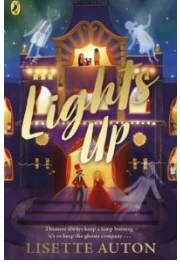
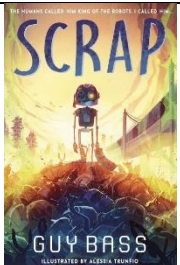
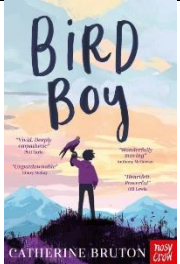

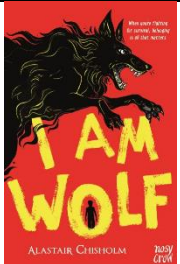



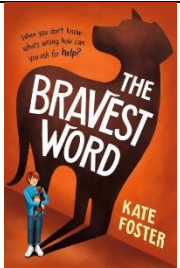






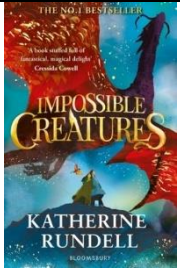


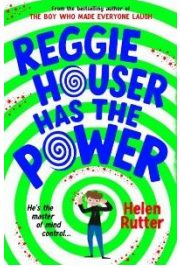
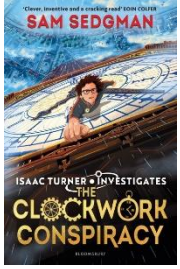


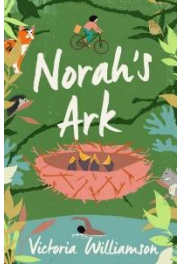

**2024-25 RECOMMENDED READS YEAR 6**

	<p><b>Lights Up</b></p>	<p><b>Auton, Lisette</b></p>	<p>Hettie is heartbroken at the loss of her grandfather which colours her view of the new theatre in town. Little does she know that the theatre and her family have a mysterious and ghostly connection until powerful magic brings them together. Set across multiple timelines, this eerie ghost story highlights themes of grief and friendship with a clutter of spiders thrown in for good measure.</p>	<p>Children's Fiction</p>
	<p><b>Scrap</b></p>	<p><b>Bass, Guy</b></p>	<p>Welcome to Planet Somewhere 513, ruled by robots. The robots have banished all humans until two children appear searching for K1-NG, a mighty robot beloved by their mother. But a lot has changed, and K1-NG is nowhere to be found. The children approach Scrap, a robot who has seen better days, but remains loyal to humans. Will Scrap help the children find K1-NG? A Sci-Fi adventure packed with empathy and humour.</p>	<p>Children's Fiction</p>
	<p><b>Bird Boy</b></p>	<p><b>Bruton, Catherine</b></p>	<p>Will is moving to the Lake District to live with an uncle he never knew existed. This new life is completely alien to the one he had before, and he must learn to adjust, with the help of his new friend Omar and a baby osprey.</p>	<p>Children's Fiction</p> 
	<p><b>I am Wolf</b></p>	<p><b>Chisholm, Alastair</b></p>	<p>Imagine a giant animal made of metal that is home to a group of humans, roaming the countryside. This is the life for Coll until he and his friends find themselves alone and scared in an unforgiving wilderness. How do they survive and find their way back home?</p>	<p>Children's Fiction</p> 

	<b>Black Hole Cinema Club</b>	<b>Edge, Christopher</b>	<p>Lucas and his friends prepare for a 4Di immersive movie marathon at the local cinema. But when a tsunami of jet-black darkness washes over them, they find themselves heroes in a series of sci-fi films, jungle adventures and impossible missions, each more dangerous than the last. Can they escape before the show ends? It's only the land of make-believe and special effects after all... or is it?</p>	<p>Children's Fiction</p> 
	<b>The Bravest Word</b>	<b>Foster, Kate</b>	<p>Football-loving Matt is struggling with life. He is tired, feels empty, and can't concentrate. He realises he needs help, but it takes caring for an abandoned dog to show him that you need other people to stand with you. Dealing with depression, this is a realistic and hopeful story of a young boy's mental health struggles.</p>	<p>Children's Fiction</p>
	<b>Storm Child</b>	<b>Fountain, Ele</b>	<p>When Maya's dad loses his fishing boat in a terrible storm, her parents decide to start over, travelling to the other side of the world, where they can teach sailing and diving, and Maya can be home-schooled. But life on a tropical island isn't always paradise. Does she have the resilience to be true to herself in an ever-changing world? A thought-provoking novel with brilliant descriptions of landscape, weather and emotions.</p>	<p>Year 6 Younger Teen</p>
	<b>The Raven's Song</b>	<b>Fraillon, Zana</b>	<p>A dystopian novel set in a world ravaged by a pandemic and climate change. A dual narrative which only comes together at the end, provides an engrossing story of survival and emotional upheaval.</p>	<p>Year 6 Younger Teen</p>

	<b>Ettie and the Midnight Pool</b>	<b>Green, Julia</b>	<p>Ettie lives with her grandmother in a remote house in the Yorkshire Dales. On one of her forays into the woods, she meets a girl called Cora who seems to live a life of mystery. Cora's influence leads Ettie to a quarry pool and potential tragedy. And this will not be the first tragedy her family has faced. Atmospheric and gripping. Will Ettie obey her grandmother or the enigmatic Cora?</p>	Children's Fiction
	<b>North and the Only One</b>	<b>Hardy, Vashti</b>	<p>Rose has woken up with no memory of anything, even the woman who claims to be her mother. The only thing she recognises is her dog, North. When Rose runs away, she discovers a world of AI where humans seem to have disappeared altogether. But what is Rose's role in this new world?</p>	Children's Fiction 
	<b>The Worlds We Leave Behind</b>	<b>Harrold, F A</b>	<p>Hex and Tommo are off to the woods - nothing odd about that. Told by multiple voices, with echoes of Hansel and Gretel, this is a gripping, unsettling story set in a small everyday town where an accident, a mysterious stranger, and an unexpected deal will lead to life-changing events for many people that cannot be undone.</p>	Year 6 Younger Teen
	<b>Starminster</b>	<b>Hopkins, Megan</b>	<p>With echoes of Harry Potter, Astrid has lived a life in a shed until aged 11, a stranger comes to take her away. Her new life is in the city of London Overhead - a secret city above London. But why is she there and why did her mother try to protect her?</p>	Children's Fiction  

	<b>Code Name Kingfisher</b>	<b>Kessler, Liz</b>	<p>It's 1942 and as Nazi power grows, Mila and Hannie are forced into hiding, concealing their Jewish identities. Hannie is swept into the Dutch resistance as an undercover agent. Meanwhile, in the present day, Liv uncovers an extraordinary secret about her grandmother's childhood. A powerful story about the bravery and defiance of women during the war.</p>	<p>Year 6 Younger Teen</p>  
	<b>Bringing Back Kay-Kay</b>	<b>Kothari, Dev</b>	<p>When Lena's brother goes missing after summer camp, she believes it is more than just a teenage runaway. Desperate to find him, she travels across India to retrace his last steps, but she embarks on a journey of discovery when she realises there's a side to Kay-Kay she has never known. An emotional and exhilarating mystery with family and sibling bonds firmly at its heart.</p>	<p>Children's Fiction</p>
	<b>The Swifts</b>	<b>Lincoln, Beth</b>	<p>A tongue-in-cheek gothic mystery with a murder in the library! Shenanigan's family is unlike any other; children with names from the dictionary, hidden rooms, lost treasure and a deadly family gathering. This is an entertaining read, full of eccentric characters, boundless energy, laughs and surprises. But will Shenanigan save the day and unveil the murderer?</p>	<p>Children's Fiction</p> 
	<b>I Am Rebel</b>	<b>Montgomery, Ross</b>	<p>Rebel lives a perfect life on the farm with his owner Tom, but Tom yearns for adventure. When he goes off with the Reds to fight the tyrannical king and his army, Rebel knows he must follow his master, befriend lots of animals on his dangerous quest. But can Rebel find Tom before it's too late? Told from the viewpoint of Rebel, this is an epic tale of courage, loyalty and love.</p>	<p>Children's Fiction</p> 

	<b>Impossible Creatures</b>	<b>Rundell, Katherine</b>	<p>Christopher is out for a walk when he encounters a hoard of mythical creatures from an unknown archipelago. He soon learns their home is in peril from the changing environment. Christopher and his new friend Mal must complete a quest to save the archipelago and all who live in it.</p>	<p>Year 6 Younger Teen</p>  
	<b>Reggie Houser has the Power</b>	<b>Rutter, Helen</b>	<p>Reggie's brain is like a fizzy sweet making it difficult to manage his energy and find friends. When he sees a hypnotist perform on stage, Reggie becomes obsessed with learning the skills of mind control! Could this be the answer to gaining friends and popularity? A laugh out loud story dealing with ADHD, and how difficult it is when you feel different from everyone else. Perfect for showing empathy and kindness with bonus magic tricks to try at home.</p>	<p>Children's Fiction</p>
	<b>The Clockwork Conspiracy</b>	<b>Sedgman, Sam</b>	<p>Isaac's dad is horologist to the clock within the Elizabeth Tower. But someone wants to change how we tell the time and Isaac's dad is a block to that. He must disappear! Isaac heads out on a trail to find his dad that leads to the very heart of parliament itself.</p>	<p>Children's Fictions</p>  
	<b>Norah's Ark</b>	<b>Williamson, Victoria</b>	<p>Two children, two very different lives brought together through a love of nature. Adam and Norah discover how different they are but when they work together, they can have big effects on others and each other. It doesn't matter how you live, but what you do with that life - that is important.</p>	<p>Children's Fiction</p> 



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