (The Mapmakers trilogy)
Alex Gutteridge:	Last Chance Angel
Frances Hardinge:	A Face Like Glass
Jane Hardstaff:	The Executioner's Daughter
A. F. Harold:	The Song From Somewhere Else
Sonya Hartnett:	The Silver Donkey
	The Children of the King
Carl Hiaasen:	Hoot
Mary Hoffman:	Stravaganza series
Mary Hooper:	At the Sign of the Sugared Plum
	At the House of the Magician
Anthony Horowitz:	The Alex Rider series
	Granny
Polly Ho-Yen:	Boy in the Tower
Erin Hunter:	Warrior Cats series
	Survivors series
	The Seekers series
Eva Ibbotson:	Journey to the River Sea
	The Dragonfly Pool
	Star of Kazan
	One Dog and his Boy
Ellie Irving:	The Matilda Effect
Gareth P Jones:	The Society of Thirteenth
	Constable and Toop
Diana Wynn Jones:	Howl's Moving Castle
Lena Jones	Agatha Oddly series
Judith Kerr:	When Hitler Stole Pink Rabbit
Liz Kessler:	Emily Windsnap series
	Philippa Fisher series
	A Year Without Autumn
Chris d'Lacey:	The Fire Within series
Suzanne LaFleur:	Eight Keys
Thanhha Lai:	Inside Out & Back Again
Elizabeth Laird:	Red Sky in the Morning
	The Garbage King
	The Fastest Boy in the World
Andrew Lane:	The Young Sherlock Holmes series

Caroline Lawrence:	The Roman Mysteries series
Joan Lingard:	Natasha's Will
Rebecca Lisle:	The Spin
	Brightling
Penelope Lively:	The Ghost of Thomas Kempe
	A Stitch in Time
Lois Lowry:	Number the Stars
	The Giver series
Michelle Magorian:	Good Night Mr Tom
Gemma Malley:	The Declaration
Irfan Master:	A Beautiful Lie
Geraldine McCaughrean:	The Positively Last Performance
	The Middle of Nowhere
Hilary McKay:	Binny for Short
Cliff McNish:	The Doomspell series
Jaclyn Moriarty	The Extremely Inconvenient Adventures of Bronte Mettlestone
Michael Morpurgo:	The Amazing Story of Adolphus Tips
	War Horse
	Shadow
	Listen to the Moon
Beverley Naidoo:	No Turning Back
Linda Newbery:	Polly's March
Jenny Nimmo:	Midnight for Charlie Bone series
Kate O'Hearn:	Pegasus series
Robert O'Brien:	Mrs Frisby and the Rats of Nimh
Katharine Orton	Nevertell
R J Palacio:	Wonder
James Patterson:	Maximum Ride series
Michelle Paver:	Chronicles of Ancient Darkness series
	Dark Matter: A Ghost Story
Philippa Pearce:	Tom's Midnight Garden
K M Peyton:	Flambards
Julie Pike	The Last Spell Breather
Sarah Prineas:	The Magic Thief series
Philip Pullman:	The Ruby in the Smoke series
Nigel Quinlan:	The Cloak of Feathers
K A S Quinn:	The Queen Must Die (Chronicles of Tempus)
Philip Reeve:	Mortal Engines series
	Goblins
Paul Stewart/ Chris Riddell:	The Edge Chronicles
Rick Riordan:	Percy Jackson series
Katherine Roberts:	Sword of Light
Katherine Rundell:	The Girl Savage
	Rooftoppers
Angie Sage:	Septimus Heap series
S F Said:	Varjak Paw
	The Outlaw Varjak Paw
	Phoenix

Marcus Sedgwick:	The Dark Horse
Megan Shepherd:	The Secret Horses of Briar Hill
Nicky Singer:	Feather Boy
	The Flask
Lauren St John:	The One Dollar Horse trilogy
	Laura Marlin mysteries
Robin Stevens:	Arsenic for Tea
Tenton Lee Stewart:	The Mysterious Benedict Society series
Catherine Storr:	Marianne Dreams
Jonathan Stroud:	The Screaming Staircase
Teri Terry:	Slated trilogy
Lisa Thompson:	The Goldfish Boy
	The Light Jar
Piers Torday:	The Last Wild
Sandi Toksvig:	Hitler's Canary
Sue Townsend:	The Secret Diary of Adrian Mole Aged 13 $\frac{3}{4}$
Ann Turnbull:	Josie Under Fire
	Mary Ann and Miss Mozart
	Pigeon Summer trilogy
Eleanor Updale:	Montmorency
Cynthia Voigt:	Homecoming
Jill Paton Walsh:	The Dolphin Crossing
Sylvia Waugh:	The Mennymys
T H White:	The Sword in the Stone
	Mistress Masham's Repose
Amy Wilson	Snowglobe
Jeanette Winterson:	Tanglewreck
Adeline Yen Mah:	Chinese Cinderella: The Mystery of the Song
	Dynasty Painting
Benjamin Zephaniah:	Refugee Boy

#### **SOME CLASSIC TITLES:**

<b>Hans Christian Anderson:</b>	Fairy Tales
<b>Louisa M Alcott:</b>	Little Women
<b>L. Frank Baum:</b>	The Wizard of Oz
<b>Lucy Boston:</b>	The Children of Green Knowe
<b>Pamela Brown:</b>	The Swish of the Curtain
<b>Frances Hodgson Burnett:</b>	The Secret Garden
	A Little Princess
<b>Sheila Burnford:</b>	The Incredible Journey
<b>Lewis Carroll:</b>	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland
<b>Susan Coolidge:</b>	What Katy Did
<b>Richmal Crompton:</b>	The Just William books
<b>Charles Dickens:</b>	A Christmas Carol
<b>Anne Frank:</b>	The Diary of a Young Girl
<b>Eve Garnett:</b>	The Family of One End Street
<b>Kenneth Grahame:</b>	The Wind in the Willows
<b>Rudyard Kipling:</b>	The Just So Stories
<b>Ursula Le Guin:</b>	A Wizard of Earthsea

<b>C.S. Lewis:</b>	The Narnia Chronicles
<b>L M Montgomery:</b>	Anne of Green Gables
<b>Edith Nesbit:</b>	Five Children and It The Railway Children
<b>Mary Norton:</b>	The Borrowers
<b>Arthur Ransome:</b>	Swallows and Amazons
<b>Antoine de Saint-Exupery:</b>	The Little Prince
<b>Anna Sewell:</b>	Black Beauty
<b>Dodie Smith:</b>	The 101 Dalmatians
<b>Joanna Spyri:</b>	Heidi
<b>Noel Streatfeild:</b>	Ballet Shoes; Theatre Shoes
<b>J.R.R. Tolkien:</b>	The Hobbit
<b>P.L. Travers:</b>	Mary Poppins
<b>Oscar Wilde:</b>	The Happy Prince and other stories

### **NEW TO THE LIBRARY:**

Kirsty Applebaum:	The Middler
Catherine Bruton:	No Ballet Shoes in Syria
Chloe Daykin:	Fish Boy
Kate DiCamillo:	Louisiana's Way Home
Samuel J. Halpin:	The Peculiar Peggs of Riddling Woods
Amanda Hosch:	Mabel Opal Pear and the Rules For Spying
Anna James:	Pages & Co
Lynne Kelly:	Song for a Whale
Gill Lewis:	The Closest Thing to Flying
Joan Lingard:	The Eleventh Orphan
Onjali Q. Raúf:	The Boy at the Back of the Class
Nicola Skinner:	Bloom
Matilda Woods:	The Girl, the Cat and the Navigator
Lucy Worsley:	Lady Mary