

recommended reading books

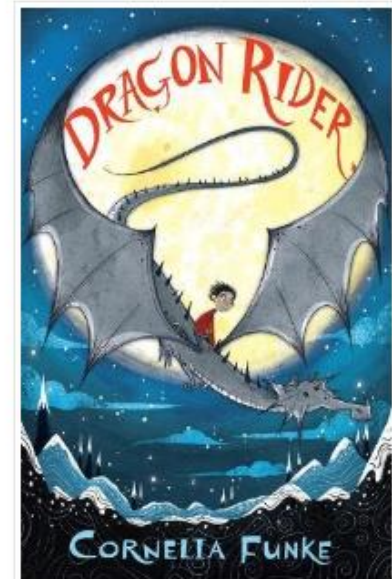
Dial a Ghost by Eva Ibbotson

When new owners force the Wilkinsons to leave the home they're haunting, they travel to London and apply to Dial-a-Ghost for a new home. The agency finds the perfect home for the Wilkinsons in a ruin, and tells them they can move in on Friday 13th.



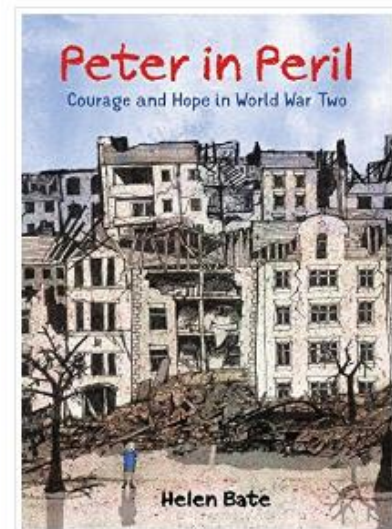
Dragon Rider by Cornelia Funke

A silver dragon named Firedrake, the Brownie Sorrel, and Ben, a boy, search for the mythical mountain range called the Rim of Heaven to escape persecution from humans.



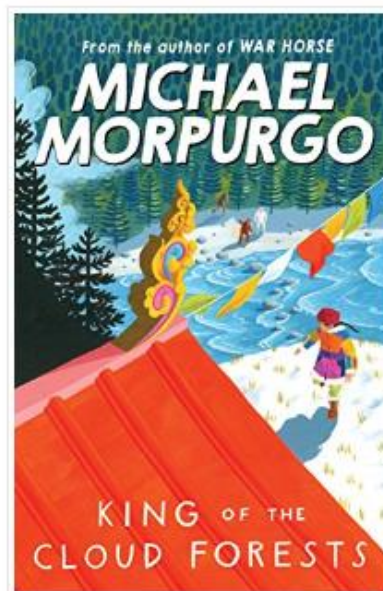
Peter in Peril by Helen Bate

Peter's life is turned upside down when his family have to go into hiding to escape persecution in WW2 Hungary. This easy to read graphic novel is ideal for reluctant readers.



King of the Forest Clouds by Michael Morpurgo

When Japan invades China, Ashley and his Uncle are forced to flee across the Himalayas. When Ashley is captured by a group of strange creatures they revere him as their king. Why? A great addition to a classroom library of books for year 5.



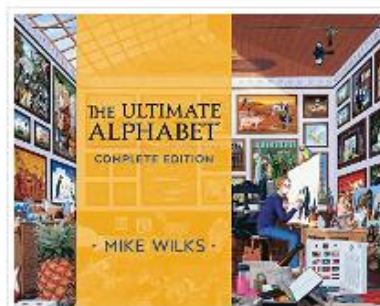
The Ghost of Thomas Kempe by Penelope Lively

James Harrison and his family move into a cottage in Ledsham and from day one they are bothered by a ghost called Thomas Kempe.



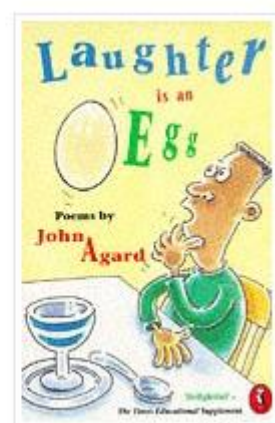
The Ultimate Alphabet by Mike Wilks

A stunning and quirky book featuring amazing paintings each depicting a letter of the alphabet. Within each picture are hundreds of objects beginning with that letter. The challenge is to find them all! An answer key is included. Great for long train journeys.

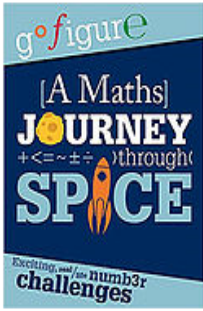


Laughter is an Egg by John Agard

A very funny series of poems, riddles, jokes and ballads.



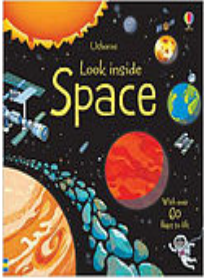
Linked to our science topic in Spring2:



A Maths Journey Through Space

Anne Rooney

Part of the Maths in the Real World series, this book shows how maths is applied to real life space missions. The book includes charts, infographics, diagrams and other ways to visualise the figures involved, as well as quizzes and mathematical challenges.



Look Inside: Space

Rob Lloyd Jones and Benedetta Giaufret

This information text is full of exciting facts about the universe and stunning illustrations. Topics include galaxies, space stations, astronauts and comets.

