

## Year 6 Book List

Many parents asked for a recommended reading list during parents' evening. These are books which we know that Y6 children have previously enjoyed and we feel they offer high quality and thought-provoking reading material. Some may describe in a child friendly way more sensitive topics (like the Holocaust in Morris Gleitzman's **Once**). These are highlighted by bold type. Therefore, please check the content to make sure that you are personally happy for your child to read the book.

Cogheart	Peter Bunzl
The Girl of Ink and Stars	Kiran Millwood Hargrave
Eren	Simon P Clark
The Railway Children	E Nesbit
The Island at the End of Everything	Kiran Millwood Hargrave
Kensuke's Kingdom	Michael Morpurgo
Lion Boy	Zizou Corder
The Machine Gunners	Robert Westall
<b>Once</b>	<b>Morris Gleitzman</b>
The Silver Sword	Ian Serrailler
The Spiderwick Chronicles (several books)	Tony DiTerlizzi and Holly Black
Wed Wabbit	Lissa Evans
<b>The Goldfish Boy</b>	<b>Lisa Thompson</b>
The House with Chicken Legs	Sophie Anderson
<b>The Bubble Boy</b>	<b>Stewart Foster</b>
Brightstorm	Vashti Hardy
The Infinite Lives of Maisie Day	Christopher Edge
Skellig	David Almond
The Weathermonger	Peter Dickinson
The Borrowers	Mary Norton
The Fastest Boy in the World	Elizabeth Laird
<b>Holes</b>	<b>Louis Sachar</b>
Tom's Midnight Garden	Phillipa Pearce
Five Children and It	E Nesbit
The Kingdom by the Sea	Robert Westall
Letters from the Lighthouse	Emma Carroll
The 'My Story' books linked to historical fiction i.e. Victoria The Great Titanic	Anna Kirwan Ellen Emerson White
The Secret Lake	Karen Inglis
Shadow Jumper	J M Forster
The Alex Rider books	Anthony Horowitz
Moondial	Helen Cresswell
<b>Back Home</b>	<b>Michelle Magorian</b>
The Indian in the Cupboard	Lynne Read Banks
Five Children on the Western Front	Kate Saunders

The Phantom Tollbooth	Norton Juster
Girl on a Bicycle	Shirley Hughes
Wonder	RJ Palacio
<b>I Capture the Castle</b>	<b>Dodie Smith</b>
Children of Winter	Berlie Doherty
The Explorer	Katherine Rundell
Treasure Island	R.L. Stevenson
The Hobbit	J.R.R Tolkein
The Wolves of Willoughby Chase	Joan Aitken
The Shakespeare Stories	Andrew Matthews and Tony Ross
Romeo and Juliet	William Shakespeare
A Midsummer Night's Dream	William Shakespeare