

LKS2 Suggested Book List

- These are just some ideas of suggested books which you might enjoy reading.
- We have tried to give you a rough idea of which books might be appropriate for your age but all children are different so please consider what sort of books are right for you.

	Year 3/4
A story featuring an animal	<p>Run Wild by Gill Lewis One Dog and His Boy by Eva Ibbotson The Hundred-Mile-an-Hour Dog by Jeremy Strong Sam Wu Is NOT Afraid of Ghosts! By Kevin Tsang Harry the Poisonous Centipede by Lynne Reid Banks The Abominables by Eva Ibbotson Varjak Paw by S F Said</p>
A funny book	<p>Boy: Tales of Childhood by Roald Dahl The Accidental Prime Minister by Tom McLaughlin Alex Sparrow and the Really Big Stink by Jennifer Killick You're a Bad Man Mr. Gum! By Tom Fletcher The 13-Storey Treehouse by Andy Griffiths Baby Aliens Got My Teacher by Pamela Butchart</p>
A story with magic	<p>The Queen's Nose by Dick King-Smith Leon and the Place Between by Graham Baker-Smith The Apprentice Witch by James Nicol The Folk of the Faraway Tree by Enid Blyton The Witches by Roald Dahl The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Kate DiCamillo</p>
An adventure book	<p>Aliens Invaded my Talent Show by Matt Brown James and the Giant Peach by Roald Dahl Race to the Frozen North: The Matthew Henson Story by Catherine Johnson Mr Penguin and the Lost Treasure by Alex T Smith Knights and Bikes by Gabrielle Kent Amelia Fang and the Barbaric Ball by Laura Ellen Anderson</p>
A poetry book	<p>Moon Juice by Kate Wakeling</p>

	<p>I Don't Like Poetry by Joshua Seigal Please Mrs Butler by Allan Ahlberg Where Zebras Go by Sue Hardy-Dawson</p>
A non-fiction book on history/geography	<p>The Street Beneath My Feet by Charlotte Guillian Egypt Magnified: With a 3x Magnifying Glass by David Long Meet the Ancient Romans by James Davies A Street Through Time: A 12,000-Year Walk Through History by Steve Noon Horrible Histories series by Terry Deary Horrible Geography series by Anita Ganeri</p>
A non-fiction STEM book	<p>The Variety of Life by Nicola Davies How Does a Lighthouse Work? by Roman Belyaev Tiny: The Invisible World of Microbes by Nicola Davies The Usborne Official Astronaut's Handbook by Louise Stowell The Skies Above My Eyes by Charlotte Guillain Horrible Science series by Nick Arnold</p>
A book on an environmental theme	<p>National Trust: How to Help a Hedgehog and Protect a Polar Bear by Jess French What A Waste: Rubbish, Recycling, and Protecting our Planet by Jess French Song of the Dolphin Boy by Elizabeth Laird Dinosaurs and All That Rubbish by Michael Foreman "Greta and the Giants," Zoe Tucker and Zoe Persico</p>
A book about a famous real person/people	<p>HIDDEN FIGURES: The True Story of Four Black Women and the Space Race by Margot Shetterly The Watcher: Jane Goodall's Life with the Chimps by Jeanette Winter What's So Special About Shakespeare? By Michael Rosen Little people BIG DREAMS series by Maria Isabel Sanchez Vegara (range of topics)</p>
A book set in a different country	<p>The Akimbo Adventures by Alexander McCall Smith No. 1 Car Spotter 1 by Atinuke The Elephant's Friend and Other Tales from Ancient India by Marcia Williams</p>
A 'classic'	<p>Tom's Midnight Garden by Philippa Pearce Stuart Little by E B White The Animals of Farthing Wood by Colin Dann Wind In The Willows by Kenneth Grahame The Sheep-pig by Dick King-Smith</p>

	Stig of the Dump by Clive King
A book published since 2017	The Boy Who Grew Dragons by Andy Shepherd Ada Twist and the Perilous Pantaloons by Andrea Beaty We Won An Island by Charlotte Lo Wildspark: A Ghost Machine Adventure by Vashti Hardy The Creakers by Tom Fletcher
A female lead character	Pippi Longstocking by Astrid Lindgren Matilda by Roald Dahl Alice's Adventures In Wonderland by Lewis Carroll Awful Auntie by David Walliams
A mystery book	The Great Chocoplot by Chris Callaghan The Great Cake Mystery: Precious Ramotswe's Very First Case by Alexander McCall Smith
A book set in a city	The Legend of Kevin: A Roly-Poly Flying Pony Adventure by Philip Reeve Gangsta Granny by David Walliams
A fantasy book	Fortunately, the Milk . . . by Neil Gaiman The Nothing to See Here Hotel by Steven Butler Knighthood for Beginners by Elys Dolan My Fox Ate My Homework by David Blaze Rumblestar by Abi Elphinstone The Land of Roar by Jenny McLachlan The Maker of Monsters by Lorraine Gregory
A book written by Michael Morpurgo	Kaspar Prince of Cats Mr Skip The Dancing Bear Billy the Kid Farm Boy Tom's Sausage Lion
A book about 'fitting in'	The Boy At the Back of the Class by Onjali Rauf Krindlekrax by Philip Ridley The Invisible Boy by Trudy Ludwig The Boy in the Dress by David Walliams