



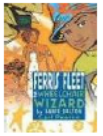




National Young Readers' Programme Recommended Booklist 2010

Recommended for ages five to eight

Cover	Synopsis	Details
	One of the very popular <i>Seriously Silly Stories</i> series, which rewrite classic fairy tales in a modern and humorous style. The easy-to-read format encourages less keen or confident readers .	Cinderboy L Anholt ISBN: 9781841214047 Price: £3.99
	A pictorial non-fiction book featuring conservationist David Bellamy and the Friendly Whale, who show you how to save energy, protect wildlife and help clean up the water and the air.	101 Ways to Save the Earth D Bellamy ISBN: 9781845079246 Price: £6.99
	This full colour comic-style book may appeal to children who enjoy the TV adventures of 10-year-old superhero Ben. In this story, he must rescue his Aunt's retirement complex from a dark alien force.	And Then There Were 10 'Ben 10' ISBN: 9781405248051 Price: £4.99
	Rude, spoilt Ellie needs to be taught a lesson in how to be a good friend, and luckily Grandma (who is a bit magic) knows just how to do it! A good introduction to a popular children's author .	Ellie and the Cat M Blackman ISBN: 9781843623915 Price: £3.99
	With short chapters, a pacey style and plenty of magic and adventure, the <i>Beast Quest</i> series is perfect for confident readers . In this title, Adam must defeat the terrifying Ice Dragon.	Blaze the Ice Dragon A Blade ISBN: 9781408303818 Price: £4.99
	Often voted by adults as their favourite classic children's book , these stories are packed with adventure and imagination. Recommended bedtime reading for newly independent readers.	The Magic Faraway Tree E Blyton ISBN: 9781405230285 Price: £5.99
	One of the <i>Ballerina Dreams</i> series for beginner readers , telling the story of Jasmine, who dreams of being a world-famous dancer but must convince her dad that she has what it takes?	Jasmine's Lucky Star A Bryant ISBN: 9780746060254 Price: £3.99
	A quirky, fun tale for strong readers aged 8+, featuring another outrageous adventure for Clarice Bean and friends. In this story Clarice wants a role in the school play and to impress her teacher.	Clarice Bean Spells Trouble L Child ISBN: 9781843628583 Price: £4.99
	A combination of adventure and humour make the Astrosaurus series a popular choice for newly fluent readers. Following a group of dinosaurs on a spaceship, the series has strong 'boy appeal'.	Revenge of the Fang S Cole ISBN: 9781862302556 Price: £4.99
	A rib-tickling selection of dreadful poetry about stinky socks, burps, bogies and other revolting things – the subject matter and comic illustrations are a great way to tempt poetry avoiders to peek!	Disgusting Poems P Cookson ISBN: 9780439968805 Price: £3.99
	A charming story with all the classic Dahl ingredients . James, an orphan living with wicked relations, is kind to a gang of insects, and they in turn help him to realise his dreams.	James and the Giant Peach R Dahl ISBN: 9780141322636 Price: £5.99

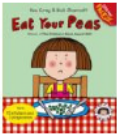








National Young Readers' Programme Recommended Booklist 2010

Recommended for ages five to eight




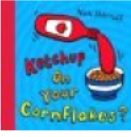


Cover	Synopsis	Details
	"No animal is half so vile/As Crocky-Wock the crocodile" Roald Dahl is at his very best in this selection of hilarious poems about animals . A great companion piece to <i>Revolting Rhymes</i> .	Dirty Beasts R Dahl ISBN: 9780141501741 Price: £6.99
	This disgustuously delicious collection of recipes from the books of Roald Dahl features such dainty delights as Boiled Slobbages, Glumptious Globgobblers, Nishnobblers and Plushnuggets. Non-fiction fun for budding cooks and Dahl fans.	Even More Revolting Recipes R Dahl ISBN: 9780099417125 Price: £6.99
	Oscar loves his Mum's exciting job with the Cosmic Peace Police, but gets bored when she's away – perhaps a babysitter from the local Wizard University might brighten things up? A short futuristic adventure story for beginner readers.	Ferris Fleet, Wheelchair Wizard A Dalton ISBN: 9781870516 730 Price: £4.99
	A gentle animal story from a popular series set in a vets. Recommended as a good first chapter book for confident younger readers and animal lovers, who may enjoy reading more by the same author.	The Playful Puppy L Daniels ISBN: 9780340932506 Price: £3.99
	One of the excellent <i>Nature Storybooks series</i> (which also features books on turtles, whales and tigers) this non-fiction picture book is full of fascinating facts about this misunderstood creature.	Surprising Sharks N Davies & J Croft ISBN: 9781406312874 Price: £5.99
	Older readers often enjoy the humour of the Horrible Histories series . In this title, you can find out about Pharaohs' nasty habits, how to make a mummy and if pyramids really have magic powers.	Awesome Egyptians T Deary ISBN: 9780439944038 Price: £4.99
	Designed to engage less keen readers as well as <i>Star Wars: Clone Wars</i> fans, this book tells the story of bounty hunter Cad Bane and his crew using simple language and bright illustrations.	Star Wars: Bounty Hunters! DK ISBN: 9781405343381 Price: £5.99
	Full of dramatic colour photos and fascinating facts , from counting Saturn's rings to living in space stations, this is a perfect book for all budding space travellers.	Eyewonder: Space DK ISBN: 9781405304726 Price: £5.99
	When Lucy hears noises she tries to warn her parents that wolves are banging about in the walls, but no-one listens. A spooky picture book that may interest older and less keen readers .	Wolves in the Walls N Gaiman ISBN: 9780747591627 Price: £6.99
	Perfect for budding chefs, this photographic guide contains step-by-step instructions for a variety of recipes to inspire young cooks , including cheesy scone worms and coconut ice mice – yummy!	What Shall I Cook? R Gibson ISBN: 9780746028537 Price: £4.99
	With digital diagrams and action photos throughout, this very accessible book includes information about rules, skills, positioning and set pieces. A fantastic first guide to playing football for younger readers.	Football Skills C Gifford ISBN: 9780753412442 Price: £4.99

National Young Readers' Programme Recommended Booklist 2010

Recommended for ages five to eight

Cover	Synopsis	Details
	A RIF read-aloud favourite featuring pea-hating Daisy and her mum's ever-more tempting bribes to make her clear her plate. Includes a double-sided play frieze and stickers for even more fun.	Eat Your Peas K Gray ISBN: 9781862302327 Price: £5.99
	Books in the <i>Where's Wally?</i> series are a number one choice for many children, and can be enjoyed whatever your reading ability. In this title, find Wally on his quest through magical fantasy lands.	Fantastic Journey M Handford ISBN: 9781406305876 Price: £5.99
	Grace would love to star in the school production of 'Peter Pan' but her friends don't think she can. Mum says she can do anything if she puts her mind to it. Available in English and selected dual languages : (Punjabi 9781845073831, Urdu: 9781845074104)	Amazing Grace M Hoffman ISBN: 9781845077495 (Eng) Price: £5.99
	When pony-mad princess Ellie finds a map hidden in the palace library, she sets off on a hunt for secret treasure with her friends Kate and John. An exciting adventure and excellent first picture book for all young horse fans.	Princess Ellie's Secret Treasure Hunt D Kimpton ISBN: 9780746085745 Price: £3.99
	An adventure on the high seas featuring entertaining stories and visual cartoon-style puzzles . Maps and guides help children experience the story and hints and answers are provided.	Puzzle Pirates S Leigh ISBN: 9780746074381 Price: £4.99
	Fans of lively girl characters , such as Judy Moody and Clarice Bean, should also enjoy the hilarious adventures of Ruby Rogers. In this title, Ruby's teacher asks her to take charge of the new girl.	Ruby Rogers: Get a Life S Limb ISBN: 9780747583240 Price: £4.99
	Judy Moody has a mood for every occasion and now, she has a mood ring to prove it, and when the ring also seems to have magic powers she's in for some fun! Recommended for keen readers .	Judy Moody Predicts M McDonald ISBN: 9781406302141 Price: £4.99
	The entertaining story of reluctant pirate pupil Pickles, presented in diary form in a detailed picture book format. Younger children will enjoy both the humour and the adventure of the story.	Captain Abdul's Pirate School C McNaughton ISBN: 9780744598964 Price: £3.99
	The <i>Rainbow Fairies</i> series offers popular, if formulaic, fiction for newly confident readers . Everyone is preparing for the Fairy Olympics, but can they stop Jack Frost from cheating?	Gemma the Gymnastic Fairy D Meadows ISBN: 9781846168949 Price: £3.99
	Joe befriends the boy from new family next door, helping him to find a quiet place in the chaotic city. A thought-provoking picture book about asylum seekers that reflects contemporary experience.	The Silence Seeker B Morley ISBN: 9781848530034 Price: £5.99
	Recommended for confident readers , the <i>Worst Witch</i> stories form a classic series. In this story, a new term at Miss Cackle's Academy for Witches gives Mildred Hubble another chance to impress!	The Worst Witch Saves the Day J Murphy ISBN: 9780141314341 Price: £4.99

National Young Readers' Programme Recommended Booklist 2010

Recommended for ages five to eight		
Cover	Synopsis	Details
	The first in a series of books about a girls' football team . 9 year-old Megan tries everything to get the coach of the school team to notice her, but when nothing works she decides to set up her own team.	Do Goalkeepers Wear Tiaras? H Pielichaty ISBN: 9781406317305 Price: £4.99
	A wonderful picture book that's great fun to read aloud with younger children, featuring a boy with awful habits (nose-picking, weeing on the flower-beds) and a "No, Bertie! That's dirty, Bertie!" refrain.	Dirty Bertie D Roberts ISBN: 9781854308207 Price: £5.99
	New readers will be inspired to make up dozens of their own sensible or silly mix-and-match versions of well-known fairy tales in this fantastic spiral-bound story book . Highly interactive and great fun.	Mixed Up Fairy Tales H Robinson ISBN: 9780340875582 Price: £6.99
	A good introduction to a great author for newly fluent readers. Meet the eccentric and gifted pupils of Wayside School in this story of an unusual school where strange things always seem to be happening.	Sideways Stories from Wayside School L Sachar ISBN: 9780747571773 Price: £4.99
	Lots of fun for younger children and less confident readers, who will be encouraged to turn the pages of this clever split-page book to discover a range of outlandish food combinations.	Ketchup On Your Cornflakes? N Sharratt ISBN: 9780439950640 Price: £5.99
	Another big favourite for children at the top end of this age range, who love reading about the adventures of naughty characters . In this story Henry is annoyed when Peter steals his party idea.	Horrid Henry Robs the Bank F Simon ISBN: 9781842551325 Price: £4.99
	When Charlie Small's battered journal was first discovered it seemed an elaborate hoax. Surely no 8-year-old could have had so many wild adventures? Gripping fun for less keen readers .	Charlie Small: Gorilla City C Small ISBN: 9780385611220 Price: £4.99
	Mr Gum is a horrid old man with a filthy house, a bad attitude and a fairy living in his bath that hits him with a frying pan if his garden isn't tidy. A hilarious Roald Dahl-esque read-aloud favourite .	You're A Bad Man, Mr Gum! A Stanton ISBN: 9781405228176 Price: £4.99
	Packed with jokes, quizzes, puzzles, games, extracts from lots of favourite stories and a brand new short story! A great book for dipping in and out of , this book will appeal to humour fans and less keen or confident readers.	Laugh-Your-Socks-Off-Even-More Joke Book J Strong ISBN: 9780141327983 Price: £4.99
	A great non-fiction title that will appeal to budding artists . Includes handy tips, new techniques and plenty of inspiration for a range of projects including thumb-print lions and a farmyard animal race.	How to Draw Animals F Watt ISBN: 9780746063644 Price: £4.99
	A short chapter-book introduction to a very popular author for new readers. Lizzie isn't happy about having a new step-family and decides to stop talking. Can anything or anyone make her unzip?	Lizzie Zipmouth J Wilson ISBN: 9780552557849 Price: £3.99