

Recommended Reads By Daven Primary School



Have you read Greta's Story by Valentina Camerini?

Every young person will have heard of Greta Thunberg, the schoolgirl whose strikes for the climate have developed into a world-wide movement and put young peoples' voices at the heart of the efforts to protect our planet.

This book tells Greta's story, explaining how a wary, quiet girl from Sweden has found the courage and determination to stand up for what she knows is crucial to the future of every one of us. It's an inspiring story, and unique to Greta, but it also demonstrates how together we can all make a difference, and work towards the future we want.



Why do I like reading? By Mr Glynn

The first book I can remember reading on my own was 'The Magic Finger' by Roald Dahl. I think I was about 6. When I was in year 4, I finished Charlie and Chocolate Factory in one night as I couldn't put it down. It was the fantasy and the characters that drew me in. Since then, I've always loved books that take you from one world to another-The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe, The Ocean At The End Of The Lane and my favourite book of all time, Where The Wild Things Are.

I try to read most nights. It helps me to unwind and relax. These days, I read a lot of books about music and musicians and often have a couple of books 'on the go'! However, there's nothing like getting lost and distracted in a good story.

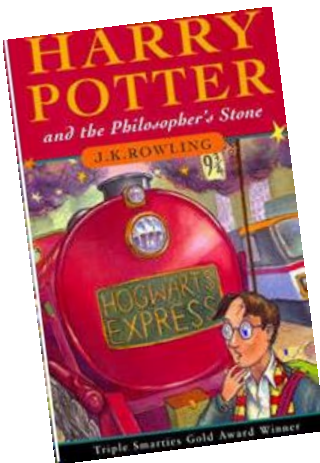
Book reviews

Book review by Levi in Year 3



The Iron Man by Ted Hughes

I like this book because of the robot. He puts all of his body parts back together and he even falls off a cliff. This broke his body into pieces. A young man sees him and traps the Iron Man but he breaks free.



Book review by Skylar in Year 4



Harry Potter and The Philosopher's Stone
J.K. Rowling

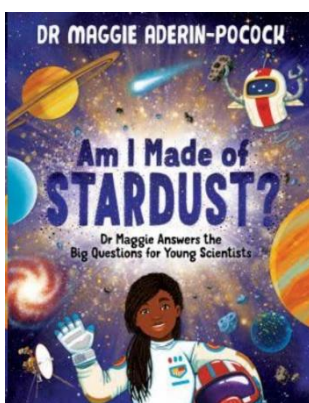
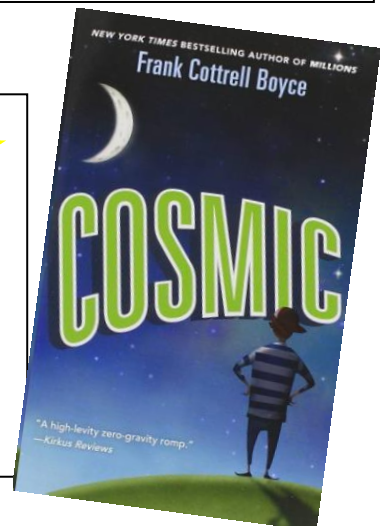
I like this story because of the different language that is used especially when Draco Malfoy says, 'You filthy muggleblood.' I also like that Harry Potter's life changes because at first, he lives in a cupboard under the stairs but then goes to Hogwarts and his life is much better.

Book review by Oliver in Year 5



Cosmic by Frank Cottrell Boyce

This book is definitely 5 stars. I like the storyline – it is about a boy who wishes to go to the moon. He also knows a lot about space and I think it is really interesting. Even though this book is a story, you still get to learn lots of facts about space. People should read this because I think this is good for children who like to learn about space and love learning. I am STEM ambassador in school so this is an area I enjoy! I also love to read at home.



Book review by Corbyn in Year 6



Am I Made of Stardust?
By Dr Maggie Aderin-Pocock

This book has tonnes of cool pictures and lots of information about all of the planets. On the pictures it also shows a comparison of sizes between the sun and different planets. The fact about The Big Bang was particularly interesting.

Book quiz – KS2

Name.....

Class

Answer the questions about the different books

You will get a sticker and 5 Achievement Points for completing it. All entries will be put in a draw and the lucky winner will win an Easter treat!

1. Ron Weasley is a character of which fantasy novel?

2. Which books, by Michael Morpurgo, are set in WWII?

3. Which book by Jeff Brown is about a boy who got flattened by a pinboard?

4. In Roald Dahl's Fantastic Mr Fox, what are the names of the three farmers?

5. How many books form The Series of Unfortunate Events by Lemony Snicket?

6. Complete the title of Philip Pullman's book: The Firework _____'?

7. Name three books written by E. L. Norry

8. Who wrote Who Let The Gods Out?

Hand your quiz in by Friday 22nd March