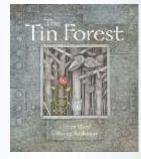
KS1 Must Reads

- The Jolly Postman / The Jolly Christmas Postman Janet & Allan Ahlberg
- Paddington Bear Michael Bond
- The Cat in the Hat Dr. Seuss
- Where the Wild Things Are Maurice Sendak
- George's Marvellous Medicine Roald Dahl
- Farmer Duck Martin Waddell & Helen Oxenbury
- Winnie the Witch Valerie Thomas
- Traction Man is Here Mini Grey
- The Bear and the Piano David Litchfield
- The Day the Crayons Quit Drew Daywalt
- Anna Hibiscus Atinuke
- The Tear Thief Carol Ann Duffy
- Dogger Shirley Hughes
- The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch Ronda & David Armitage
- Flat Stanley Jeff Brown
- Dear Greenpeace Simon James
- Beegu Alexis Deacon
- Tuesday David Wiesner
- Handa's Surprise Eileen Browne

- My Name is Not Refugee Kate Milner
- The Lost Happy Endings Carol Ann Duffy
- Journey Aaron Becker
- Cinnamon Neil Gaiman
- Katie Morag Island Stories Mairi Hedderwick
- The Dark Lemony Snicket



If you enjoyed...



The Tin Forest by Helen Ward

You should try...



The Wonder by Faye Hanson

The Legend of Spud Murphy – Eoin Colfer

Eoin Colfer has a real gift for getting inside the minds of his young characters. This is a wonderfully colourful tale, told with pace and humour. The children's powerful imaginations and sense of adventure make their unexpectedly joyful discoveries far from conventional. This is an ideal book for a child just starting to read alone.

Tuesday – D.Weisner

A magical picture book with few words. Ideal for imaginative storytelling.

The Giraffe, Pelly and Me - Roald Dahl

A crazy story about a ladderless window cleaning company run by a giraffe, a pelly and a monkey by the nation's favourite storyteller.

The Enchanted Wood - Enid Blyton

Set in a magical land. A great chapter book for imagination and story writing ideas.

A Bear Called Paddington – Michael Bond

A classic book. Good clear prose style. Each chapter forms a standalone story – perfect for newly confident readers. Individual stories are used in our school curriculum.



Mr Bunny's Chocolate Factory – Elys Dolan

The winner of the 2018 Laugh Out Loud Award. Mr Bunny, a chocolate capitalist, starts putting profits before poultry. Looks at the world of work and the need for fairness. Very funny with detail in the illustrations to pore over.

Everywhere Bear - Julia Donaldson

The Story begins in a Year 1 classroom before taking us on an exciting journey. Good for imagination.

I Am Henry Finch - Alexis Deacon

An award – winning picture book about courage and making a difference. An inspirational book – also very funny.

Once Upon a Wild Wood - Chris Riddell

A story packed full of familiar fairy tale characters as you've never seen them before. Full of warmth and humour.

Sheep Pig - Dick King Smith

Short chapters make this an ideal book for early confident readers. A humorous, animal tale. The basis for the film 'Babe'