

Queensway's List of Recommended Reads for....

Foundation Stage



We are often asked to recommend books that the children will enjoy and have a good literary content. Here are some suggestions but we would welcome your views and any others that you think should be added to the list. These should all be available at your local library.

Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?	Bill Martin Jnr
Where's Spot?	Eric Hill
Guess How Much I Love You	Sam McBratney and Garth Williams
The Little Red Hen	Byron Barton
The Very Hungry Caterpillar	Eric Carle
The Naughty Bus	Jan and Jerry Oke
Owl Babies	Martin Waddell and Patrick Benson
Where the Wild Things Are	Maurice Sendak
The Tale of Peter Rabbit	Beatrix Potter
Pete the Cat and his four groovy buttons.	Eric Litwin, James Dean and Kimberly Dean
Not Now Bernard	David McKee
Little Red Riding Hood	Ladybird first favourite tales
The Tiger Who Came to Tea	Jill Tomlinson
The Gruffalo	Julia Donaldson & Axel Scheffler
Winnie the Witch	Valerie Thomas & Korky Paul
Mr Gumpy's Outing	John Buringham
We're Going on a Bear Hunt	Helen Oxenbury
Handa's Surprise	Eileen Browne
I Will Never Eat a Tomato	Lauren Child
Commotion in the Ocean	Giles Andrae
Mad about Minibeasts	
Rumble in the Jungle	
One Snowy Night	Nick Butterworth
Dear Zoo	Rod Campbell
The Rainbow Fish	Marcus Pfister
Dogger	Shirley Hughes
Farmer Duck	Martin Waddell
Once There Were Giants	Martin Waddell and Penny Dale
Zog	Julia Donaldson & Axel Scheffler
What the ladybird heard	Julia Donaldson
Shark in the park	Nick Sharratt
Oi Frog	Kes Gray and Jim Field
Each Peach, Pear, Plum	Janet and Alan Alberg
Full, full, full of love So Much	Trish Cooke
Tales from Acorn Wood series	Julia Donaldson
Look up	Nathan Bryan and Dapo Adeola
You choose	Nich Sharratt and Pippa Goodheart
The Mega Magic Hair Swap	Rochelle Humes
There's a monster in your book	Tom Fletcher
Whatever Next	Jill Murphy
The Train Ride	June Crebbin
How to catch a star	Oliver Jeffers.
Little People Big World series	Maria Isabelle Sanchez Vegara
Usborne Lift the flap question and answers.	

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Traditional Rhymes and fairy tales.	
Alphabet Books	
Counting Books	

Also worth a look at are:

<https://www.lovereadings4kids.co.uk/>

<https://schoolreadinglist.co.uk/>

<http://www.booktrust.org.uk/books/bookfinder>

These websites have a huge list of recommended books specific for each age range. Each book has a short synopsis for you to see if you would like to read more.

Happy Reading

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