

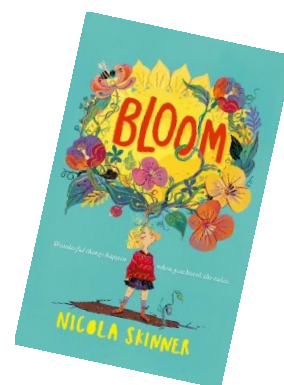
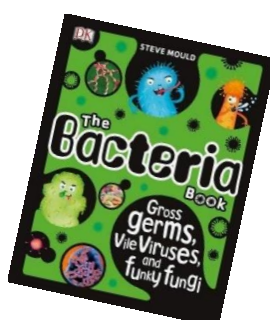
50 Recommended Reads – Year 5



To support parents and carers in choosing the best books to read with their children, we have compiled an age appropriate list for each year group.

We hope that these books will help to engender a life-long love of reading in our pupils.

If your child is a competent reader or has read many of the titles listed for their age group, why not try out some of the books from the next year up to give them a challenge?



The Infinite Lives of Maisie Day Christopher Edge	Armistice Runner Tom Palmer
Mold and the Poison Plot Lorraine Gregory	Gaslight Eloise Williams
The Lost Thing Shaun Tan	The Fastest Boy in the World Elizabeth Laird
Black Powder Ally Sherrick	How Does a Lighthouse Work? Roman Belyaev
The Secret of Platform 13 Eva Ibbotson	Silly Verse for Kids Spike Milligan
Secrets of a Sun King Emma Carroll	What a Waste Jess French
Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone J. K. Rowling	The Silver Sword Ian Serraillier
Moth Isabel Thomas & Daniel Egnéus	Blackberry Blue Jamila Gavin

Kid Normal Greg James, Chris Smith & Erica Salcedo	Iguana Boy Saves the World With a Triple Cheese Pizza James Bishop & Rikin Parekh
Ella on the Outside Cath Howe	Bloom Nicola Skinner
The Rainmaker Danced John Agard & Satoshi Kitamura	Clockwork Philip Pullman
The Polar Bear Explorer's Club Alex Bell	Room 13 Robert Swindells
The Storm Keeper's Island Catherine Doyle	The Secret Garden Frances Hodgson Burnett
Happy Poems Roger McGough	The Boy At the Back of the Class Onjali Rauf
The Goldfish Boy Lisa Thompson	King Kong Anthony Browne
The Explorer Katherine Rundell	Varmints Helen Ward
Werewolf Club Rules Joseph Coelho	A Galaxy of Her Own Libby Jackson
Cookie and the Most Annoying Boy in the World Konnie Huq	Everest Sangma Francis & Lisk Feng
The Iliad and the Odyssey Marcia Williams	Beetle Boy M. G. Leonard
The White Giraffe Lauren St John	The Nowhere Emporium Ross MacKenzie
There's a Boy in the Girls' Bathroom Louis Sachar	Roller Girl Victoria Jamieson
The Variety of Life Nicola Davies & Lorna Scobie	One Plastic Bag Miranda Paul
The Bacteria Book Steve Mould	Sky Song Abi Elphinstone
The Witches Roald Dahl & Quentin Blake	Who Let the Gods Out? Maz Evans
The Wolves of Willoughby Chase Joan Aiken	Brightstorm Vashti Hardy