
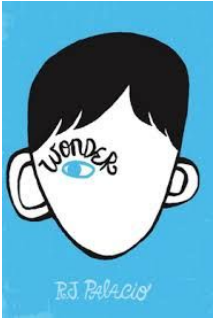
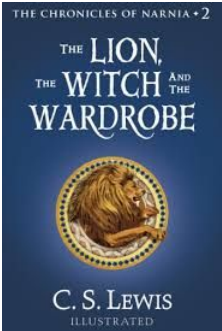
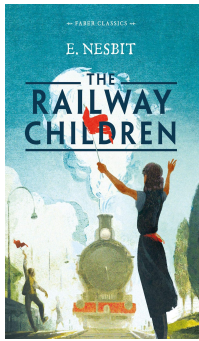




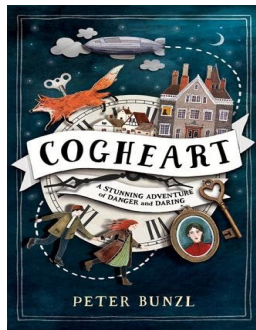
**Year 5 Recommended Reading List**

	<p>Rauf, Onjali – The Boy at the Back of the Class</p> <p>A group of children befriend a young refugee boy in their class. Together they learn more about his country and circumstances and hatch a plan to help him, with spectacular results. Winner of the Blue Peter Book Award 2018.</p>
	<p>RJ Palacio- Wonder</p> <p>August or Auggie is a young ten-year-old boy who has been born with an incredible facial abnormality. The book is written in lucid and clear language and is easy to understand. The book, wonder, can be enjoyed by children and parents alike and talks about a young 10-year-old's tryst with destiny. With a facial abnormality August wants only to be accepted and liked by his peers and how he goes about it.</p>
	<p>C.S Lewis-The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe</p> <p>Four children from the same family have to leave their town because of the bombings of WWII. A woman and a professor take the children to their house. While playing a game of hide-and-seek, the youngest member of the family, Lucy, finds a wardrobe to hide in. She travels back and back into the wardrobe and finds a place named Narnia. After going in twice, the four children go in together for the last time. They battle wolves, meet talking animals, encounter an evil white witch and meet a magnificent lion named Aslan. Will this be the end of their journey to Narnia or will they stay</p>



E. Nesbit-The Railway Children

Now nearly 100 years old, this story centers on the lives of three children whose comfortable, middle-class existence ends when their father has to go away unexpectedly. Roberta, Peter and Phyllis leave their London home and move with their mother to a small cottage in the country where life is very different. With their mother now busy writing to earn money, the railway becomes a source of fascination and solace to the children.



Peter Bunzl- Cogheart

When 13-year-old Lily's inventor father vanishes after a Zeppelin crash, Lily's determined to hunt down the truth behind his disappearance, helped by Robert, the local clockmaker's son, and her wily mechanical fox Malkin. But shadowy figures are closing in and treachery lurks among the smoky spires of London - along with a life-changing secret. Be swept away by airships and flabbergasted by dastardly plots in this extraordinary and wildly imaginative debut, bursting with invention and adventure.



Fisher, Catherine – The Clockwork Crow

Fabulously spooky, 'gothic' style fantasy. Orphaned girl is sent to a house harbouring a dark mystery. Emboldened and imaginative, and with the help of an enchanted clockwork crow, she unlocks the secret and transforms her own fortunes.



	<p>Jeffers, Oliver – An Alphabet of Stories</p> <p>A delightfully random collection of stories and characters, written and illustrated with wit and humour, encompassing sheer flights of fancy and a playful exploration of language.</p>
	<p>Thompson, Lisa – Owen and the Soldier</p> <p>Owen and his mother are struggling to come to terms with the death of Owen's father, a soldier who died fighting in Syria. Owen discovers an old stone statue in a local park that becomes a point of solace for him. When he hears that the council plan to remove the statue, he is moved to take action to save it. An absorbing and topical hi-lo read.</p>
	<p>Blackman, Malorie - Pig heart Boy</p> <p>Cameron is thirteen and in need of a heart transplant when a pioneering doctor approaches his family with a startling proposal. He can give Cameron a new heart - but from a pig. Cameron is fed up with just sitting on the side of life, always watching and never doing. He has to try - to become the world's first pig-heart boy.</p>
	<p>Dowd , Siobhan- The London Eye Mystery</p> <p>When Salim mysteriously disappears from a sealed pod on the London Eye, everyone is frantic. Even the police are baffled. Ted, whose brain runs on its own unique operating system, and his older sister, Kat, overcome their prickly relationship to become sleuthing partners. They follow a trail of clues across London in a desperate bid to find their cousin, while time ticks dangerously by</p>