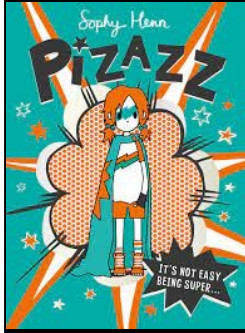


You're a Bad Man Mr Gum

Andy Stanton

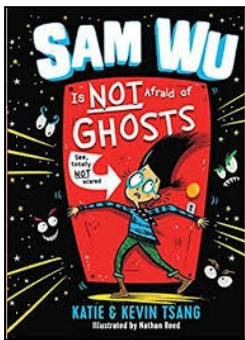
Mr Gum is a truly nasty old man. He's absolutely grimsters. But this book's not just about him. There's also a little girl called Polly, an absolute winner called Friday O'Leary, an evil butcher, heroes and sweets and stuff, and a furry wobbler of a dog called Jake who must be saved from terrible evil.



Pizazz

Sophy Henn

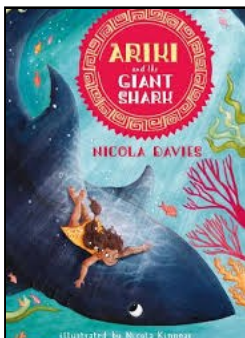
Pizazz is a reluctant superhero who hates her embarrassing powers and just wants to be normal. Despite her family legacy, she finds saving the world annoying, especially with a glittery cape and school responsibilities, leading to comical, high-energy, relatable struggles.



Sam Wu is Not afraid of Ghosts

Katie and Kevin Tsang

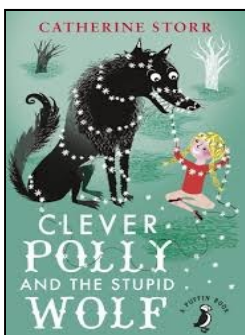
Sam Wu is scared of many things but is determined not to let anyone find out. However, after an unfortunate incident in a space simulator on a school trip, he becomes a target for class bully Ralph. He decides the best way to stop Ralph's teasing is to develop a reputation as the bravest person in school, so Sam acquires a fearsome sidekick: a snake called Fang.



Ariki and the Giant Shark

Nicola Davies

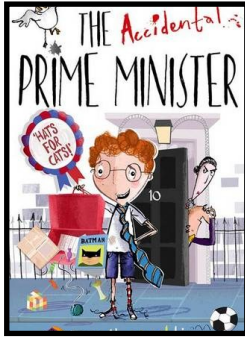
When a local fishing boat is threatened by a huge shark, the island's queen is convinced the creature means the islanders harm and wants to destroy the island. However, Ariki discovers the truth about the rare shark – it needs their help. While Ariki races to prevent the queen waging a war against nature, she discovers she has unique powers which may just save the day.



Clever Polly and the Stupid Wolf

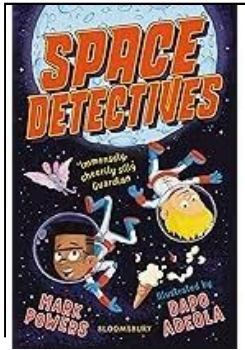
Catherine Storr

One day the front door bell rang and Polly went to open the door. And there was a great black wolf who said he had come to eat her up. But Clever Polly isn't frightened. She always thinks of something to foil the stupid wolf.



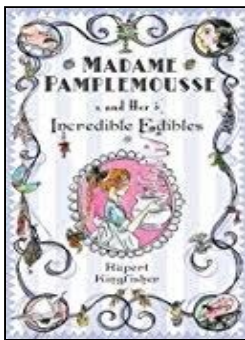
The Accidental Prime Minister Tom McLaughlin

When Joe tells a local news reporter exactly what he would do if he were leader of the country, the video goes viral and Joe's speech becomes famous all over the world! Before long, people are calling for the current leader to resign and give someone else a go . . . and that's how an ordinary boy like Joe ended up with the most extraordinary job. Now the fun can really start . .



Space Detectives Mark Powers and Dapo Adeola

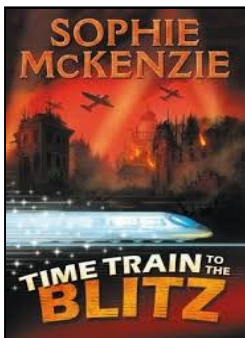
Best mates Connor and Ethan think their dreams have come true when they get to spend their summer holidays on Starville, a gigantic space station. They're selling ice cream for Ethan's uncle Nick but what the two really want to be is detectives. Well, before you can say purple tufted grotsnobbler, the boys are chasing villains and even more exciting, working to save Starville when someone sets it on a course to smash into the moon.



Madame Pamplemousse and her Incredible Edibles

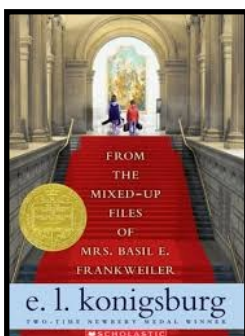
Rupert Kingfisher

Madeleine washes dishes in her uncle's posh restaurant. She occasionally gets a chance to cook too - which she shows a real skill for. Her foul uncle feels threatened by her talent, so he treats her horribly. One day she stumbles across Madame Pamplemousse's hidden, dark, but thrilling shop, which is packed with wonderful food.



Time Train to the Blitz Sophie McKenzie

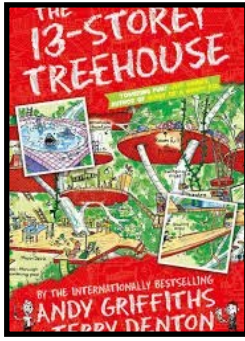
It all starts when a *mysterious* train appears in the park. Before they know what's happening, Joe and Scarlett are whisked away on a journey back in time. Magically transported to the Second World War. They're given a mission: to save a young boy's life.



From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs Basil E. Franweiler

E.L.Konigsberg

Claudia and Jamie Kincaid run away to live in New York City's Metropolitan Museum of Art. In one eventful week, they confirm that the museum's newly acquired angel statue is by Michelangelo and meet a surrogate grandmother.



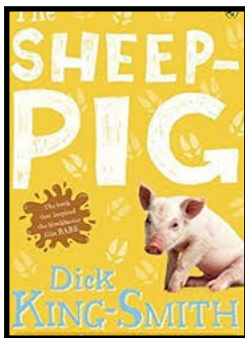
13 Storey Tree House Andy Griffiths and Terry Denton

Andy and Terry live in the WORLD'S BEST treehouse! It's got a giant catapult, a secret underground laboratory, a tank of man-eating sharks and a marshmallow machine that follows you around and shoots marshmallows into your mouth whenever you're hungry!



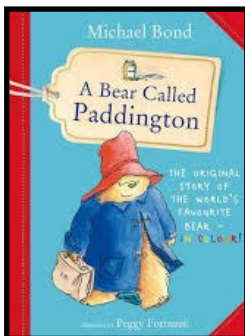
The Nothing To See Here Hotel Steven Butler

When a goblin messenger arrives at The Nothing to See Here Hotel, announcing the imminent arrival of the goblin prince Grogbah, Frankie and his family rush into action to get ready for their important guest. But it soon becomes obvious that the Banister family are going to have their work cut out with the demanding prince and his never-ending entourage, especially when it turns out the rude little prince is hiding a secret...



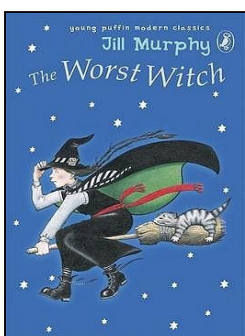
The Sheep Pig Dick King-Smith

Babe is a little pig who doesn't quite know his place in the world. With a bunch of odd friends, like Ferdinand the duck who thinks he is a rooster and Fly the dog he calls mom, Babe realizes that he has the makings to become the greatest *sheep pig* of all time, and Farmer Hoggett knows it.



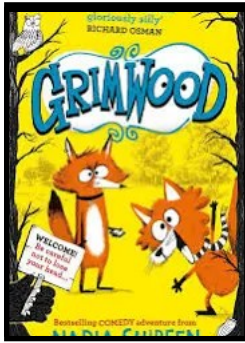
A Bear called Paddington Michael Bond

Paddington Bear had travelled all the way from Darkest Peru when the Brown family first met him on Paddington Station. Since then their lives have never been quite the same ... for ordinary things become quite extraordinary when *a bear called Paddington* is involved.



The Worst Witch Jill Murphy

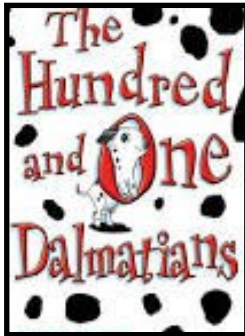
Mildred Hubble is a trainee witch at Miss Cackle's Academy, and she's making an awful mess of it. She's always getting her spells wrong and she can't even ride a broomstick without crashing it. Will she ever make a real witch?



Grimwood

Nadia Shireen

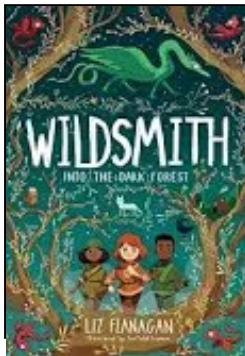
Fox siblings Nancy and Ted are forced to flee the big city for the countryside after Ted accidentally bites off pussycat boss Princess Buttons' tail. Grimwood, where they find themselves, is a kind of paradise it seems, full of friendly if eccentric animal residents. But soon Princess Buttons arrives, bent on revenge and Nancy and Ted must help their new friends.



101 Dalmatians

Dodie Smith

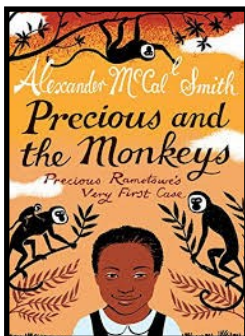
Pongo and Perdita have a litter of 15 puppies. Cruella De Vil takes a fancy to the pups, and wants to get hold of them, as well as more pups, to make herself a lovely Dalmatian skin coat... Cruella hires some thugs to kidnap the pups and hold them at her mansion. Will Pongo and Perdita find them in time ?



Wildsmith

Liz Flanagan

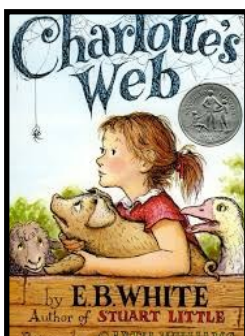
When war threatens her beloved city, Rowan and her mother must flee to the Dark Forest, meeting Grandpa and his white wolf Arto for the first time. Though she misses her father, Rowan makes new friends - including a trio of powerful witches. When she rescues a baby dragon from poachers, she discovers the secret of her own identity. Could Rowan really be a wildsmith?



Precious and the Monkeys

Alexander McCall Smith

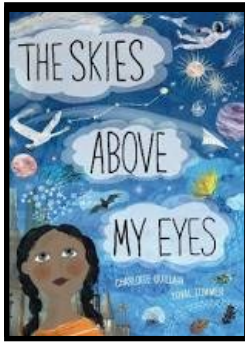
This is the tale of a young schoolgirl in Botswana (Africa). She goes by the name of Precious, and uses her detective instincts to solve a mystery at her school and catch the thief, who is stealing delicious treats from her friends, which they have brought to eat after lunch.



Charlotte's Web

E.B. White

This is the story of a little girl named Fern who loved a little pig named Wilbur and of Wilbur's dear friend, Charlotte, a beautiful large grey spider. With the unlikely help of Templeton the rat, and a wonderfully clever plan of her own, Charlotte saves the life of Wilbur, who by this time has grown up to be quite a pig.



The Skies Above Me

Charlotte Gullain

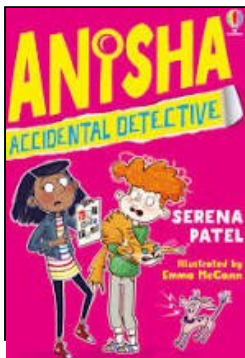
Take a journey up into the air, through the atmosphere, way out into space, and back down to Earth in this richly illustrated concertina book. Readers will zoom past the technology that fills our skies, from helicopters, fighter jets, weather balloons, and satellites, hang-gliders and hot-air balloons.



Joan Procter, Dragon Doctor

Patricia Valdez

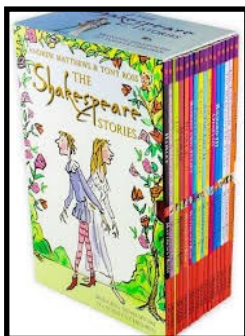
For fans of 'Ada Twist: Scientist' comes a fascinating picture book biography of a pioneering female scientist--who loved reptiles! Back in the days of long skirts and afternoon teas, young Joan Procter entertained the most unusual party guests: slithery and scaly ones, who turned over teacups and crawled past the crumpets....



Anisha: Accidental Detective

Serena Patel

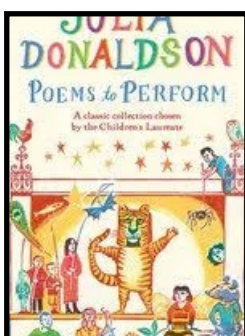
Bindi's groom has been kidnapped and will only be released if the wedding is called off! With best friend Milo, a mischievous granny, a runaway lobster, a giant chauffeur, and some super sleuthing skills, it's up to Anisha Mistry to find her uncle and save THE big Indian Wedding of the year.



The Shakespeare Stories

Tony Ross

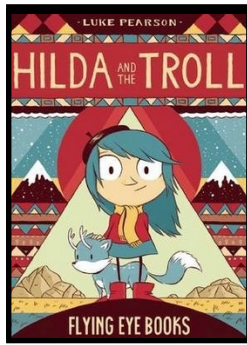
Discover the world of Shakespeare with these brilliant retellings of sixteen of Bard's best-loved plays. This brilliant collection features more Shakespeare Stories than ever before, from the tragedy of 'Macbeth' and the epic 'The Tempest', through to the humour of 'Much Ado About Nothing'.



Poems to Perform (Anthology)

edited by Julia Donaldson

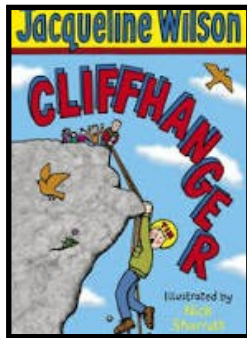
This is a curated collection of classic and contemporary poems designed for children to read aloud, act out, and enjoy, often in multiple voices. The book emphasizes rhythm, performance tips, and boosting confidence in literacy through engaging, theatrical poetry.



Hilda and the Troll (graphic novel)

Luke Pearson

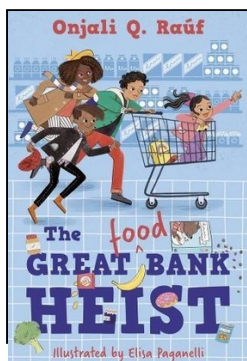
Blue-haired explorer Hilda has an uncanny ability to find weird and wonderful adventures and befriend peculiar creatures. In this, the first of her adventures, she spends a night under canvas, embarks on a day's drawing, encounters a rock troll, and then finds herself lost in a snowstorm. Luckily, a friend is on hand to help her find her way back to her mountain home.



Cliffhanger

Jacqueline Wilson

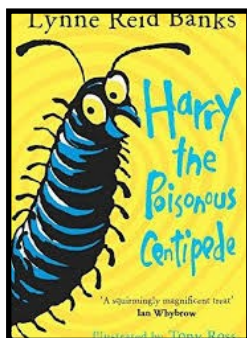
From climbing and abseiling to canoeing and a Crazy Bucket Race, Tim's adventure holiday promises to be full of action. There's just one problem: he is hopeless at sports of any kind. Can Tim survive the horrors of a week absolutely packed with activity? Can his team - the Tigers - be the overall champions? There are some surprises in store for everyone!



The Great Food Bank Heist

Onjali Q. Rauf

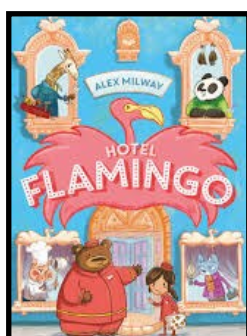
On Thursdays Nelson, Ashley and Mum head out to the Bank. But not just any old bank – the food bank. But there's a thief in town, and the shelves of the food bank are getting emptier each day, leaving people hungrier than ever. For the sake of his family and everyone else's, Nelson needs to make them stop. But can he and his friends really be the ones to catch the bank robber? (**Dyslexia Friendly Text**)



Harry the Poisonous Centipede

Lynne Reid Banks

This is the adventure of Harry the poisonous centipede, who befriends George, another centipede, learns how to swim and discovers the dangers of going up the 'down pipe' and faces the greatest danger of all: hoo-mins



Hotel Flamingo

Alex Milway

When young Anna inherits a dilapidated hotel from her Great Aunt Mathilde, she's determined to restore it to its former glory. But this is no ordinary hotel - all of her staff and guests are animals! Anna soon rises to the challenge. Whether it's a flamingo, a penguin or a hippo knocking at the door, Anna is ready to welcome them all. Can Anna make Hotel Flamingo a success once more?