Summer Stars Reading

Recommended Reads for 7-9 years

*Best Friends*  Jacqueline Wilson 

*The Legend of the Worst Boy in the World*   Eoin Colfer

*The Diary of a Killer Cat*   Anne Fine

*The Butterfly Lion*   Michael Morpurgo

*Animals don’t have ghosts*  Siobhan Parkinson

*Beware! Killer Tomatoes*    Jeremy Strong

*Highway Robbery*   Kate Thompson

*Farther* Grahame Baker-Smith

*Snakes’ Elbows* Deirdre Madden

*Fierce Milly*   Marilyn McLaughlin

*It’s a Book*   Lane Smith

*Little Red Hood*  Marjolaine Leray

*Nature Adventures*   Mick Manning and Brita Granstrom

*The Scarecrow and his Servant*   Philip Pullman

*The evil hairdo*  Oisín McGann

*Animals in School*    Julia Donaldson

*Actual Size*   S Jenkins

*Create Your Own Superhero Stories*   Buster Books

*How-To Handbook*    Egmont Books

*Lizzy Zipmouth*   J Wilson

*The Giggler Treatment*    Roddy Doyle

*Rover Saves Christmas*    Roddy Doyle

*The Meanwhile Adventures*    Roddy Doyle

*Flat Stanley*                                                      Jeff Brown

*Clarice Bean, That’s Me*                                 Lauren Child

*That Rabbit Belongs to Emily Brown*        Cressida Cowell

*The BFG*                                                             Roald Dahl

*The Arrival*                                                      Shaun Tan

*The Dragonsitter* Josh Lacey

*Weekends with Max and his Dad*Linda Urban

*Lulu and the Brontosaurus*                           Judith Viorst

*The Terrible Two*                                            Mac Barnett and Jory John

*The Hero’s Guide to Saving your Kingdom*          Christopher Healy

*Wing and Claw*                  Linda Sue Park

*The Zombie Chasers*                                          John Kloepfer and Steve Wolfhard

*The Story Thieves*                                             James Riley

*The Croc Ate My Homework* Stephan Pastis

*School of Fear*                                                   Gitty Daneshvari

*Storybound*                                                         Marissa Burt

*The Demon Headmaster* Gillian Cross

*Kensuke’s Kingdom*                                               Michael Morpugo

**Popular Books**

*A Boy and a Bear in a Boat*  Dave Shelton

*Special Powers*    Mary Hoffman

*Under the hawthorn tree*   Marita Conlon-McKenna

*Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* Roald Dahl

*Little Manfred*   Michael Morpurgo

*The Abominables*    Eva Ibboston

*A Little, Aloud, for Children*   Michael Morpurgo

*Do Igloos Have Loos?*   Mitchell Symons

*Letters from an Alien Schoolboy* Ros Asquith

*The Parade*   KP Kojo

*One Dog and His Boy*   Eva Ibbotson

*Big Day Out*  Jacqueline Wilson

*See Inside Your Body*     Katie Daynes and Colin King

*Matilda* Roald Dahl

*Magicalamity* Kate Saunders

*Laugh Your Socks Off Even More Joke Book*  J Strong

*A Mouse Called Wolf*   Dick King-Smith

*Horse Pie*   Dick King-Smith

*George Speaks*   Dick King-Smith

*How to write really badly* Anne Fine

*The Dreaming Tree*  Eithne Massey

*The Little Witch Who Can’t Spell*  Marie Burlington

*Demon from the Deep End*    James Allison

*Her Mother’s Face*  Roddy Doyle

*Fantastic Mr. Fox*   Roald Dahl

*Esio Trot*   Roald Dahl

*Gangsta Granny*    David Walliams

*Mr. Stink*    David Walliams

*Bill’s New Frock*    Anne Fine

*Doodles Lanhorn and the Quest to Save Inner Earth*       Russle Bernstein

*My Brilliant Life and Other Disasters*                Catherine Wilkins

*Zombies*                                                              R. McGeddon

*Captain Pug*                                                         Laura James

*Dotty Detective*                                                 Clara Vulliamy

*The Secret Pirate*                                              Elli Woolard

*The Amazing Dinosaur Detectives*                      Maggie Li

*Tiger Days*                                                          Sarah Lean

*Dognapped*                                                          David J. Robertson

*The Adventures of Alfie Onion*                          Vivian French

**Series books**

*Horrid Henry series*    Francesca Simon

*Dirty Bertie series*   Alan Macdonald

*Angela Nicely series*   Alan Macdonald

*Alfie Green series*   Joe O’Brien

*The Magic Key series*   Roderick Hunt

*Beast Quest series*  Adam Blade

*Sea Quest* series   Adam Blade

*Captain Underpants series*   Dav Pilkey

*Stink series*  Megan McDonald

*Judy Moody series*  Megan McDonald

*Elf Girl and Raven Boy* series   Marcus Sedgwick

*Adventure Island* series   Helen Moss

*Kitty and Friends series*  Various

*Maisie Hitchens* series   Holly Webb

*Mr. Gum* series   Andy Stanton

*Magic Molly* series   Holly Webb

*Triplets* series   Holly Webb

*Lily* series   Holly Webb

*Diary of a Wimpy Kid series*   Jeff Kinney

*My Magical Pony series*  Jenny Oldfield

*Alice series*  Judi Curtin

*Penny Dreadful series*  Joanna Nadin

*Moshi Monsters series*   various

*Hundred-mile-an-hour dog* series   Jeremy Strong

*Big Nate* series   Lincoln Peirce

*Geronimo Stilton* series

*Indie Kidd* series   Karen McCombie

*Horrible History* series   Terry Deary

*Astrosaurs* series   Steve Cole

*Animal Ark* series   Lucy Daniels

*Jamie & Angus* series   Anne Fine

*Time Hunters* series   Chris Blake

*Battersea Dogs & Cats Home* series   various

*Oliver Moon* series   Sue Mongredien

*Tom Gates* series   Liz Pichon

*Worst Witch* series   Jill Murphy

*St. Clare’s* series   Enid Blyton

*Malory Towers* series   Enid Blyton

*Famous Five* series   Enid Blyton

*Secret Seven* series   Enid Blyton

*The Five Find-Outers* series   Enid Blyton

*Mr. Majeika* series   Humphrey Carpenter

*My Story* (historical events) series   various

*Doctor Proctor* series   Jo Nesbo

*My Naughty Little Sister* series   Dorothy Edwards

*Milly-Molly-Mandy* series   Joyce Lancaster Brisley

*Tumtum and Nutmeg* series   Emily Bearn

*(Magical Woodland series* Beverley Nichols

*Dragon Slayers Academy*                   Kate McMullan

*Alcatraz Series*                         Brandon Sanderson

*Bunnicula Series*                                 James Howe

*A to Z Mysteries*                                  Ron Roy

*Deltora Quest*                                     Emily Rodda

*Clemency Pogue*                                 J.T. Petty

*Time Warp Tiro*                                  Jon Scieszka

*Hank the Cowdog*                               John R. Erickson

*Secrets of Droon*                                 Tony Abbot

*Encyclopedia Brown*                           Donal J Sobol

*Bird and Squirrel (Graphic Novel)* James Burks

*Minerva Mint*                                      Puricelli Guerra

*Nick and Tesla*                                                Rob Pflugfelder, Steve Hockensmith

*Whatever After Series*                         Sarah Mlynowski

*Ivy and Bean*                                       Annie Barrows

**Classics**

*Charlotte’s Web*  E.B White

*The Little Prince*    Antoine de Saint-Exupéry

*Alice in Wonderland*     Lewis Carroll

*A little princess* Frances Hodgson Burnett

*Beauty and the Beast*  Gabrielle-Suzanne Barbot de Villeneuve

*Black Beauty*     Anna Sewell

*Pinocchio*  Carlo Collodi

*Robinson Crusoe*   Daniel Defoe

*The Railway Children*  E. Nesbit

*The Wizard of Oz*  L. Frank Baum

*What Katy Did*   Susan Coolidge

*The Wind In The Willows*   Kenneth Grahame

*Charlotte’s Web*     E B White

*Aesop’s Fables*    Aesop

*The Merry Adventures of Robin Hood*  Howard Pyle

*Pollyanna* Eleanor H. Porter

*Grimm’s Fairy Tales*  Jacob and Wilhelm Grimm

*The Three Musketeers*    Alexandre Dumas

*The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe*   C.S. Lewis

*The family from one end street* Eve Garnett

*Carrie’s War*   Nina Bawden

*The Indian in the Cupboard*   Lynne Reid Banks

*The Children of Green Knowe*   Lucy Boston

*Pippi Longstocking*   Astrid Lindgren

*The Borrowers*    Mary Norton

*Five Children and It*    E. Nesbit

*The Silver Sword*   Ian Serraillier

*War Horse*    Michael Morpugo

*Paddington Bear*   Michael Bond

*Little Old Mrs. Pepperpot*    Alf Proysen

*Mary Poppins* P.L. Travers

*Through the Looking Glass* Lewis Carrol

*The Teddy Robinson Storybook*                  Joan G. Robinson

*Adventures of the Little Wooden Horse*       Ursula Moray Williams

*The Jungle Book*                                               Rudyard Kipling

*Heidi*Johanna Spyri

*Peter Pan*                                                           J.M. Barrie

*King Arthur And His Knights Of The Round Table*Roger Lancelyn Green

*The Neverending Story*                       Michael Ende

*The Trumpet of the Swan*                                   E.B. White

*Stuart Little*                           E.B. White

*Stig of the Dump*                                                Clive King

*The Cay*                                                               Theodore Taylor

*Carrie’s War*                                                        Nina Baldwin

*The Borrowers*                                                    Mary Norton

*The Iron Woman*                                                Ted Hughes

*The Iron Man*                                                      Ted Hughes

*Wind in the Willows*                                            Kenneth Grahame