



Wavendon Gate School Reading Overview

Year group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	<p>At the start of the year, we get the children ready for reading by reading a high-quality picture book in a small group. The children practise pre-reading skills (reading top to bottom, left to right and search for some key words. They are encouraged to join in with repeated refrains, identify taught phonemes and explore themes (books are all recommended by the CLPE). Once we have started learning phonics, we practise reading books with the GPCs that we have learnt that week (in line with Read Write Inc phonics scheme) to practise identifying sounds and blending in a super-supported way. Class readers are read daily to the children to promote a love of reading. Each class visits the school library weekly and every child can take home a free choice library book. Reading Dens act as class libraries and books are changed frequently to support current learning.</p>					
	<p>We're Going on a Bear Hunt - Michael Rosen</p> <p>This is me - George Webster</p> <p>Our Class is a Family - Shannon Olsen</p> <p>Fish Don't Sneeze - Kirstie Watson</p> <p>The Lion Inside - Rachel Bright</p> <p>The Gruffalo - Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Jack and the Beanstalk -DK</p>	<p>My Pet Star - Corrinne Averiss</p> <p>The Gecko and the Echo - Rachel Bright</p> <p>The Smartest Giant in Town - Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Handa's Surprise - Eileen Browne</p> <p>Have you filled a bucket today? - Carol McCloud</p> <p>The Nativity Story Hansel and Gretel -Bethan Woolvin</p>	<p>The boy who cried wolf -Miles Kelly</p> <p>The Pandas who Promised - Rachel Bright</p> <p>I'm sticking with you - Smriti Halls</p> <p>Pinocchio -DK</p> <p>Finn's Little Fibs - Tom Percival</p> <p>Little Red Riding Hood -Brothers Grimm</p>	<p>The Squirrels who Squabbled - Rachel Bright</p> <p>Polar Bear Island - Lindsay Bonilla</p> <p>Lost and Found - Oliver Jeffers</p> <p>The Rainbow Fish - Marcus Pfister</p> <p>The Snail and the Whale - Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Goldilocks and the Three Bears</p>	<p>Why not? - George Webster</p> <p>Incredible You - Rhys Brisenden</p> <p>How to Catch a Star - Oliver Jeffers</p> <p>The Koala who Could - Rachel Bright</p> <p>The Three Little Pigs</p>	<p>The Camel who had the Hump - Rachel Bright</p> <p>King of the Swamp - Catherine Emmett</p> <p>Spinderella - Julia Donaldson</p> <p>The Very Hungry Caterpillar - Eric Carle</p> <p>Oliver's Vegetables and Oliver's Fruit Salad - Vivian French</p> <p>Supertato - Sue Hendra and Paul Linnet</p> <p>The Gingerbread Man -Lesley Sims</p>
Year 1	<p>Anna Hibiscus -Atinuke</p>	<p>A Bear Called Paddington -Michael Bond</p>	<p>Rabbit and Bear - Julian Gough and Jim Field</p>	<p>Claude at the Palace- Alex Smith</p>	<p>Izzy the Inventor and the elf Inspectors - Zanna Davidson</p>	<p>Wiglesbottom Primary - Pamela Butchart</p>



	Throughout Year 1, children will continue to work through the book bands depending on their growing phonics knowledge and progression in their application of phonics and comprehension. As the children are assessed in these areas, they will move through the book bands, reading a range of non-fiction and fiction texts. They will also read these same books at home. During Phonics Assessment and Review weeks, children will spend one week per half term focusing on a high-quality picture book, where they are encouraged to join in with repeated refrains, identify taught phonemes and explore themes through discussions. This is an opportunity for children to access books above the level that they can currently read, focusing on comprehension and a love of reading. Class readers are read daily to the children to promote a love of reading. Each class visits the school library weekly and every child can take home a free choice library book. Reading trees act as the class library and are replenished every half term to support the class curriculum.					
	Three by the Sea -Mini Grey	I Want My Hat Back -Jon Klassen	Goldilocks and Just 1 Bear -Leigh Hodgkinson	Lila and the Secret of Rain -David Conway and Jude Daly	How to Heal a Broken Wing -Bob Graham	Beegu -Alexis Deacon
Year 2	The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark (Chapter book version) J. Thomlinson	Rex Dinosaur in Disguise - Elys Dolan	Mr Penguin and the Lost Treasure - Alex Smith	Gaston Le Dog -Michael Rosen	Dave Pigeon - Swapna Haddow	The Sports Day Chicken - Pamela Butchart
	For the autumn term, pupils will be streamed according to their phonics skills and will aim for the majority of pupils to have completed the scheme by the end of this term. Guided reading in the autumn term is likely to be 1 phonics group, focussing on fluency and 1 guided reading group focussing on comprehension. From the spring term onwards, guided reading sessions will focus on extracts from books, through focussed book talk and written activities. Reading trees act as the class library and are replenished every half term to support the class curriculum. Pupils have an individual reading book which is banded for age appropriateness and stamina which they take home.					
	The Duck, The Wolf & The Mouse - Mac Barnett	The Planet in a Pickle Jar - Martin Stanev	Don't Cross The Line -Isabel Minhós Martins	And Tango Makes Three - Justin Richardson and Peter Parnell	Grandad's Island -Benji Davis	Leaf -Sandra Dieckmann
	Flat Stanley The Original Classic Adventure by Jeff Brown	The Owl Who was Afraid of the Dark	Yoshi the StoneCutter	The Children of Lir	Sulwe	The Hodgeheg by Dick King Smith
		Emmeline Pankhurst, Little People Big Dreams	The Moon Landings - Comprehension +	Life Cycles - Comprehension +	Oceans - Comprehension +	
The Magic Box			Humorous Poetry			
VIPERS - After the Fall		VIPERS - Ice Trap	VIPERS - Moth:An Evolution Story	VIPERS - Meerkat Mail		
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Year 3	replenished every half term to support the class curriculum. Class readers are read daily to the children to promote a love of reading. Each class visits the school library weekly and every child can take home a free choice library book. Pupils have an individual reading book which is banded for age appropriateness and stamina which they take home.					
	The Iron Man T. Hughes	Pebble in My Pocket M. Hooper	The BFG - Roald Dahl	Varjak Paw -SF Said	The Firework Maker's Daughter - Philip Pullman	The Abominables - Eva Ibbotson
	The Last Castaways by Harry Horse	Developing reading preferences	Swallow's Kiss -Sita Brahmachari	Marcy and the Riddle of the Sphinx - Joe Todd-Stanton	Varjak Paw -SF Said	Diary of a Killer Cat by Anne Fine
		Mulan	Pebble in My Pocket	The Moon Dragons	Anansi and the Antelope Baby	
		The Stone Age	Rushing Rivers	Light	Ancient Egypt	
		Reading and Performing Scripts		The Jumblies - Edward Lear		
VIPERS - The Dark	VIPERS - Escape From Pompeii	VIPERS - Fox	VIPERS - Firebird			
Year 4	Guided reading sessions will focus on extracts from books, through focussed book talk and written activities. Reading trees act as the class library and are replenished every half term to support the class curriculum. Class readers are read daily to the children to promote a love of reading. Each class visits the school library weekly and every child can take home a free choice library book. Pupils have an individual reading book which is banded for age appropriateness and stamina which they take home.					
	The Boy Who Made Monsters -Jenny Pearson	The Borrowers - Mary Norton	Charlotte's Web -E B White	Street Child -Berlie Doherty	Planet Omar -Zainib Mian	The Blunders -David Walliams
	The Butterfly Lion by Michael Morpurgo	Developing Reading Preferences Y5	El Deafo -Cece Bell	The Wild Robot - Peter Brown	Danny Chung Does Not Do Maths - Maisie Chan	A Series of Unfortunate Events – The Bad Beginnings by Lemony Snicket
		Hansel and Gretel	Walter Tull's Scrapbook	Greenling	Arthur and the Golden Rope	
		Curious Creatures Glowing in the Dark	A Journey Through Greek Myths	Sound	Rivers	
		John Lyons Poetry		I Wandered Lonely as a Cloud		



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		VIPERS - Rainforests	VIPERS - Animals	VIPERS - Anglo Saxons	VIPERS - Famous authors	
Year 5	Owen and the Soldier -Lisa Thompson	The Girl Who Stole an Elephant -Nizrana Farook	The Unforgotten Coat - Frank Cottrell Boyce	Goth Girl and the Ghost of a Mouse - Chris Riddell	Holes -Louis Sachar	Tales from Shakespeare -Michael Morpurgo
	Groosham Grange by A.Horowitz	Developing reading preferences in Y5	The Unforgotten Coat -Frank Cottrell Boyce	Front Desk -Kelly Yang	Wonder - R.J. Palacio	Tartu and the Pharaoh's Curse by J.West
		Mirror - Jennie Baker	Old Possums Book of Practical Cats - T.S Eliot	Princess Sophia Duleep Singh: My Story - Sufiya Ahmed	Oliver Twist - Charles Dickens	
		The UK	Crazy About Cats	Space	Curiosity: The Story of a Mars Rover - Markus Motum	
		The Listeners		The Highwayman		
		VIPERS - The Vikings	VIPERS- Let's Get Persuasive	VIPERS- Modern Technology	VIPERS- Shakespeare	
Year 6	Onyeka and the Academy of the Sun -Tolá Okogwu	Beyond the Deepwoods -Paul Stuart	When Sky Falls - Phil Earle	When Sky Falls - Phil Earle	I am Malala -Malala Yousafzai	The Final Year -Matt Goodfellow
	The Boy at the Back of the Class -Onjali Raúf	Developing reading preferences in Y6	The Girl of Ink and Stars -Kiran Millwood Hargrave	When Stars are Scattered - Victoria Jamieson and Omar Mohamed	Cloud Busting -Malorie Blackman	Wonder - R J Palacio
		Coming to England - Floella Benjamin	When Sky Falls - Phil Earle	A Kind of Spark - Elle McNicoll	Shackleton's Journey - William Grill	
		The Victorians	Battle of Britain	Strong and Powerful Women	Everybody Different - Everybody the Same	
		Narrative poetry		Beowulf - Kevin Crossley-Holland		
		VIPERS - Shakespeare	VIPERS - The British Empire	VIPERS - The Raven- Edgar Allen Poe	VIPERS - Biographies	



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	Classics		Picture Book		Links to geography unit		Links to science unit
	Modern Fiction		Non Fiction		Links to history unit		
	Poetry		Class reader		Book Club		