

## Recommended Interest Age: 5 – 6 yrs

Title	Author	Recommended Interest Age	Recommended Reading Age
Amazing Grace	Mary Hoffman	5+	5+
Flat Stanley	Jeff Brown	5+	7+
Jo-Jo the Melon Donkey	Michael Morpurgo	5+	6+
My Naughty Little Sister	Dorothy Edwards	5+	7+
That Rabbit Belongs to Emily Brown	Cressida Cowell	5+	6+
The Jolly Postman or Other People's Letters	Allan Ahlberg	5+	6+
The Milly-Molly-Mandy Storybook	Joyce Lankester Brisley	5+	7+
The True Story of the Three Little Pigs	Jon Scieszka	5+	7+
The Wild Washerwomen	John Yeoman	5+	5+
A Bear Called Paddington	Michael Bond	6+	8+
Charlotte's Web	E B White	6+	7+
Clarice Bean, That's Me	Lauren Child	6+	7+
Counting on Katherine	Helaine Becker	6 – 9	7 - 9
Five Children and It	E. Nesbit	6+	8+
Hansel and Gretel	Bethan Woollvin	6 – 7	5+
Little House in the Big Woods	Laura Ingalls Wilder	6+	7+
Pippi Longstocking	Astrid Lindgren	6+	8+
The BFG	Roald Dahl	6+	7+
The Enchanted Wood	Enid Blyton	6+	7+
The Sheep-Pig	Dick King-Smith	6+	7+
The Wind in the Willows	Kenneth Grahame	6+	8+
The Worst Witch	Jill Murphy	6+	7+

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## Recommended Interest Age: 7 – 8 yrs

Title	Author	Recommended Interest Age	Recommended Reading Age
Alice's Adventures in Wonderland	Lewis Carroll	7 – 11	7+
Anisha, Accidental Detective	Serena Patel	7+	8+
Asha and the Spirit Bird	Jasbinder Bilan	7+	8+
Asterix the Gaul	Renne Goscinny	7+	7+
Child of St Kilda	Beth Waters	7+	8+
Desirable	Frank Cottrell Boyce	7+	8+
First Term at Malory Towers	Enid Blyton	7+	8+
Five on a Treasure Island	Enid Blyton	7+	9+
Frank Einstein and the Antimatter Motor	Jon Scieszka	7+	8+
Give Peas a Chance	Morris Gleitzman	7+	8+
Ice Palace	Robert Swindells	7+	8+
Kid Normal	Greg James	7+	8+
Lizzie Dripping	Helen Cresswell	7+	8+
Matilda	Roald Dahl	7+	8+
Max and the Millions	Ross Montgomery	7+	8+
McTavish Takes the Biscuit	Meg Rosoff	7 – 9	7 - 9
My Brother is a Superhero	David Solomons	7+	8+
Operation Gadgetman!	Malorie Blackman	7+	8+
The Abominables	Eva Ibbotson	7+	8+
The Adventures of Tintin	Herge	7+	9+
The Battle of Bubble and Squeak	Phillipa Pearce	7+	8+
The Boy at the Back of the Class	Onjali Q Rauf	7 – 12	10 - 12
The Boy Who Grew Dragons	Andy Shepherd	7+	8+
The Children of Green Knowe	Lucy M Boston	7+	8+
The Falcon's Master	Anthony Horowitz	7+	8+
The Firework Maker's Daughter	Philip Pullman	7+	7+
The Great Elephant Chase	Gillian Cross	7+	8+
The House that Sailed Away	Pat Hutchins	7+	8+
The Last Castaways	Harry Horse	7+	8+
The Legend of Captain Crow's Teeth	Eoin Colfer	7+	8+
The Magic Faraway Tree	Enid Blyton	7+	7+
The Magic Place	Chris Wormell	7+	8+
The Missing Bookshop	Katie Clapham	7 – 9	7 - 9
The Peppermint Pig	Nina Bawden	7+	8+
The Queen's Nose	Dick King-Smith	7+	8+
The Secret World of Polly Flint	Helen Cresswell	7+	8+
The Way to Sattin Shore	Philippa Pearce	7+	8+
The Wizards of Once	Cressida Cowell	7 – 12	9 - 12
The Yearling	Marjorie Rawlings	7+	8+
There's a Werewolf in my Tent	Pamela Butchart	7+	8+
There's a Yeti in the Playground	Pamela Butchart	7+	8+
Toad Rage	Morris Gleitzman	7+	8+
Varjak Paw	SF Said	7+	8+
Wilf the Mighty Worrier Saves the World	Georgia Pritchett	7+	8+
Artemis Fowl	Eoin Colfer	8 - 12	10+
Ballet Shoes	Noel Streatfeild	8+	9+
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory	Roald Dahl	8+	8+
Diary of a Wimpy Kid	Jeff Kinney	8+	8+
Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone	J K Rowling	8 - 13	10+
I Was a Rat	Philip Pullman	8 – 11	8+
Owen and the Soldier	Lisa Thompson	8 – 14	8 - 14
Runaway Robot	Frank Cottrell-Boyce	8 – 13	9+
Sky Song	Abi Elphinstone	8 – 11	8+

Stig of the Dump	Clive King	8+	8+
Swallows and Amazons	Arthur Ransome	8+	9+
The Boy, The Mole, The Fox and The Horse	Charlie Mackesy	8 – 80	8+
The Hobbit	J R R Tolkein	8+	10+
The Little Prince	Antoine de Saint-Exupery	8+	8+
The Matilda Effect	Ellie Irving	8 – 12	8 - 12
The Murderer's Ape	Jakob Wegelius	8+	10+
The Secret of the Purple Lake	Yaba Badoe	8+	8+
The Story of Tracy Beaker	Jacqueline Wilson	8+	8+
The Wonderful Wizard of Oz	L Frank Baum	8 – 12	9+
What Lexie Did	Emma Shevah	8 – 12	8+

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