

PARAGON PICKS

FOR YEARS 3+4

Paragon Picks

The titles on this reading list have been selected to encourage children to enjoy reading, by offering a variety of genres as well as guiding them to read titles by well-respected authors.

Able Reader

You like reading independently but still find some words or ideas difficult to understand.

Author

Title

Anderson, Laura Ellen

The Amelia Fang Series

Blade, Adam

Beast Quest series

Cobb, Amelia

Zoe's Rescue Zoo Series

Dahl, Roald

The Giraffe and the Pelly and Me

Daniels, Lucy

Animal Ark Series

Hoy, Chris

Flying Fergus Series

James, Laura

Captain Pug

Gough, Julien

Rabbit & Bear Series

Gray, Kes

Daisy Series

Matthews, Andrew and Ross, Tony

The Shakespeare Stories Series

Muncaster, Harriet

Isadora Moon Series

Murphy, Jill

The Worst Witch Series

Oldfield, Matt and Tom

Ultimate Football Heroes

Reeve, Philip

Pugs of the Frozen North

Smith, Alex T.

Claude Series

Stanton, Andy

Mr Gum Series



Confident Reader

You enjoy reading and can read independently.

Author	Title
Blyton, Enid	The Faraway Tree Series
Cleverly, Sophie	Scarlet and Ivy Series
Cowell, Cressida	How to Train Your Dragon Series
Dahl, Roald	The BFG
Fletcher, Tom	The Creakers
Griffiths, Andy	The 13-Storey Treehouse
Hafiza, Radiya	Rumaysa, A Fairytale
Haig, Matt	A Boy Called Christmas
Kay, Adam	Kay's Anatomy: A Complete (and Completely Disgusting) Guide to the Human Body
Leonard, M.G.	Beetle Boy
Miller, Ben	The Day I Fell Into a Fairytale
Morpurgo, Michael	The Butterfly Lion
Page, Alexandra	Wishyouwas
Pilkey, Dav	Dog Man Series
Raúf, Onjali Q.	The Boy at the Back of the Class
Riddell, Chris	Ottoline Series
Rowling, J.K.	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone
Smart, Jamie	Bunny vs Monkey
Smith, Alex T.	Mr Penguin Series
Snicket, Lemony	A Series of Unfortunate Events
Walliams, David	The Ice Monster



Newcomers

These books have caught the imagination of Paragon readers this year:

Author	Title
Farook, Nizrana	The Girl Who Stole an Elephant
James, Laura	News Hounds: The Puppy Problem
Larwood, Kieran	The Legend of Podkin One-Ear
Leonard, M.G.	Twitch
Littler, Jamie	Frostheart

Children's Classics

These stories can be enjoyed either independently, if your child is confident enough with their own reading ability or and more importantly, read aloud and shared with an adult:

Author	Title
Grahame, Kenneth	The Wind in the Willows
Hodgson Burnett, Frances	The Secret Garden
Lewis, C.S.	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe
Ransome, Arthur	Swallows and Amazons
White, E.B.	Charlotte's Web

