

SUGGESTED READING LIST FOR YEAR 6

Genre	Title	Author
Historical		
The Cuckoo Tree	Aitken,	Joan
The Boyhood of Burglar Bill	Alhberg	Allan
Jonnie's Blitz	Ashley	Bernard
Carrie's War	Bawden	Nina
The Midnight Fox	Byars	Betsy
The Bagthorpe Saga (Ordinary Jack)	Cresswell	Helen
The Great Elephant Chase	Cross	Gillian
The Snow Goose	Gallico	Paul
Brother Eagle, Sister Sky : A Message from Chief Seattle	Jeffers	Susan
Thunder & Lightnings	Mark	Jan
Anne of Green Gables	Montgomery	L
Mrs Frisby and the Rats of Nimh	O'Brien	Robert
The Dolphin Crossing	Paton Walsh	Jill
Fireweed	Paton Walsh	Jill
The Adventures of the New Cut Gang	Pullman	Philip
The Silver Sword	Serraillier	Ian
Beowulf:Dragon Slayer	Sutcliffe	Rosemary
Black Ships Before Troy	Sutcliffe	Rosemary
The Eagle of the Ninth	Sutcliffe	Rosemary
The Country Child	Utley	Alison
Children on the Oregon Trail	van der Loeff	Rutgers
Sword in the Stone	White	T.H
Kiss the Dust	Laird	Elizabeth
Thief!	Blackman	Malorie
Pig Heart Boy	Blackman	Malorie
The Eighteenth Emergency	Byars	Betsy
The London Eye Mystery	Dowd	Siobhan
Truth, Lies and Homework	Feeney	Josephine
Flour Babies	Fine	Anne
The Angel of Nitshill Road	Fine	Anne
The Thief Lord	Funke	Cornelia
See Ya!	Hill	David
Contemporary		
Alex Rider Series	Horowitz	Anthony
Someone Came Knocking	Merrick	Anne
Bridge to Terabitha	Paterson	Katherine
Dogs Don't Tell Jokes	Sachar	Louis
Becky Bananas: This is Your Life	Ure	Jean
The unfogotton coat	Cottrell Boyce	Frank
The River Boy	Bowler	Tim

Short Stories

Mouth Open - Story Jump Out	Hallworth	Grace
In Deep Water	Magorian	Margaret
This Poem Doesn't Rhyme	Benson	Gerard
Classic Poems to Read Outloud	Berry	James
Green Glass Beads - A Collection of poems for girls	Ed Wilson	Jaqueline

Poetry

I Like This Poem	Webb	Kaye
Talking Turkeys	Zephaniah	Benjamin
Artemis Fowl	Colfer	Eoin
Over Sea, Under Stone	Cooper	Susan
The Owl Service	Garner	Alan

Fantasy

A wrinkle in Time	L'Engle	Madeleine
The Haunting	Margaret	Mahy
Forever X	McCaughrean	Geraldine
The Kite Rider	McCaughrean	Geraldine
The Wind Singer	Nicholson	William
North Child	Patou	Edith
Clockwork	Pullman	Philip
Krindlekrax	Ridley	Philip
Haroun & the Sea of Stories	Rushdie	Salman
Bug Muldoon and the Garden of Fear	Shipton	Paul
Marianne Dreams	Storr	Catherine
The Worlds of Chrestomanci (Series)	Wynne Jones	Diana
King Kong	Browne	Anthony

Picture Texts & Graphic

Novels

Memorial	Crew/ Tan	Gary/ Shaun
Rose Blanche	Innocenti/ McEwan	Roberto/ Ian
The Arrival	Tan	Shaun
The Lost Thing	Tan	Shaun
The Hobbit	Tolkein / Wenzel	JRR/ David
Tuesday	Weisner	David
Flotsam	Weisner	David

Classics

The Wind in Willows	Grahame	Kenneth
The Secret Garden	Hodgson-Burnett	Francis
Just So Stories	Kipling	Rudyard
The Borrowers	Norton	Mary
Black Beauty	Sewell	Anna
Ballet Shoes	Streatfield	Noel
Stories For Children	Wilde	Oscar

BookTrust

Recommendation - 2012

9-12 Year Olds

The Abominables	Ibbotson	Eva
The Considine Curse	Jones	Gareth P
The Case of the Good Looking Corpse	Lawrence	Caroline
The Apothecary	Meloy	Maile
Wonder	Palacio	R.J.
The Brilliant World of Tom Gates	Pichon	Liz
Goblins	Reeve	Philip

Blue Peter Recommendations 2013

The boy who swam with Pihranas	Almond/ Jeffers	David/ Oliver
Hero on a bicycle	Hughes	Shirley
Tom Gates Genius Ideas (Mostly)	Pichon	Liz
Horrible Science: House of Horrors	Arnold /De Saulles	Nick / Tony
Walter Tull's Scrap Book	Morgan	Michaela
Fantastic Mr Dahl	Rosen / Blake	Michael / Quentin