



Reading for Pleasure Newsletter.

This is the second edition of the Reading for Pleasure Newsletter for parents, carers and children. As we move towards the summer break, I have collected some more reading recommendations and have some fun ideas that you could try. Both the children and staff at school have been reading lots of books and have made more recommendations. As before, some of the books are available online so just press ctrl, click on the link and enjoy the book. Have a super summer and we all look forward to seeing you soon.

COMPETITION

Can you create the front cover of your favourite book?

Be as imaginative as you can.

The winner will receive a £10 book voucher and two runners up will win £5 each.

Take a photo and send your entries to Y1@kcps.org.uk

All the entries will be displayed in school.



Featured Author.



Roald Dahl was born in Wales on the 13th September 1916 to Norwegian parents. He did not like school, and after getting into trouble in his Welsh primary school, his mother sent him to boarding school - first in Weston-Super-Mare and then Repton Public School in Derbyshire. He was very homesick at first, but then began to enjoy the experience. Whilst at the Repton School, Roald and his friends were often asked to be chocolate testers for a large company, and this later gave him the inspiration to write *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*. After school, Roald wanted to travel and have adventures, so he worked for the Shell oil company. He was sent to Africa to work, but after a year, the Second World War broke out and Roald signed up to join the Royal Air Force. He became a pilot. Dahl flew a Tiger Moth plane in Nairobi and then was posted to Libya, where he flew a Gloster Gladiator. After he left the RAF Roald began writing in an old cottage, where he wrote his first novel. Roald and his wife had five children: Olivia, Tessa, Theo, Ophelia and Lucy. Roald told his children stories at bedtime, and decided to start writing them down for all children to enjoy. During the 1980s, Dahl had 11 children's books published and *The BFG* was turned into an animated film. During his lifetime, Roald Dahl wrote 20 books for children. He has had 6 books turned into films, and both *Matilda* and *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* are now theatre shows.

Some of the books Roald Dahl has written.

The BFG, *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*, *Charlie and the Great Glass Elevator*, *Danny, the Champion of the World*, *The Enormous Crocodile*, *Esio Trot*, *Fantastic Mr Fox*, *George's Marvellous Medicine*, *James and the Giant Peach*, *Matilda*, *Revolting Rhymes*, *The Twits* and *The Witches*.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Foundation Stage	Key Stage 1	Lower Key Stage 2	Upper Key Stage 2
<p>Shazia recommends Elma the Patchwork Elephant</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vZINp-8zQgk</p> <p>One of my favourite books and I am sure you will love it as much as me.</p>	<p>Logan Griffin recommends Stuck by Oliver Jeffers</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZbjgDnOrqFg</p> <p>Stuck is a mind-blowing book featuring Floyd, who loses his kite in a tree. The book is written and illustrated by Oliver Jeffers. You should read this laugh-out-loud book. If you like amazing pictures and a well written story then Stuck is the book for you!</p> <p>I think this book is for any age, I have had Stuck since I was 3 and still enjoy it today.</p>	<p>Mrs Malin recommends Gumboots Chocolatey Day by Mick Inkpen</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vRmsDUjiv-Q</p> <p>I love this story because chocolate is Gumboots favourite thing and it is mine too! Find out what happens when he gets given a big bar of chocolate and takes it to the park.</p>	
<p>Noor recommends The Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NQK-Sm1YY</p> <p>Read this story and see if you love it as much as I do.</p>	<p>Mrs Bailey recommends Running Wild by Michael Morpurgo</p> <p>Extract read by Michael Morpurgo https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=67VQviMNQXO</p> <p>Discover the beautiful stories of Michael Morpurgo, author of Warhorse and the nation's favourite storyteller.</p> <p>An epic and heart-rending jungle adventure from the bestselling author of Kaspar and Born to Run.</p>	<p>Ms Roddis recommends Room on the Broom by Julia Donaldson</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6BnHTnUVD_Eo</p> <p>This is one of my favourite books. Anyone who has been in my class knows that I like rhyming books. This is a tale of friendship and how the friends help each other just when it's needed most.</p>	
<p>Mrs Edwards recommends Holes by Louis Sachar</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cWqdBtCZ9xI&list=PLRMhIXrTlwi5mXDWOLQQfgtwV5d8nJISaR</p> <p>(Chapter 1-3 further chapters can be found in the index column)</p> <p>Hilarious, inventive and wonderfully compelling, this is an unmissable modern classic.</p>	<p>Leo Bagshaw recommends Alans Big Scary Teeth by Jarvis Jake</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jg65k8c8J-Y</p> <p>I really like the story and you will too. and</p> <p>Noisy Neighbors by Ruth Green</p> <p>Sid the snail is searching for some peace and quiet so he can have a nap. Wherever he goes he bumps into his neighbours - chirping sparrows, singing foxes, buzzing bees, quacking ducks, playful squirrels, hooting owls and chattering badgers - each louder than the last! In the end he invites them all to a party, which is so noisy and so much fun, they all tire themselves out and fall to sleep.</p>		<p>Miss Dungworth recommends While we can't hug by Eoin Mclaughlin.</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tarq5nkkGik</p> <p>This book shows the different ways we can show those we love affection, as right now we might not be able to hug those that they love.</p>

Word Search

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Grid of letters:

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G	A	R	J	A	M	E	S	L	H
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Words to find:

- ROALD DAHL
- PEACH
- FOX
- MATILDA
- BFG
- BOOKS
- READING
- WONKA
- CROCODILE
- JAMES