

This spine provides details of class reading books for each year group at St Gregory's Catholic Primary School. Books may be selected from this list for study or for class reading time. It is not intended to be an exhaustive list and other books may be selected by the class teacher from time to time, when deemed necessary.

EYFS

In EYFS, books are selected to coordinate with each term's themes. In line with the EYFS Profile and Development Matters, these themes change termly and so do our book choices. The following books are examples of the high quality texts used in EYFS last year:

Here we are: Notes for living on Planet Earth - by Oliver Jeffers

Once There were Giants - Martin Waddell

Owl Babies - Martin Waddell

Not Now Bernard - David McKee

Only One You - Linda Kranz

The Colour Monster - Anna Llenas

Me and My Amazing Body – Joan Sweeney

Hairy Maclary from Donaldson's Dairy - L. Dodd

Zim Zam Zoom - James Carter & Nicola Colton (poetry)

Kipper's Birthday - Mick Inkpen

Celebrations Around the World: The Fabulous Celebrations you Won't Want to Miss - K. Halford

The Snowman - Raymond Briggs

One Snowy Night - Nick Butterworth

Stick Man - Julia Donaldson

Trust Me, Jack's Beanstalk Stinks – Eric Braun

Little Red Riding Hood -Traditional

Goldilocks and the Three Bears - Traditional

Beware of the Bears - Alan MacDonald

Cinderella - Traditional

Prince Cinders - Babette Cole

The Three Little Pigs - Traditional

Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig - Eugene Trivizas

Hungry Hen - Richard Waring

Handa's Hen - Eileen Browne

The Little Red Hen - Traditional

Chicken Licken - Traditional

The Tiny Seed - Eric Carle

Oliver's Fruit Salad - Vivien French

Eggs and Chicks - Fiona Pratchett

One Child, One Seed - Kathryn Cave

Ten Seeds - Ruth Brown

My Hair - Hannah Lee





Year 1

Dear Zoo - R. Campbell

Sharing a Shell - J. Donaldson

The Sacrecrow's Wedding – J. Donaldson

The Three Little Pigs

The Gingerbread Man

The Three Billy Goats Gruff

Jack and the Beanstalk

Jack and the Meanstalk - B. Wildsmith

Jim and the Beanstalk - R. Briggs

The Smeds and the Smoos – J. Donaldson

Zog – J. Donaldson

Where the Wild Things Are – M. Sendak

Beegu - A. Deacon

Beekle - D. Santat

Look Up! - Nathan Bryon

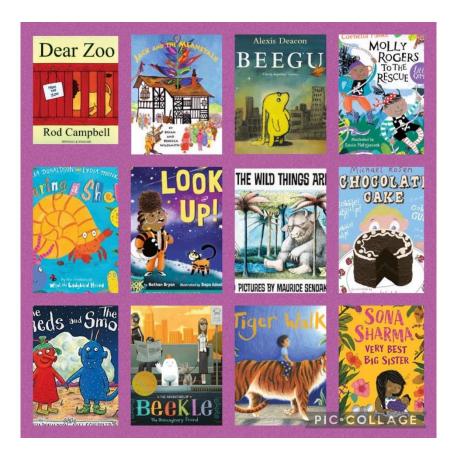
Tiger Walk - Denise Hofmeyer

Meesha Makes Friends – Tom Percival

Molly Rogers to the Rescue – Cornelia Funke

Chocolate Cake - Michael Rosen

Sonia Sharma: Very Best Big Sister – Chitra Soundar





Year 2

Stitch Head – Guy Bass The Day the Crayons Quit – Drew Daywalt Planet Omar – Zanib Mian The Hodgeheg – Dick King Smith Anna Hibiscus – Atinuke Happy Families - A. Ahlberg The Magic Finger – Roald Dahl Diary of a Killer Cat - Anne Fine Fortunately the Milk - Niel Gaiman The Invisible - Tom Percival The Proudest Blue - Ibtihaj Muhhammad Amazing Grace – Mary Hoffman Sulwe - N. Nyong'o Bug Hotel – L. Waldon We're going on a Bear Hunt – M. Rosen Little Red Riding Hood (Various versions) The Wolf's Story Toby and the Great Fire of London - M. Nash Pelican Non-Fiction BB- Chicken and the Egg





Year 3

Flat Stanley – Jeff Kinney

Stone Age Boy - S. Kitamura

How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth - M. Robinson

Malala's Magic Pencil – M. Yousefzi

The Iron Man – T. Hughes

The Mousehole Cat – Antonia Barber

The Boy Who Grew Dragons - A. Shepherd

The Legend of Podkin One Ear – K. Larwood

Egyptian Cinderella – S. Climo

The Firework Maker's Daughter – Philip Pullman

Charlie Changes into a Chicken – Sam Copeland

The Nothing to See Here Hotel – Steven Butler

Leon and the Place In Between – Angela Mcallister

George's Marvellous Medicine - Roald Dahl





Year 4

Journey - Aaron Becker Who let the Gods Out? - Maz Evans The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe – CS Lewis Aesop's Fables - Michael Rosen The Great Kapok Tree – Lynne Cherry The Vanishing Rainforest – Richard Platt Romans on the Rampage – Jeremy Strong After the Fall - Dan Santat The Dark - Lemony Snicket The Butterfly Lion – Morpurgo Henry's Freedom Box - Ellen Levine Who was Rosa Parks? - Yona Zelda McDonough The Village that Vanished – Anne Gifralconi The Girl Who Stole an Elephant – Nizrana Farook Aneesha Accidental Detective - Serena Patel The Leopard in the Golden Cage – Julia Edwards





Year 5

Kensuke's Kingdom – Morpurgo

Anglo Saxon Boy – Tony Bradman

Beowulf - Morpurgo

The Infinite Lives of Maisie Day – C Edge

The Boy at the Back of the Class - O. Rauf

Street Child – B. Doherty

Varjak Paw - S.F. Said

The Super Miraculous Journey of Freddie Yates – Pearson

The Last Bear – Hannah Gold

Asha and the Spirit Bird - Jasbinder Bilan

Wonder - AJ Palacio

The Secret Garden – F Hodgeson Burnett

Brightstorm – Vashti Hardy

Kid Normal – Greg James





Year 6

The Ickabog – JK Rowling

Holes - Louis Sacher

Malamander - T. Taylor

Tales of Ancient Worlds – Stefan Milosavjevich

You are a Champion - Marcus Rashford

Tom's Midnight Garden - Philippa Pearce

No Ballet Shoes in Syria - Bruton

The Viewer – Gary Crew

Mega Robo Bros Power Up – Niel Cameron

Stormbreaker – Anthony Horowitz

Floodland - Marcus Sedgewick

Room 13 - Robert Swindells

The Island – Armin Greder

Survival in Space: The Apollo 13 Mission – David Long

Orphans of the Tide – Struan Murray

