



## Year 1 Suggested Reading List

Our aim is to develop children's love of reading. This list provides a range of genres and difficulties to encourage children to read by themselves and with an adult. Towards the end of the list are suggested books relating to topics studied in year 1.

### **Fiction Books**

[Not Now Bernard](#) by David McKee  
[Grandad's Secret Giant](#) by David Litchfield  
[The Tiger Who Came To Tea](#) by Judith Kerr  
[Man On The Moon](#) by Simon Bartram  
[Where The Wild Things Are](#) by Maurice Sendak  
[Ruby's Worry](#) by Tom Percival  
[Mr Wolf's Pancakes](#) by Jan Fearnley  
[That Rabbit Belongs To Emily Brown](#) by Cressida Cowell  
[Funnybones](#) by Allan & Janet Ahlberg  
[Clever Polly & The Stupid Wolf](#) by Catherine Storr  
[Stick Man](#) by Julia Donaldson  
[Meerkat Mail](#) by Emily Gravett  
[Daisy Eat Your Peas](#) by Kes Gray  
[Anna Hibiscus](#) by Atinuke  
[Winnie and Wilbur: Winnie The Witch](#) by Valerie Thomas  
[Zeraffa Giraffa](#) by Dianna Hofmeyr  
[Fox in the Dark](#) by Alison Green  
[The Adventures Of The Wishing Chair](#) by Enid Blyton  
[The Rainbow Fish](#) by Marcus Pfister  
[Baby Brains](#) by Simon James  
[The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch](#) by Ronda Armitage  
[Nimesh the Adventurer](#) by Ranjit Singh  
[Pumpkin Soup](#) by Helen Cooper  
[Paddington](#) by Michael Bond  
[Dogger](#) by Shirley Hughes  
[Sophie's Snail](#) by Dick King-Smith  
[Toys In Space](#) by Mini Grey  
[The Giant Jam Sandwich](#) by John Vernon  
[The Storm Whale](#) by Benji Davies  
[Would You Rather](#) by John Burningham



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Gorilla by Anthony Browne

The Night Pirates by Peter Harris

Amazing Grace by Mary Hoffman

Tree by Patricia Hegarty

Lost & Found by Oliver Jeffers

Peace at Last by Jill Murphy

### **Poetry**

Chocolate Cake by Michael Rosen

The Puffin Book Of Fantastic First Poems By June Crebbin & Various Poets

When We Were Young by AA Milne

### **Non-Fiction**

A First Book Of Nature by Nicola Davies

Professor Astro Cat's Human Body by Dominic Walliman

We Build Our Homes by Laura Knowles

Once Upon A Raindrop: The Story Of Water by James Carter

Great Women Who Worked Wonders by Kate Pankhurst

A Cat's Guide To The Night Sky by Stuart Atkinson

One Day So Many Ways by Laura Hall

The Big Book Of Bugs by Yuval Zommer

Actual Size by Steve Jenkins

### **History**

First History Encyclopaedia by DK

First Encyclopaedia of History (Usborne) by Fiona Chandler & David Hancock

### **Year 1 & 2 Science: Growing Plants (including non-fiction and fiction)**

Jim & The Beanstalk by Raymond Briggs

Ten Seeds by Ruth Brown

Eddie's Garden & How to Make Things Grow by Sarah Garland

Tree: Seasons Come, Seasons Go by Patricia Heggarty & Britta Tekentrup

A Little Guide to Wild Flowers by Charlotte Voake

Plants (Amazing Science) by Sally Hewitt



## Year 1 Suggested Reading List

### Year 1 & 2 Geography & Science: Weather & Seasons (including non-fiction and fiction)

[Froggy Day](#) by Heather Pindar

[Lila & The Secret of Rain](#) by David Conway

[The Rhythm of Rain](#) by Grahame Baker-Smith

[Secrets of Winter](#) by Carron Brown

[Lift the Flap Questions & Answers About Weather](#) by Katie Daynes

[A Year In Nature: A Carousel Book Of The Seasons](#) by Hazel Maskell

[Why Do Leaves Fall From Trees?](#) by Ruth Owen

[Project Weather](#) by Philip Steele