


Marymount Convent School
Recommended English Reading List
For Primary 4 Pupils

Dear Parents/Guardians,


It is with great pleasure that we welcome your daughter to Primary Four! We look forward to helping your child continue to develop the skills and abilities that will enable her to become a successful, life-long learner.


You are your daughter's first and most important teacher. Reading serves as the major foundational skill for all school-based learning. Helping your child develop into a proficient reader is a gift that will last a lifetime. These few, simple strategies and actions can make a significant difference in helping your child maintain and extend her literacy skills.

 **Read aloud together with your daughter every day. If you think a book is too much, read short articles from the newspaper. Do not discount Picture Books as there is a lot to discuss from the illustrations.**

 **Take turns reading. Your daughter can read books to you, younger siblings, and older siblings.**

 **Older siblings can take turns reading as well.**

 **Don't forget to pack a book wherever you go during the March and June holidays.**

 **Visit the public library regularly to borrow books that are not found in the school library.**

 **Download National Library app to borrow eBooks which your daughter can read on her mobile phone.**

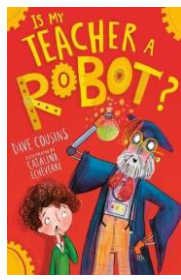
We hope this is the beginning of an enjoyable and enriching journey for your child and you!

Happy Reading!

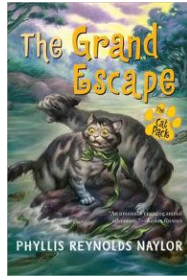
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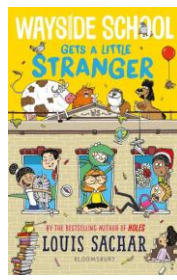
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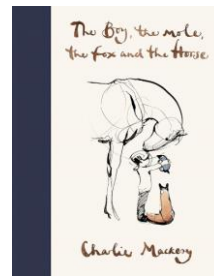
**Is my Teacher
a Robot?**
by Dave Cousins



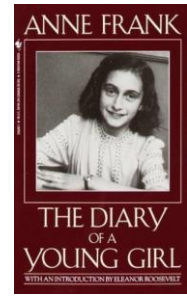
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Reynolds Naylor



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by Louis Sachar

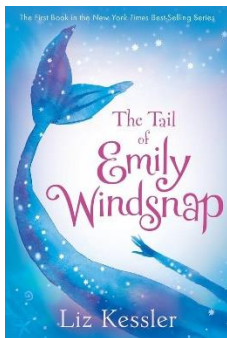


**The Boy, the mole
the fox and the
House** by Charlie
Murray

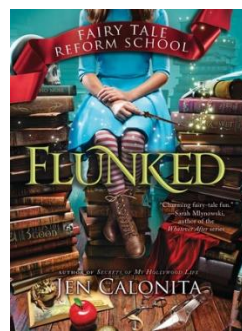


**The diary of a
young girl** by
Anne Frank

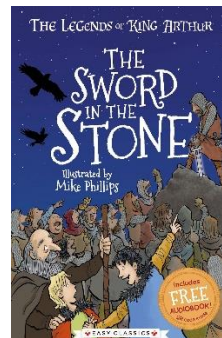
Recommended Books



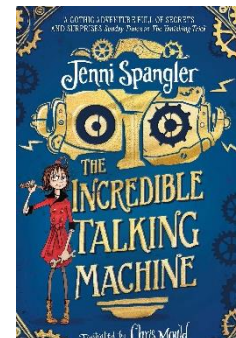
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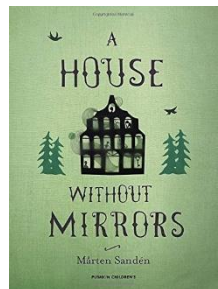
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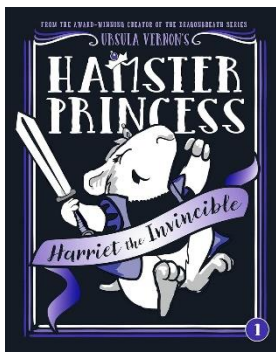
**The Legends of King
Arthur** by Tracey
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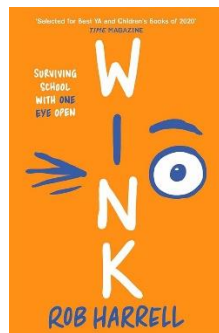
**The Incredible
Talking Machine**
by Jennu Spangler



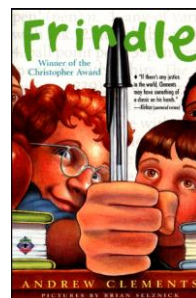
**A house without
Mirrors** by
Marten Sanden



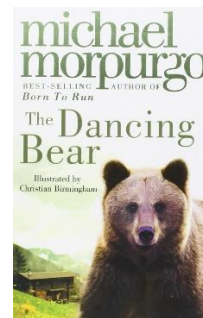
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by Ursula Vernon



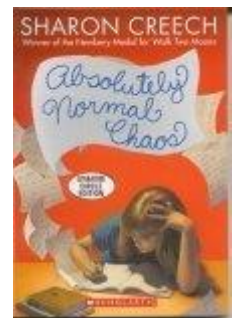
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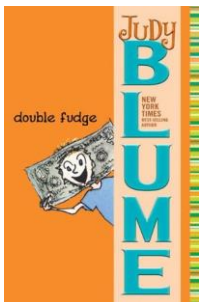
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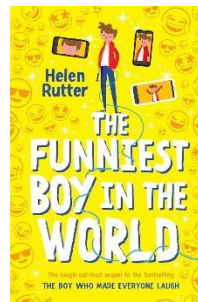
**The Dancing
Bear** by Michael
Morpurgo



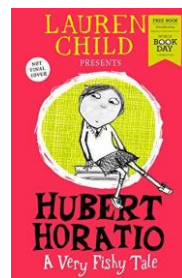
**Absolutely Normal
Chaos** by Sharon Creech



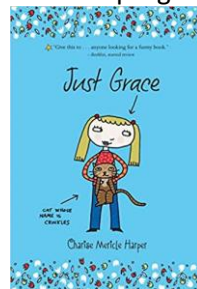
Double Fudge by Judy
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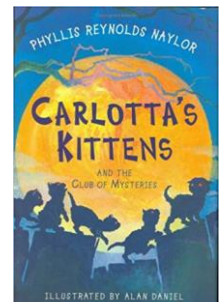
**The funniest boy in the
world** by Helen Rutter



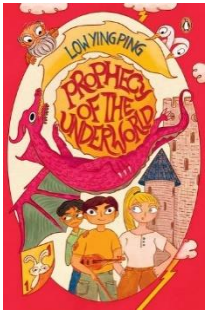
Hubert Horatio
by Lauren Child



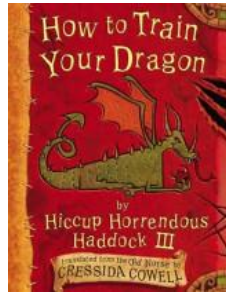
Just Grace series
by Charise
Mericle Harper



Carlotta's Kittens by
Phyllis Reynolds Naylor



Prophecy of the underworld
by Low Ying Ping



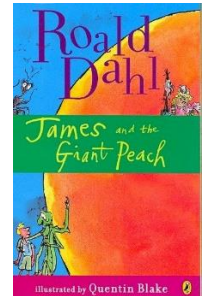
How to Train Your Dragon by Cressida Cowell



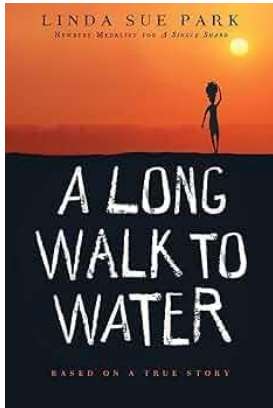
The Magician's Elephant by Kate DiCamillo



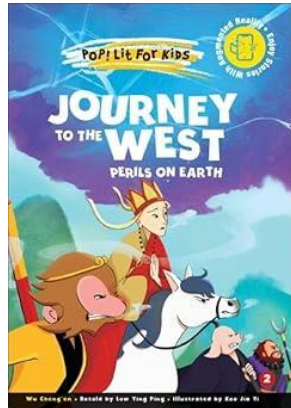
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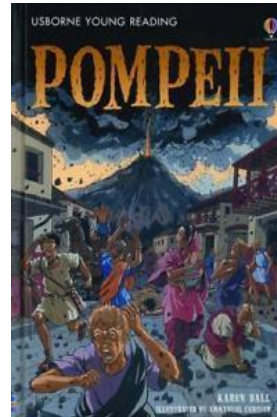
James and the Giant Peach by Roald Dahl



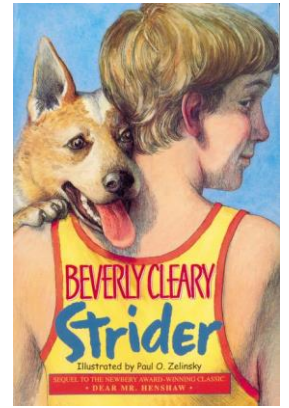
A long walk to water by Linda Sue Park



Journey to the west by Cheng'en



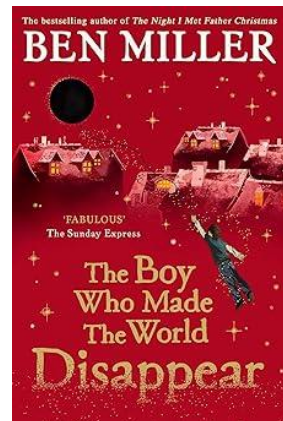
Usborne Young Reading Pompeii by Karen Ball



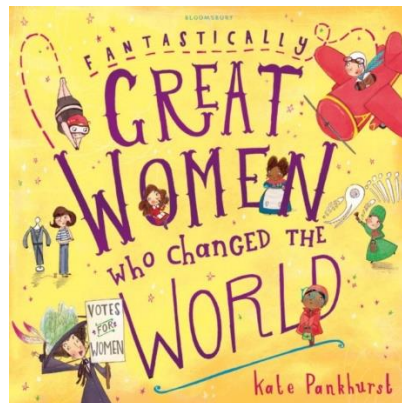
Strider by Beverly Cleary



The Girl and the Ghost by Hanna Alkaff



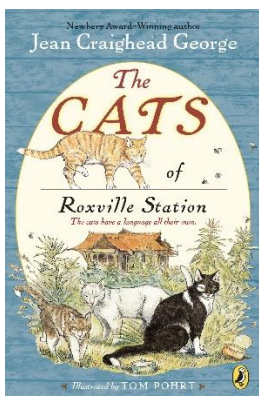
The boy who made the world disappear by Ben Miller



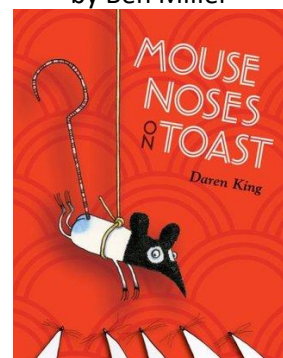
Fantastically Great Women who changed the world by Kate Pankhurst



The kid who comes from space by Ross Welford



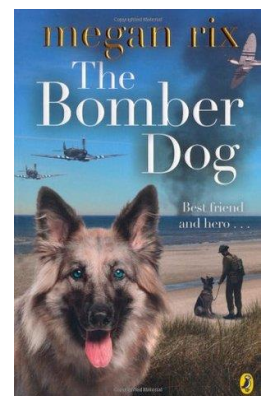
The Cats of Roxville Station by Jean Craighead George



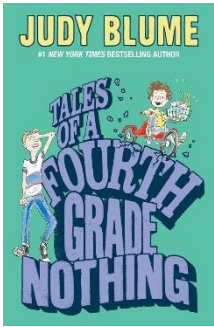
Mouse noses on Toast by Daren King



Adventures of Samsui Girl by Ho Lee-Ling



The Bomber Dog by Megan Rix



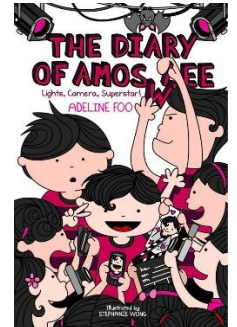
Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing by Judy Blume



Robozonic: Dragonfly Rescue by Caline Tan



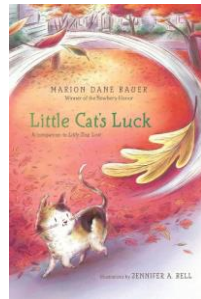
The princess rules by Philippa Gregory



The Diary of Amos Lee by Adeline Foo

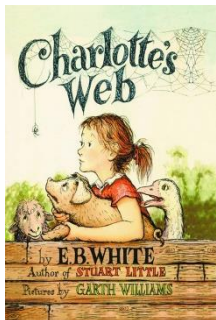


The Snail with the Right Heart by Maria Popova

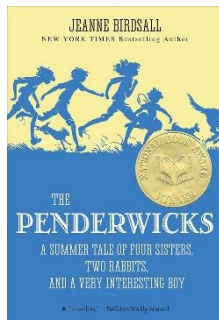


Little Cat's Luck by Marion Dane Bauer

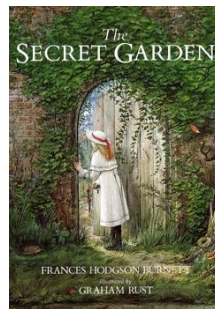
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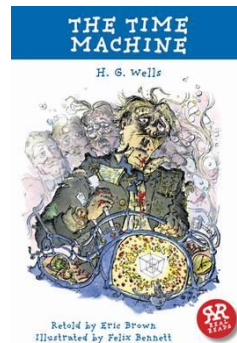
Charlotte's Web by E.B. White



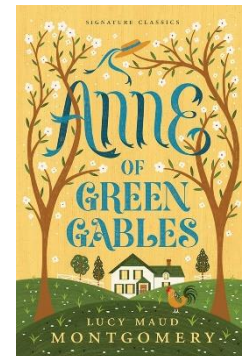
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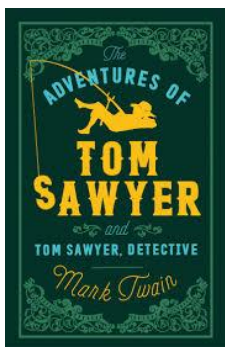
The Secret Garden by Frances Hodgson Burnette



The Time Machine by HG Wells



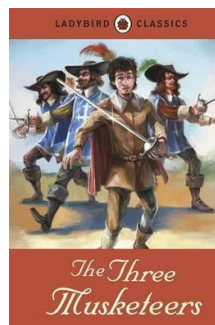
Anne of Green Gables by Lucy Maud Montgomery



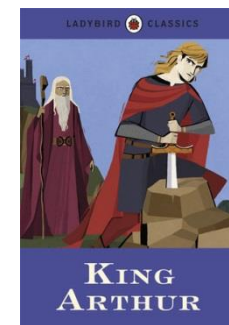
Tom Sawyer by Mark Twain



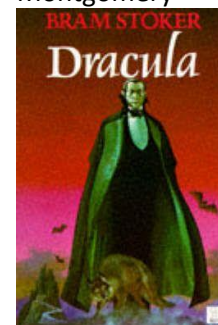
Ladybird Classics – Oliver Twist



Ladybird Classics – The Three Musketeers

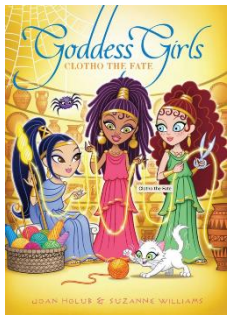


Ladybird Classics – King Arthur



Dracula by Bram Stoker

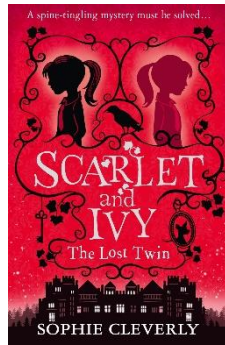
Children's Series



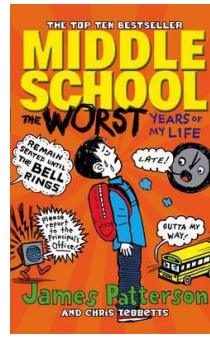
Goddess Girls Series
by Joan Holub



Thunder Girls Series
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Scarlet and Ivy Series
by Sophie Cleverly

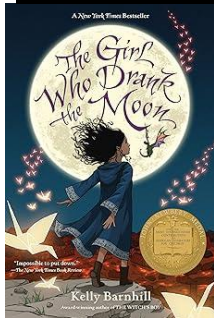


Middle School Series by James Paterson

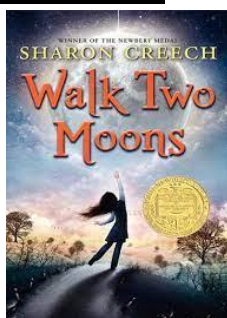


St Clare's series
by Enid Blyton

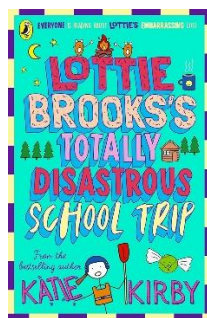
More Advanced Readers



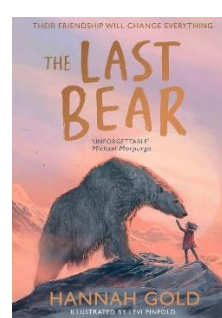
The Girl Who Drank the Moon
by Kelly Barnhill



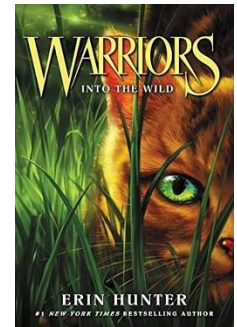
Walk Two Moons
by Sharon Creech



Lottie Brooks's totally disastrous School trip
by Katie Kirby



The Last Bear
by Hannah Gold



Warriors
by Erin Hunter

Local Books Series

A Royal Pain in the class
by N.J Humphreys

Harry Series by Patrick Yee

My BFF is an Alien Series
by Vivian Teo

