



# Brilliant Book List Y3

Essential reading for every Y3 classroom!



## Suggested Books

**Enzo's Egg**  
Twinkl Originals

**The Diary of a Killer Cat**  
by Anne Fine

**Laughter is an Egg**  
by John Agard

**Africa. Amazing Africa**  
by Atinuke

**Anna Hibiscus**  
by Atinuke

**Girl Wonder Series**  
by Malorie Blackman

**Magic Betsey**  
by Malorie Blackman

**Last Stop on Market Street Matt de la Pena**

**Hair Love**  
by Matthew A. Cherry

**The Last Last-Day-of-Summer**  
by Lamar Giles

**Superheroes are Everywhere**  
by Kamala Harris

**Little Leaders Series**  
by Vashti Harrison

**Amazing Muslims Who Changed the World**  
by Burhana Islam

**The Seed of Compassion**  
by Dalai Lama

**Rise Up: Ordinary Kids with Extraordinary Stories**  
by Amanda Li

**Planet Omnar Series**  
by Zanib Mian

**The Proudest Blue**  
by Ibtihaj Muhammad

**Sulwe**  
by Lupita Nyong'o

**Nina and the Magical Carnival**  
Madhvi Ramani

**Empire's End: A Roman Story**  
Leila Rasheed

**The Penguin Who Wanted To Find Out**  
by Jill Tomlinson

**The Rainbow Bear**  
by Michael Murpurgo

**Shackleton's Journey**  
by Grill William

**Sky Song**  
by Abi Elphinstone

## Continued

**The Worries: Sohal Finds a Friend**  
by Jion Sheibani

**Billy series**  
by Nadia Shireen

**How to be Extraordinary** by  
Rashmi Sirdeshpande **Spike**  
**and Ali Enson**  
by Malaika Rose Stanley

**The Humiliations of Welton Blake**  
by Alex Wheatle

**Young, Gifted and Black**  
by Jamia Wilson

**Malala's Magic Pencil** by  
Malala Yousafzai **Gorilla**  
by Anthony Browne

**The Tunnel**  
by Anthony Browne

**Krindlekrax**  
by Philip Ridley

**The Turbulent Term of Tyke Tiler**  
by Gene Kemp

**You Wait Till I'm Older Than You**  
by Michael Rosen

**The Lion and the Unicorn**  
by Shirley Hughes

**The Hundred-Mile-An-Hour Dog**  
by Jeremy Strong

**Fantastic Mr Fox**  
by Roald Dahl

**The Great Kapok Tree**  
by Lynne Cherry

**The Fib and Other Stories**  
by George Layton

**The Tale of Peter Rabbit**  
by Beatrix Potter

**The Iron Man**  
by Ted Hughes

**Alice's Adventures in Wonderland**  
by Lewis Carroll

**The Worst Witch**  
by Jill Murphy

**The Great Explorer**  
by Chris Judge

**If Polar Bears Disappeared**  
by Lily Williams



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**The Twits**  
by Roald Dahl

**Fly, Eagle, Fly!**  
by Christopher Gregorowski

**Bill's New Frock**  
by Anne Fine

**Stig of the Dump**  
by Clive King

**Winston of Churchill: One Bear's Battle Against Global Warming**

**Zeus on the Loose**  
by John Dougherty

**How to Train Your Dragon**  
by Cressida Cowell

**The Firework-Maker's Daughter**  
by Philip Pullman

**Ug: Boy Genius of the Stone Age**  
by Raymond Briggs

**Stone Age Boy**  
by Satoshi Kitamura

**The Accidental Prime Minister**  
by Tom McLaughlin

**Voices in the Park**  
Anthony Browne **Kid**

**Normal**  
by Greg James

**Flat Stanley**  
by Jeff Brown

**The Own Who Was Afraid of the Dark**  
by Jill Tomlinson

**The Boy Who Grew Dragons**  
by Andy Shepherd

**It's a Book**  
by Lane Smith

**The Penguin Who Wanted to Find Out**  
by Jill Tomlinson

**The Great Paper Caper**  
by Oliver Jeffers

**The Wonderful Journey**  
by Paul Geraghty

**One Plastic Bag**  
by Miranda Paul

**The Hodgeheg**  
by Dick King-Smith

**One Day On Our Blue Planet . . . In The Antarctic**  
by Ella Bailey

**Arctic & Antarctic**  
by Barbara Taylor

## Suggested Books

**Empire's End: A Roman Story**  
by Leila Rasheed

**Escape from Pompeii**  
by Christina Balit

**The Thieves of Ostia**  
by Caroline Lawrence

**Meet the Ancient Romans**  
by James Davies

**So You Think You've Got it Bad? A Kid's Life in Ancient Rome**  
by Chae Strathie

**Romans on the Rampage**  
by Jeremy Strong

**The Romans: Gods, Emperors and Dormice** by Marcia Williams

**Queen of Darkness: Boudica's army will rise...**  
by Tony Bradman

**Escape from Rome** by Caroline Lawrence

**Dark Arena**  
by Tom Palmer

**A Roman Adventure**  
by Frances Durkin

**Roman Invasion: A British Boy, AD 84**  
by Jim Eldridge

**Roman Diary: The Journal of Iliona of Mytilini: Captured and Sold as a Slave in Rome - AD 107**  
by Richard Platt

**The Fatal Fire**  
by Terry Deary

**Julius Zebra: Rumble with the Romans!**  
by Gary Northfield

**Diary of Dorkius Maximus**  
by Tim Collins

**Warrior Hereos: The Gladiator's Victory**  
by Benjamin Hulme-Cross

**Meg and the Romans**  
by David Walser

**How to Drive a Roman Chariot**  
by Caryl Hart

**The Last Polar Bears**  
by Harry Horse

**Pugs of the Frozen North**  
by Philip Reeve

**Race to the Frozen North: The Matthew Henson Story**  
by Catherine Johnson

**The Snowflake Mistake**  
by Lou Treleven



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