

# THE ESSENTIAL GUIDE TO BOOKS

## YEAR 1



This is a list of great books that we think everyone should read before moving into Year 2. They will spark the imagination, tickle your funny bone and entertain. But don't take our word for it – read them yourself and write a review.

If you have already read any of these books you can start to review them right away. Earn certificates as you go:

10 books – The Page-Turner Reading Certificate

20 books – The Well-Read Reader Certificate

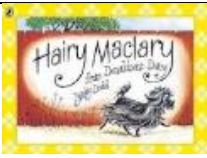
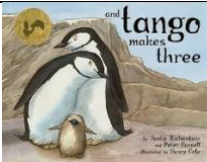
30 books – The Ace Reading Certificate

40 books – The Diamond Award for Fantastic Reading

TITLE	COVER	AUTHOR	REVIEW	TICK WHEN READ
Peace at Last		Jill Murphy		
Mr Wolf's Pancakes		Jan Fearnley		
The Wonder		Faye Hanson		
Suddenly		Colin McNaughton		
Aliens Love Underpants		Claire Freedman and Ben Cort		
Pants		Giles Andreae		
Zog		Julia Donaldson		
Tabby McTat		Julia Donaldson		

Once Upon an Alphabet		Oliver Jeffers		
The Jolly Postman		Janet and Allan Ahlberg		
Not Now Bernard		David McKee		
Avacado Baby		John Burningham		
Whatever Next		Jill Murphy		
The Selfish Crocodile		Nick Sharratt		
Ploo and Terrible Gnobbler		Lydia Monks		
All Join In		Quentin Blake		
Cops and Robbers		Janet and Allan Ahlberg		
Burglar Bill		Janet and Allan Ahlberg		
The Emperor of Absurdia		Chris Riddell		

You Choose in Space		Pippa Goodhart		
Little Red Riding Hood		Traditional		
Jack and the Beanstalk		Traditional		
The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark		Jill Tomlinson		
Where's My Teddy?		Jez Alborough		
Charlie and Lola		Lauren Child		
Don't Forget the Bacon		Pat Hutchins		
The Hodgeheg		Dick King-Smith		
Katie Morag's Island Stories		Mairi Hedderwick		
Beauty and the Beast		Traditional		
There Are Cats In This Book		Viviane Schwartz		
Farmer Duck		Martin Waddell		

Hairy Maclary From Donaldson's Dairy		Traditional		
A Bear Called Paddington		Michael Bond		
The True Story of the Three Little Pigs		Jon Scieszka		
What If?		A H Benjamin		
The Name Jar		Yangsook Choi		
Gregory Cool		Caroline Binch		
The Django		Levi Pinfold		
Azzi In Between		Sarah Garland		
Anansi and the Tug O' War		Bobby and Sherry Norfolk		
And Tango Makes Three		Justin Richardson		
What the Jackdaw Saw		Julia Donaldson		

Dragon Loves Penguin		Debi Gliori		
Pink is for Boys		Eda Kaban		
This Zoo is Not For You		Ross Collins		
The New Neighbours		Sarah McIntyre		
The Same But Different Too		Karl Newson		
Beegu		Alexis Deacon		
Amazing		Steve Anthony		
When Charley Met Emma		Amy Webb		
Milo Imagines the World		Matt de la Pena		
Grandad's Camper		Harry Woodgate		
All Are Welcome		Alexandra Penfold		

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