








50 Recommended Reads for...





Year 4 (ages 8-9)

✓ Which ones have you read?

Favourite Storytime Books

- ☐  **The Wonder Brothers**
Frank Cottrell Boyce & Steven Lenton
- ☐  **Race to Imagination Island**
Mel Taylor-Bessent & Alessandro D'Urso
- ☐  **Shipwrecked**
Jenny Pearson
- ☐  **The Land of Roar**
Jenny McLachlan & Ben Mantle
- ☐  **How to Train Your Dragon**
Cressida Cowell





Classic Books

- ☐  **The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe**
C. S. Lewis
- ☐  **The Queen's Nose**
Dick King Smith
- ☐  **Matilda**
Roald Dahl & Quentin Blake
- ☐  **A Street Through Time**
DK & Steve Noon





Graphic Novels

- ☐  **Bunny vs Monkey**
Jamie Smart
- ☐  **Mr Wolf's Class**
Aron Nels Steinke




Animal Stories

- ☐  **Turtle Moon**
Hannah Gold & Levi Pinfold
- ☐  **The Summer Dolphin**
Holly Webb & David Dean
- ☐  **Cobweb**
Michael Morpurgo & Michael Foreman
- ☐  **The Great Farm Rescue**
Helen Peters







Popular Illustrated Favourites

- ☐  **Grimwood**
Nadia Shireen
- ☐  **Clarice Bean: Smile**
Lauren Child
- ☐  **Solve Your Own Mystery: The Monster Maker**
Gareth P. Jones & Louise Forshaw
- ☐  **Fairy vs Wizard**
Jenny McLachlan





Mystery and Detective Stories

- ☐  **The Beanstalk Murder**
P.G. Bell
- ☐  **The Highland Falcon Thief**
M. G. Leonard, Sam Sedgman & Elisa Paganelli
- ☐  **Anisha Accidental Detective**
Serena Patel & Emma McCann





Thought-Provoking Stories

- ☐  **The Snowman Code**
Simon Stephenson & Reggie Brown
- ☐  **Song of the Dolphin Boy**
Elizabeth Laird & Peter Bailey
- ☐  **The Boy at the Back of the Class**
Onjali Q. Rauf & Pippa Curnick
- ☐  **Call Me Lion**
Camilla Chester
- ☐  **Brand New Boy**
David Almond & Marta Altés
- ☐  **Meet Matilda Rocket Builder**
Dom Conlon & Heidi Cannon






Historical Adventures

- ☐  **Roman Boy**
Tony Bradman
- ☐  **Auntie Medusa and Me**
Marie Basting
- ☐  **The Cursed Tomb**
Iszi Lawrence
- ☐  **Terrible True Tales: Romans**
Terry Deary



Shorter Reads

- ☐  **Puloma and the Bear**
Jasbinder Bilan & Skylar White
- ☐  **Bertie and the Alien Chicken**
Jenny Pearson & Aleksei Bitskoff
- ☐  **Finding Her Feet**
Eve Ainsworth & Luna Valentine
- ☐  **The Piano at the Station**
Helen Rutter & Elisa Paganelli



Funny Books

- ☐  **Diary of a Future Billionaire**
Pamela Butchart
- ☐  **The Misadventures of Mina Mahmood: School Trip**
Farhana Islam
- ☐  **The Great Chocoplot**
Chris Callaghan
- ☐  **Betty Steady and the Toad Witch**
Nicky Smith-Dale & Sarah Horne
- ☐  **You're a Bad Man, Mr Gum**
Andy Stanton






Picturebooks

- ☐  **The Barnabus Project**
The Fan Brothers
- ☐  **Town is By the Sea**
Joanne Schwartz & Sydney Smith

Poetry Collections

- ☐  **I Am the Seed That Grew the Tree**
Fiona Waters & Frann Preston-Gannon
- ☐  **On Poetry Street**
Brian Moses & Mark Elvins

Non-Fiction Books

- ☐  **Into the Volcano**
Catherine Ard & Wenjia Tang
- ☐  **At the Top of the World**
Robin Jacobs & Ed J. Brown
- ☐  **How Do Bridges Work?**
Roman Belyaev
- ☐  **Shackleton's Journey**
William Grill
- ☐  **Open Wide!**
Letizia Diamante & Ed J. Brown



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