

Suggested Reading Books for children in Foundation Stage

St Mary's C of E Primary School aspires to be an outstanding reading school. Our staff have selected several core texts for each year group that your child will become very familiar with throughout their time at our school. These texts will be available to read at all times in the classroom. If you wish to support your child with the breadth of reading then please feel free to read these books at home to and with your child. We hope that these book lists might play a part in birthday, Christmas or general "book treat" purchases from family and friends. Thank you.

	Book Title	Author
1	The Very Hungry Caterpillar	Eric Carle
2	We're Going on a bear hunt	Michael Rosen
3	Room on the Broom	Julia Donaldson
4	The Gruffalo's Child	Julia Donaldson
5	Owl Babies	Martin Waddell
6	Guess how much I love you?	Sam McBratney & Anita Jeram
7	Each Peach Pear Plum	Janet & Allan Ahlberg
8	Dear Zoo	Rod Campbell
9	Hairy McClary from Donaldson's Dairy	Lynley Dodd
10	The Tiger who came Tea	Judith Kerr
11	The Rainbow Fish	Marcus Pfister
12	Jasper's Beanstalk	Nick Butterworth
13	Harry and the Dinaosaurs	Ian Whybrow
14	Where the Wild Things are	Maurice Sendak
15	Whatever Bext!	Jill Murphy
16	Elmer	David McKee
17	Stanley's Stick	Neal Layton
18	"Not ME" said the Monkey	Colin West
19	Brown Bear, Brown Bear, what do you see?	Eric Carle
20	Some Dogs Do	Jez Alborough
21	The Gruffalo	Julia Donaldson
22	Elmer in the Snow	David McKee
23	Handa's Surprise	Eileen Browne
24	The booktime book of fantastic first poems	June Crebbin