



50 Recommended Reads for...

# Year 1 (ages 5-6)

Which ones have you read?

## Favourite Storytime Books

-  **Look Up!**  
Nathan Bryon & Dapo Adeola
-  **The Dinosaur Next Door**  
David Litchfield
-  **The Bumblebear**  
Nadia Shireen
-  **Where to Hide a Star**  
Oliver Jeffers
-  **That Rabbit Belongs to Emily Brown**  
Cressida Cowell & Neal Layton
-  **Spyder**  
Matt Carr
- Funny Books**
-  **The Big Cheese**  
Jory John & Pete Oswald
-  **Zebacadabra!**  
Kes Gray & Fred Blunt
-  **I Can Only Draw Worms**  
Will Mabbitt
-  **Splash Day!**  
Nick Sharratt
-  **Greg the Sausage Roll**  
Mark & Roxanne Hoyle & Gareth Conway

## Classic Books

-  **The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch**  
Ronda & David Armitage
-  **Paddington**  
Michael Bond & R. W. Alley
-  **The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark**  
Jill Tomlinson & Paul Howard
-  **Funnybones**  
Janet & Allan Ahlberg
-  **Gorilla**  
Anthony Browne

## Empathy-Boosting Books

-  **The Boy, the Troll and the Chalk**  
Anne Booth & David Litchfield
-  **Thunderboots**  
Naomi Jones & Rebecca Ashdown
-  **Gina Kaminski Saves the Wolf**  
Craig Barr-Green & Francis Martin
-  **Step Into My Shoes**  
Alkisti Halikia, Fotini Tikkou & Konstantine Matsoukas
-  **Me and My Hair**  
Kimberley Kinloch, Jessica Gibson & Sandra Becker Borree

## First Graphic Novels

-  **Bumble & Snug and the Angry Pirates**  
Mark Bradley

## Independent Chapter Books

-  **Isadora Moon Goes to School**  
Harriet Muncaster
-  **The Guinea-Pig Party**  
Holly Webb & Rosie Butcher
-  **Gruff Justice**  
Ross Montgomery & Marisa Morea
-  **The Cat and the King**  
Nick Sharratt
-  **Sidney and Carrie Have a Party**  
Lisa Thompson & Jess Rose

## Stories About Community & Culture

-  **The Boldest White**  
Ibtihaj Muhammad, S. K. Ali & Hatem Aly
-  **Eid for Nylah**  
Nizrana Farook & Zelma Firdauzia
-  **The Great Henna Party**  
Humera Malik & Sonali Zohra
-  **The Can Caravan**  
Richard O'Neill & Cindy Kang

## Animal Stories

-  **Dolphin Boy**  
Michael Morpurgo & Michael Foreman
-  **The Pandas Who Promised**  
Rachel Bright & Jim Field
-  **Godfrey is a Frog**  
Alex Latimer
-  **Arlo the Lion Who Couldn't Sleep**  
Catherine Rayner
-  **The Search for the Giant Arctic Jellyfish**  
Chloe Savage

## Storytime Chapter Books

-  **Adventuremice: Otter Chaos**  
Philip Reeve & Sarah McIntyre
-  **Harry the Poisonous Centipede**  
Lynne Reid Banks & Tony Ross
-  **Rabbit's Bad Habits**  
Julian Gough & Jim Field
-  **Hotel Flamingo**  
Alex Milway
-  **Huxley and Flapjack: Race to the Rescue**  
Alan MacDonald & Francesca Gambatesa
-  **Fantastic Mr Fox**  
Roald Dahl & Quentin Blake
-  **Call the Puffins**  
Cath Howe & Ella Okstad
- Poems & Rhymes**
-  **A Whale of a Time**  
Lou Peacock & Matt Hunt
-  **There is a Season**  
Kerri Cunningham
- Information Books**
-  **Fluffy, Flying Seed**  
Mary Auld & Dawn Cooper
-  **I Wonder Where I Am?**  
Shinsuke Yoshitake
-  **Coming to England**  
Baroness Floella Benjamin & Diane Ewen
-  **Flow with the Snow**  
Robert Tregoning & Oliver Averill
-  **Big Book of Boats**  
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