

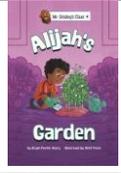
## Bridging library booklist

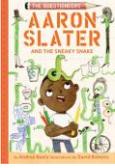
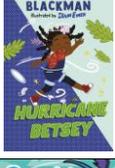
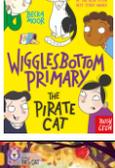
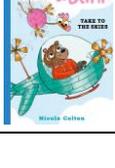
Inspire young readers with our collection of short chapter books, selected to help schools build an inclusive, motivating and engaging library for emerging independent readers.

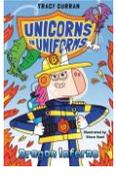
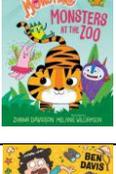
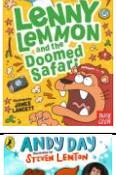
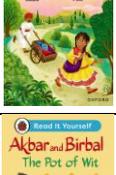
Including a broad range of reading levels, from purple to brown book bands, the collection offers a well-balanced mix of themes, genres and writing styles. This ensures pupils encounter texts that reflect their identities, challenge them appropriately and support steady progression in reading.

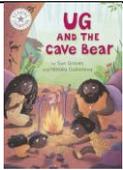
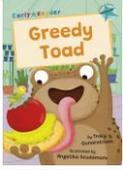
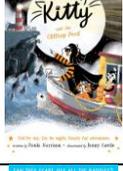
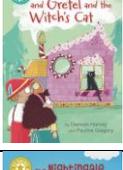
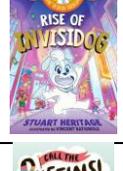
Each title has been chosen to help pupils move confidently from teacher directed reading to independent, self-selected reading - an essential step in developing reading stamina and fostering long term engagement with books.

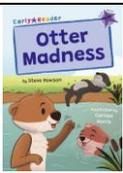
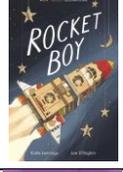
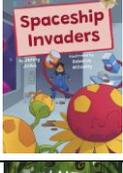
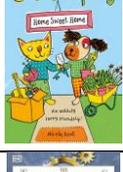
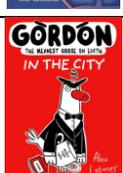
- The books on this list can be purchased from the School Library Service
- Individual titles can be purchased at a saving of 25% off RRP
- Please contact us at [schoollibraryservice@devon.gov.uk](mailto:schoollibraryservice@devon.gov.uk) or 01392 287244

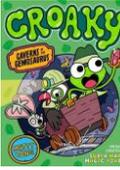
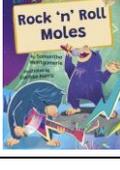
	ISBN	Author/Title	Synopsis/Reading Level	RRP
	9780008616762	Fuecoco the Berry Thief	Adventure story that will be enjoyed by fans of Pokemon.  Purple	£5.99
	9781444977967	Ahmed, Sufiya Trouble at the Farm	Short story based on the much loved Famous Five by Enid Blyton. Themes of friendship.  Lime	£7.99
	9781382041331	Ahmed, Sufiya Zakir the Storyteller	When Zakir's cousin Aisha comes to stay, he tries to cheer her up. His usual storytelling doesn't work this time, and Aisha becomes more and more homesick.  White	£8.70
	9781805132615	Applebaum, Kirsty The Singing Sisters	Bright, colourful illustrations and sweet characters create an engaging fairy tale story.  Gold	£6.99
	9781398252790	Avery, Bryan Patrick Alijah's Garden	Alijah and the rest of his class work together as a team to clear a derelict field at the back of the school to make into a garden.  Purple	£5.99
	9781398258839	Avery, Bryan Patrick Milo's Great Safari Adventure	Simple story of imaginative play.  Gold	£5.99

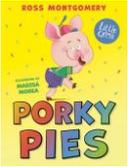
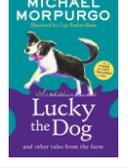
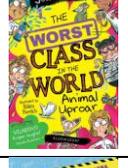
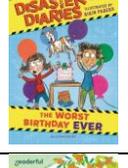
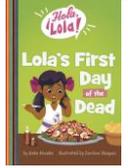
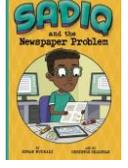
	9781398538238	Baker, Nicola Finding Hope	Lovely story of life on a farm for 10-year-old city girl Ava. Explores loneliness and pre-conceived ideas of others.  Brown	£7.99
	9781419753992	Beaty, Andrea Aaron Slater and the Sneaky Snake	Light, enjoyable story with positive messages about teamwork/activism with STEM elements for good measure.  Brown	£5.99
	9780008715489	Bird, Pip Sports Day	Theo and his dragon, Wanda, take part in their school sports day event in this fun, enjoyable read.  Brown	£6.99
	9781788950824	Bishop, Sylvia A Sea of Stories	A little girl thinks of a way to reconnect her grandfather to the sea that he loves when she goes to stay with him for the summer. Heart-warming, cosy tale.  White	£6.99
	9780241704714	Blackman, Malorie Hurricane Betsey	New illustrations for this classic collection of stories about Betsey, a naughty but likeable heroine. Clear messages about behaviour.  Lime	£7.99
	9781444972368	Bradley, Mark Bumble and Snug and the Worried Dragons	Bright, expressive artwork in this sweet and funny younger graphic novel.	£7.99
	9781835110782	Brandon, Amanda The Great Griffin Rescue	Engaging story with a sense of urgency. A young girl must rescue a griffin when he is stolen by a wizard.  White	£6.99
	9781835110799	Brandon, Amanda Treasure Tower	Nice adventure with appealing cover. Two friends decide to enter a TV game show.  White	£6.99
	9781805131434	Butchart, Pamela The Pirate Cat	Popular author with plenty of humour and appeal. Three stories of mayhem and chaos where pupils' imaginations run riot.  Lime	£6.99
	9780008647797	Campbell, Jen Audrey Fry is a Spy!	There's something different about Audrey Fry ... Is it her notebook? Is it her binoculars? Is it her disguises? Audrey Fry is a spy!  Gold	£6.75
	9781788956444	Colton, Nicola Take to the Skies	Join Bertha and Blink on an adventure full of friendship, with a sprinkling of science and a nod to nature.  White	£6.99

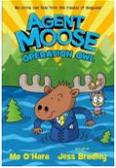
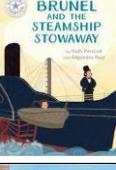
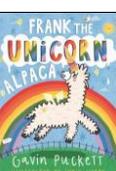
	9781916747425	Curran, Tracy Dragon Inferno	Peril, suspense and plot combine with unicorn firefighters, witches and dragons. Great illustrations and notes about fire engines add to the appeal. Brown	£7.99
	9781835110744	Dale, Elizabeth Racing Robots	Robbie must face a new rival in the robot-building competition.  Purple	£6.99
	9781835110355	Dale, Katie Mummy Mayhem	Omar is on holiday in Egypt with his dads! Along the way he makes friends with an unusual character.  White	£6.99
	9781803702551	Davidson, Susanna Izzy the Inventor and the Teeny Tiny Ogres	Izzy is perfecting her tickle machine for her invention competition when she discovers teeny tiny ogres are on the loose in her local park. Fun short chapter book. Lime	£5.99
	9781803705583	Davidson, Zanna Monsters at the Zoo	Popular series with lively illustrations. Billy and Ash go on a school trip to the zoo to learn all about endangered animals.  Purple	£5.99
	9781805132899	Davis, Ben Lenny Lemmon and the Doomed Safari	Well written with fun characters and comical illustrations.  Brown	£7.99
	9780241643075	Day, Andy Ice Age	Celebrity author and dinosaur facts at the back add to the appeal. Silly, amusing tale bound to be popular.  White	£7.99
	9781382041201	Dhami, Narinder The Hatmaker's Daughter	Simple retelling of a traditional Indian folktale. Can Sara save the day when a group of monkeys make mischief?  Gold	£8.70
	9780241673966	Dhami, Narinder The Pot of Wit	Traditional Indian folktale.  Gold	£5.99
	9781445193786	Dolan, Penny The Monkey's Heart	Traditional Indian tale with bright illustrations.  Turquoise	£6.99
	9781382053884	Falase-Koya, Alex Marv and the Duck of Doom	Each Marv story in this series stands alone well. Here superhero Marvin is up against super villain Professor Feathers.  Brown	£6.99

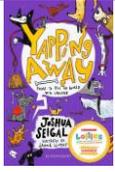
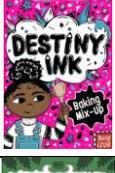
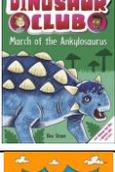
	9781444947588	Gough, Julian This Lake is Fake!	Funny, expressively illustrated story in the Rabbit and Bear series. Great message, series well worth having.  Brown	£7.99
	9781445189154	Graves, Sue Ug and the Cave Bear	Ug's family needs the fire for their cave. It keeps them warm and safe from wild animals. One day, Ug is so busy painting and lets the fire go out.  White	£6.99
	9781835110553	Gunaratnam, Tracy Greedy Toad	Greedy Toad can't wait to eat Lucky Cricket, but his greed gets him into some trouble...  Turquoise	£6.99
	9781408370056	Harcourt, Isabella Flora Stormer and the Magic Feather	Flora Stormer has a brush with death when she finds an ancient Egyptian amulet. Fun plot with lots of information about Ancient Egypt.  Brown	£7.99
	9780192787651	Harrison, Paula Kitty and the Clifftop Peril	Kitty and her family are on holiday at the seaside. Great series where each story stands alone well. Good for developing reading stamina.  Lime	£6.99
	9780008583019	Harrison, Paula Two and a Half Wishes	Feisty heroines and alternative fairytale premise.  Lime	£6.99
	9781445193755	Harvey, Damian Anansi and the Mango Tree	In this African traditional tale, Anansi wants some of Tiger's mangoes, but Tiger doesn't want to share. Bold illustrations and clear layout.  Turquoise	£6.99
	9781445189512	Harvey, Damian Hansel and Gretel and the Witch's Cat	A retelling of the favourite fairy tale in which the witch's cat helps Hansel and Gretel escape when a witch captures them in the woods.  Turquoise	£6.99
	9781445191171	Harvey, Damian The Nightingale and the Emperor	In this twist on the original fairy tale The Nightingale, the little bird tells her side of the story, from when she is trapped in the palace to finally flying free.  Gold	£6.99
	9780241572269	Heritage, Stuart Rise of Invisidog	A dog with the power of invisibility makes an effort to put together his own squad of superheroes to fight crime.  Lime	£8.99
	9781801301206	Howe, Cath Muffin and the Shipwreck	A group of young puffins train to join a search and rescue team. Short chapter book with likeable characters.  Lime	£6.99

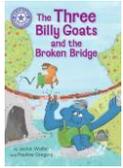
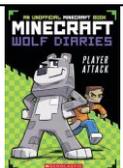
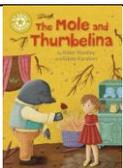
	9781848869592	Howson, Steve Otter Madness	Olly together with his family and friends restore and give back Herb's home.  Purple	£6.99
	9781529523966	Jarvis The Stick and Other Stories	Bear and Bird find they both want to collect the same stick but are absolutely determined not to let it get in the way of their friendship. White	£6.99
	9781788952033	Jennings, Katie Rocket Boy	When he starts playing with a big cardboard box, a little boy's imagination takes him on an adventure to Mars.  Lime	£6.99
	9781835110287	Jinks, Jenny Panda-modium!	The pandas decide to explore the city, leaving their home and everything they know. What will they come across?  Turquoise	£6.99
	9781835110775	Jinks, Jenny Spaceship Invaders	A young girl takes some seeds from an alien planet but soon gets more than she bargained for.  Gold	£6.99
	9781915252531	Keilty, Derek Ivy Newt and the Swamp Dragons	Gran's enchanted bubble bath conjures troublesome duplicates of Ivy and Tom by mistake. Light humour and lovely illustrations. Lime	£7.99
	9780192788450	Kent, Nicola Home Sweet Home	Two friends with very different personalities and interests. Bright, busy format and gentle, cheery story.	£6.99
	9780241607343	King, S J Voyage with the Vikings	The Timekeepers travel back to the time of the Vikings and become involved in a battle between rival clans. Fast paced with facts about Vikings.  Brown	£6.99
	9781382041027	Knapman, Timothy The Enormous Turnip	Mario and Jake are two brothers who have grown apart. When an enormous turnip grows on Jake's empty farm, he is delighted! However, Mario is not too happy about this turn of events. Turquoise	£8.10
	9781398258341	Korte, Steve Bat-Mite in the Batcave	When Batman and Robin head out to stop a jewellery shop thief in Gotham City, they leave their faithful canine companion, Ace, behind. Purple	£7.99
	9780192788672	Latimer, Alex Gordon in the City	Gordon is invited to a fancy award ceremony in the big city. Laugh out loud funny with delightful illustrations.  White	£6.99

	9780008770006	Lewis, Gill The Winter Snow Goose	When a snow goose crash-lands during a storm Tia and Nat jump to the rescue. Lovely read that highlights animal conservation and island life. Brown	£7.99
	9780241631218	Lihou, Rose The Best Birthday Party	A heartwarming tale that explores nervousness around having a birthday party. Brown	£7.99
	9780192785237	Long, Matty Caverns of the Gernsaurus	Crazy, action-packed short chapter book with wacky illustrations. Lots of fun. Lime	£6.99
	9781382041218	MacDonald, Alan The Dragon's Day Out	The Dragon family stay far away from people as they scream and run away from them! Will a surprise visitor change their lives? Gold	£8.70
	9781788956208	MacDonald, Alan Trouble at Sea	Huxley and Flapjack enjoy a trip to the seaside. Adventure and mild peril with good interplay between the characters. Plenty to chat about. White	£6.99
	9781398259744	Manushkin, Fran Splish Splash at the Water Park	Katie Woo and JoJo decide to spend a rainy day at an indoor water park, but Katie is scared of going on the slides. Turquoise	£5.99
	9781445187112	Marshall, Amelia The Snow Queen	Simple version of the story. Gold	£6.99
	9781445184265	Marshall, Amelia The Water Hole	Simple animal fable with predictable characterisation of certain animals and their traits. Gold	£6.99
	9781800786592	McLaren, Meg Buried Bones and Troublesome Treasure	Cute characters and two-colour format suit the mystery plot and adds an old-fashioned feel. Lime	£6.99
	9781915235602	Merleh, Esi Monster Mayhem	A pair of evil skeletons steal a witch's wand. Fun story with colourful illustrations. Lime	£6.99
	9781835110768	Montgomerie, Samantha Rock 'n' Roll Moles	Digby the mole dreams of being a rock star. Message of following your interests. Gold	£6.99

	9781800902510	Montgomery, Ross Porky Pies	The pig who cried wolf finally gets his comeuppance. Pleasing ending.  Lime	£6.99
	9781835110324	Moore, Jenny Cookie Chaos	Mattie is getting everything ready for Grandma's birthday, but when her baking comes to life, how will she save the day?  Gold	£6.99
	9780008451561	Morpurgo, Michael Lucky the Dog and Other Tales from the Farm	Short stories from this established author touch on loneliness, bereavement, starting again and animal rescue. Pitched well for intended age. Brown	£7.99
	9780241635773	Morrisroe, Rachel The Fantastic Intergalactic Hamster	Jack and Hercules have to contend with the sudden arrival of a spaceship full of alien hamsters. Good fun with cheeky hamster protagonist. Brown	£7.99
	9780192784070	Muncaster, Harriet Emerald and the New Arrival	Mermaid Princess Emerald anxiously prepares to become a big sister. Very relatable worries with realistically upbeat resolution. Brown	£6.99
	9781526658562	Nadin, Joanna Animal Uproar	Best friends Stanley and Manjit didn't mean to let the class insects run wild in the playground! Brilliant humour.	£6.99
	9781526675583	Nadin, Joanna The Worst Birthday Ever	Daffodil is determined to have the best birthday party ever, but things don't go as planned. Amusing diary format story. Brown	£6.99
	9781382041089	Nayar, Nandini The House of Bindia's Dreams	Bindia dreams of a brightly coloured home. She's not sure how to make it happen... until she meets her neighbour who gives her some seeds and lots of encouragement! Purple	£8.10
	9781398254664	Novales, Keka Lola's First Day of the Dead	Lola attempts to avoid a Day of the Dead disaster in another adventure celebrating her Guatemalan heritage.  Lime	£5.99
	9781398257238	Nuurali, Siman Sadiq and the Newspaper Problem	Sadiq joins the school newspaper but quickly gets into a disagreement with the editor about what content should feature. A story about problems and finding solutions. White	£6.99
	9780702338793	O'Connell, David The Cabbage Juice Crime	Dash is a little firefly. One of his wings is shorter than the other so he flies more slowly than everyone else, but that doesn't stop him getting where he wants to go. Brown	£6.99

	9780702322808	O'Hara, Mo Operation Owl	Fun escapade with dastardly nemeses and just the right amount of silliness.  Gold	£6.99
	9781805133216	O'Hart, Sinead Lola and Larch Mend a Magic Mess	Lola and Larch uncover a threat to the forest where the fairy clan lives.  Brown	£7.99
	9781805312437	Patel, Serena Puppy Problem	Pia helps a friend train his playful puppy to try and prove to her mum that she is responsible enough to have her own pet.  Brown	£7.99
	9781445189017	Percival, Ruth Brunel and the Steamship Stowaway	The engineer Brunel builds a great steamship. As it sets sail, Brunel discovers a young boy called George has sneaked on board. White	£6.99
	9781445189178	Percival, Ruth Ulf and the Spear of Power	Ulf really wants to go and fight with Sigurd Spearhead and the other Vikings, but he must first prove that he is brave...  White	£6.99
	9781835110546	Poels, Kate The Bee's Sneeze	Ned is a bee who likes to just bumble about, so when the Great Flying Bee competition comes to town, Ned is happy to just watch. But things may not go as planned... Turquoise	£6.99
	9781835110317	Poels, Kate Zapman's Super Mistake	Zapman is a superhero with a sweet-tooth. What will happen when he makes a super sugary mistake?  Purple	£6.99
	9781529524031	Powell, Claire First Class Mischief	A young mouse starts his first day of work delivering post but quickly gets caught up in local neighbourhood disputes. Entertaining caper with imaginative touches. Brown	£6.99
	9780571369621	Puckett, Gavin Frank the Unicorn Alpaca	An alpaca with low self-esteem finds confidence when a mislaid ice-cream cone turns him into a unicorn. Nice message about self-confidence. Purple	£7.99
	9781788453530	Reeve, Philip Mousehole to the Centre of the Earth	The Adventuremice journey to the centre of the earth. Great adventure series complimented by Sarah McIntyre's lively illustrations.	£6.99
	9781398257696	Reid, C L Dentist Day	Emma is worried about her dentist appointment. A series with familiar scenarios that children will recognise.  Turquoise	£5.99

	9781849395281	Rosen, Michael Choosing Crumble	A dog interviews the family who want to take him home as their pet. Great author and illustrator partnership. Lovely story.  Lime	£6.99
	9781472972743	Seigal, Joshua Yapping Away	A pleasing and varied collection of poems, ranging from amusing to poignant.  Brown	£7.99
	9781802636901	Smallman, Steve Maggie Sparks and the Swimming Pool Sharks	Step into the magical world of Maggie Sparks: the mischievous little witch who turns every day into an adventure.  Lime	£6.99
	9781788453103	Smart, Jamie Hunt for the Pirate's Gold	Max and Chaffy go on a new adventure with their grumpy friend, Foghorn.	£6.99
	9781035019748	Smith, Alex T Attack of the Snailiens!	A rip-roaring fast-paced illustrated adventure through space.  Lime	£7.99
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