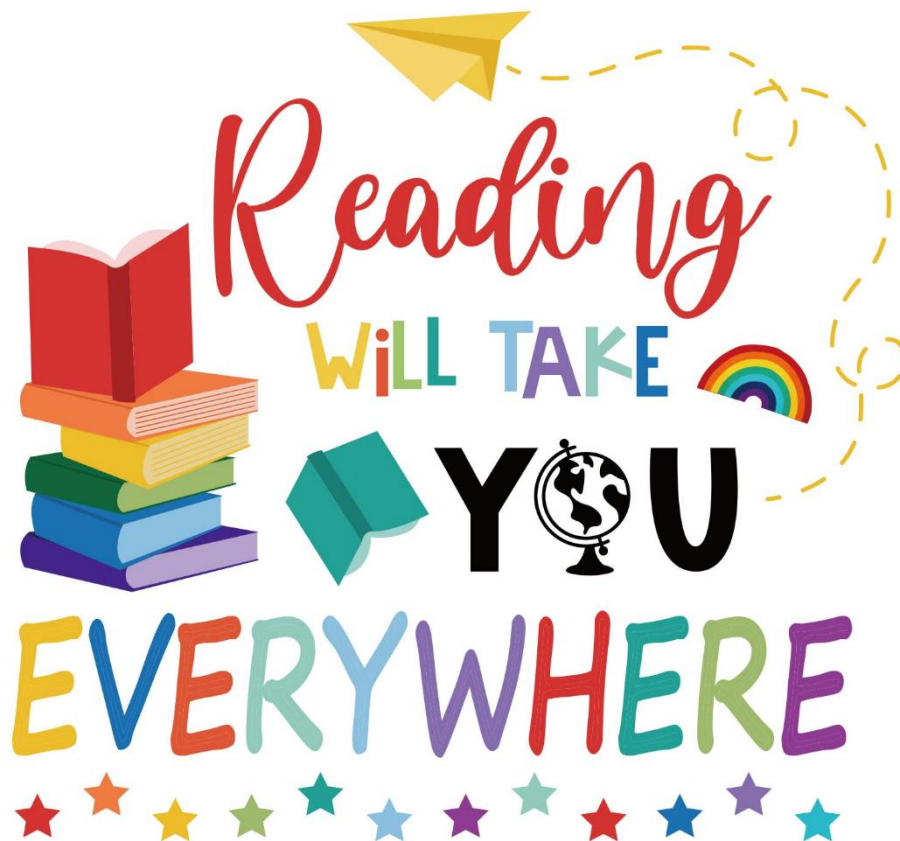


Year 5

Recommended Reading List

2026-2027



Name: _____

Class: _____

ADVENTURE

AUTHOR	TITLE	READ ✓
Bell, Jennifer	The Crooked Sixpence	
Chancellor, Henry	Museum's Secrets	
Choldenko, Gennifer	Al Capone Shines My Shoes	
Collumbus, Chris	House of Secrets	
Corder, Zizou	Lionboy	
Cottree Boyce, Frank	Chitty Chitty Bang Bang Rides Again	
Cottree Boyce, Frank	Millions	
Doyle, Catherine	The Storm Keeper's Island	
Farook, Mizrana	The Girl Who Stole an Elephant	
Hitchcock	Dear Scarlet	
Horowitz, Anthony	Alex Rider Series	
Horowitz, Anthony	Stormbreaker	
Horowitz, Anthony	The Devil and His Boy	
Landy, Derek	Skullduggery Pleasant	
Lee Carey, Janet	Wenny Has Wings	
Lee, Tanith	Paratica	
Leonard, MG	Beatle Boy	
Lloyd Jones, Rob	Jake Atlas & the Tomb of the Emerald Snake	
Mayo, Simon	Itch	
McCaughrean, Geraldine	Not The End of the World	
Millwood Hargrove, Kiran	The Girl of Ink and Stars	
Paulsen, Gary	Hatchet	
Pullman, Philip	Count Karlstein	
Pullman, Philip	The Scarecrow and his Servant	
Rundall, Katherine	The Good Thieves	
Sachar, Louis	Holes	
Sedgman, Sam	The Clockwork Conspiracy	
Shah, Varsha	Ajay and the Mumbai Sun	
Stewart, Martin	Bridgit Vanderpuff	
Stewart, Trenton Lee	The Secret Keepers	
Stevens, Robin	Murder Most Unladylike	
Todd Taylor, Sarah	Alice Éclair Spy Extradinaire	
Tyler, Thomas	Malamander	
Welford, Ross	Time Travelling with a Hamster	

ANIMAL

AUTHOR	TITLE	READ ✓
Bawden, Nina	Keeping Henry	
Gold, Hannah	The Last Bear	
Morpurgo, Michael	War Horse	
Morpurgo, Michael	Muck and Magic	
Pearce, Phillipa	Dog So Small	
Torday, Piers	The Last Wild	

CLASSIC / MODERN CLASSIC

AUTHOR	TITLE	READ ✓
Alcott, Louisa May	Little Woman	
Barrie, JM	Peter Pan	
Burnett, Frances Hodgson	The Secret Garden	

CLASSIC / MODERN CLASSIC cont....

AUTHOR	TITLE	READ ✓
Flemming, Ian	Chitty Chitty Bang Bang	
Ingles Wilder, Laura	Little House on the Prairie	
Naidoo, Beverley	Journey to Jo'Burg	
Norton, Mary	The Borrowers	
O'Brien, Robert	Mrs Frisby and the Rats of Nimh	
Pearce, Philipa	Minnow on the Say	
Pearce, Philipa	Tom's Midnight Garden	
Smith, Dodie	101 Dalmations	

FAMILY

AUTHOR	TITLE	READ ✓
Ali, Proysen	Mrs Pepperpot Series	
Almond, David	Skellig	
Burton, Catherine	No Ballet Shoes in Syria	
Cheng, Jack	See You in the Cosmos	
Dahl, Roald	Matilda	
Forwards, Toby	Travelling Backwards	
Foster, Stuart	Bubble Boy	
Gemin, GR	Sweet Pizza	
Howe, Cath	Not My Fault	
Jones, Gareth P	The Thornthwait Inheritance	
Kemp, Gene	The Turbulent Term of Tyke Tyler	
Selznick, Bian	The Invention of Hugo Cabret	
Wolk, Lauren	Beyond the Bright Sea	

FANTASY / SCI-FI

AUTHOR	TITLE	READ ✓
Constable, Catherine	The Wolf Princess	
Elphinstone, Abi	Finding Neverland	
Evans, Maz	Who Let the Gods Out?	
Fox, Helen	Eager	
Hegarty, Shane	Darkmouth	
McNicoll, Elle	Like a Charm	
Ogilvy, Ian	Measle and the Doompit	
Pullman, Philip	The Northern Lights	
Riordan, Rick	Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief	
Sparks, Ali	Frozen in Time	
Sparks, Ali	The Shapeshifter Series	
Stewart, Paul & Riddle Chris	Muddle Earth	
Tyler, Val	Time Apprentice	

HISTORICAL FICTION

AUTHOR	TITLE	READ ✓
Bradley, Kimberly	The Lacemaker and the Princess	
Breslin, Theresa	Dream Master Gladiator	
Gosling, Sharon	The Diamond Thief	
Grant, Katie	How the Hangman Lost His Heart	

HISTORICAL FICTION cont....

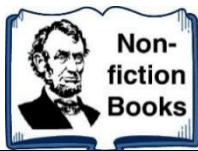
AUTHOR	TITLE	READ ✓
Howell, AM	The Garden of Lost Secrets	
Ibbotson, Eva	Journey to the River Sea	
Morpurgo, Michael	The Amazing Story of Adolphos Tips	
Oldfield, Pamela	My Story: Workhouse	
Rees, Celia	Pirates!	
Reidy, Sue	My Story: Mill Girl	
Roberts, Katherine	The Babylon Game	

HUMOROUS

AUTHOR	TITLE	READ ✓
Bawden, Nina	Granny the Pig	
Dahl, Roald	Danny Champion of the World	
D'Lacey, Chris	Salt Pirates of Skegness	
Gates, Susan	Killer Mushrooms Ate my Gran	
Gleitzman, Morris	Toad Rage	
Ibbotson, Eva	Not Just a Witch	
Temperley, Alan	Harry and the Wrinklies	

MAGIC / MYSTERY

AUTHOR	TITLE	READ ✓
Anderson, RJ	Knife	
Cleverly, Sophie	Scarlet and Ivy, The Lost Twin	
Flanagan, John	Ranger's Apprentice	
French, Vivian	The Robe of Skulls	
Gliori, Debi	Pure Dead Magic	
Halpin, Samuel J	The Peculiar Peggs of Riddling Woods	
Harrison, Michelle	One Wish	
Harrison, Michelle	13 Treasures	
Hill, William	Osbert the Avenger	
Kessler, Liz	Has Anyone Seen Jessica Jenkins?	
Nimmo, Jenny	Midnight for Charlie Bone	
Stevens, Robin	Murder Most Unladylike	
Woodfine, Katherine	The Mystery of the Clockwork Sparrow	



We have a wide range of non-fiction books in the library. Over the course of the year, you should read at least one book from the following topics – art, geography, history, hobbies, poetry, science, sport and make a note below.

OTHER READING

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