

Year 5 Recommended Reads!



"There is no such thing as a child who hates to read; there are only children who have not found the right book."

	Title	Author	A Brief Guide
Dream Snatcher Aby Eiphinstone	The Dream Snatcher	Abi Elphinstone	Twelve-year-old Molly Pecksniff wakes one night in the middle of the forest, lured there by a recurring nightmare - the one with the drums and the rattles and the masks. The Dreamsnatcher is waiting. He has already taken her dreams and now he wants her life. Because Moll is more important than she knows The Oracle Bones foretold that she and Gryff, a wildcat that has always been by her side, are the only ones who can fight back against the Dreamsnatcher's dark magic. Suddenly everything is at stake
Rooftoppers KATHERINE RUNDELL	Rooftoppers	Katherine Rundell	Wanted: A mother. Everyone tells Sophie that she was orphaned in a shipwreck. But Sophie is also convinced her mother survived. When no one believes her, Sophie sets out to prove them wrong. On the run from the authorities, Sophie finds Matteo- a boy who walks tightropes and lives in the sky. In a race across the rooftops of Paris, will they be able to find her mother, before it's too late?
HARRY POTEN and the Pollogue for Nature	Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone	JK Rowling	Harry Potter has never even heard of Hogwarts when the letters start dropping on the doormat at 4 Privet Drive. Addressed in green ink on yellowish parchment with a purple seal, they are swiftly confiscated by his grisly aunt and uncle. Then, on Harry's eleventh birthday, a great beetle-eyed giant of a man called Rubeus Hagrid bursts in with some astonishing news: Harry Potter is a wizard, and he has a place at Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry.
PHOENIX Fire threathers turing hore S.F. S. a.i.d. Highland by 3 or 8 Ceres.	Phoenix	SF Said	Lucky thinks he's an ordinary Human boy. But one night, he dreams that the stars are singing to him, and wakes to find an uncontrollable power rising inside him. Now he's on the run, racing through space, searching for answers. In a galaxy at war, where Humans and Aliens are deadly enemies, the only people who can help him are an Alien starship crew – and an Alien warrior girl, with neon needles in her hair

Cosnic Es one glant loy-tud	Cosmic	Frank Cottrell- Bryce	Liam is too big for his boots. And his football strip. And his school blazer. But being super-sized height-wise has its advantages: he's the only eleven-year-old to ever ride the G-force-defying Cosmic rollercoaster - or to be offered the chance to drive a Porsche. Long-legged Liam makes a giant leap for boy-kind by competing with a group of adults for the chance to go into space. Is Liam the best boy for the job? Sometimes being big isn't all about being a grown-up.
CORNELIA FUNKE	Dragon Rider	Cornelia Funke	Firedrake, a brave young dragon, embarks on a magical journey to find the legendary place where silver dragons can live in peace for ever. Along the way, he discovers extraordinary new friends and a courage he never knew he had. But the greatest enemy of all is never far behind - a heartless monster intent on destroying the last dragons on earth
House with Chicken Legs	The House with Chicken Legs	Sophie Anderson	My house has chicken legs. Two or three times a year, without warning, it stands up. In the middle of the night and walks away from where we've been living.
CHRISTOPHER EDGE THE MANY AUGUST Francisco AUGUST Francisco Francisco	The Many Worlds of Albie Bright	Christopher Edge	How far would you go to change your world?

THE END WEARN	A place called perfect	Helena Duggan	Violet never wanted to move to perfect. Who wants to live in a town where everyone has to wear glasses to stop them going blind? And who wants to be neat and tidy and perfectly behaved all the time? Violet quickly discovers there's something weird going on in the townshe keeps hearing voices, her mam is acting strange and her dad has disappeared.
Emma Carroll SECPETS SUN VING	Secrets of a sun king	Emma Carroll	A discovery from ancient Egypt A cursed package The untold story of a young pharaoh When Lilian Kaye finds a parcel on her grandad's doorstep, she is shocked to see who sent it: a famous Egyptologist, found dead that very morning, according to every newspaper in England! The mysterious package holds the key to a story about a king whose tomb archaeologists are desperately hunting for. Lil and her friends must embark on an incredible journey - to return the package to its resting place, to protect those they love, and to break the deadly pharaoh's curse