



Year 1 Recommended reading list

General Reading		
Author	Title	Comment
Ahlberg, Allan	The Jolly Postman	
Blake, Quentin	Mister Magnolia	
Blake, Quintin	Mrs Armitage on Wheels	
Child, Lauren	Charlie and Lola Series	
Donaldson, Julia	The Julia Donaldson Series	
Hedderwick, Mairi	The Katie Morag Series	
Potter, Beatrix	The Tale of Peter Rabbit	
Thomas, Paul and Valerie	Winnie the Witch by Korky	
Tolstoy, Aleksei	The Gigantic Turnip	
Waddell, Martin	Owl Babies	
Picture Books		
Andreae, Giles	Giraffes Can't Dance	
Cronin, Doreen	Click, Clack, Moo	
Donaldson, Julia and Cobb, Rebecca	Paper Dolls	
Klassen, Jon	This is Not My Hat	
Morpurgo, Michael	Where My Wellies Take Me	
Strong, Jeremy	The Hundred-Mile-An-Hour Dog	
Stories with repeated Patterns		
Adams, Pam	There Was An Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly	
Ahlberg, Allan	Funnybones	
Brown, Eileen	Handa's Surprise	
Brown, Eileen	Handa's Hen	
Daynes, Katie	The Enormous Turnip	
Dodd, Lynley	Hairy Maclary	
Donaldson, Julia	Room on the Broom	
Grindley, Sally	Shhh!	
Mckee, David	Not Now Bernard	
Murphy, Jill	Peace at Last	
Rosen, Michael	We're Going on a Bear Hunt	
Suess, Dr	The Cat in the Hat	
Suess, Dr	Dr Suess Collection	
Vipoint, Elfrida, Briggs and Raymond	The Elephant and the Bad Bay	
Stories About Overcoming Difficulties		

Bright, Rachel	The Lion Inside	
Burningham, John	The Avocado Baby	
Deacon, Alexis	I am Henry Finch	
Hoffman, Mary	Amazing Grace	
Jeffers, Oliver	How to Catch a Star	
McKee, David	Elmer	
Merino, Gemma	The Crocodile Who Didn't Like Water	
Sif, Birgitta	Oliver	
Traditional Tales		
Grey, Minnie	The Princess and the Pea	
Scieszka, Jon	The True Story of the Three Little Pigs	
Usborne	Book of Fairy Tales	
Usborne	Illustrated Grimm's Fairy Tales	
Usborne	Illustrated Hans Christian Andersen's Fairy Tales	
Wildsmith, Brian	The Hare and the Tortoise	
Poetry Books		
Corbett, Pie	A First Poetry Book	
Donaldson, Julia	Poems to Perform	
Duffy, Carol Ann	101 Poems for Children	
Foster, John	Twinkle Twinkle Chocolate Bar	
Rosen, Michael, (selected by)	Poems for the Very Young	
Usborne	Nursery Rhymes	
Books About Adventure		
Baker-Smith, Graham	Leon and the Place Between	
Briggs, Raymond	The Snowman	
Deacon, Alexis	Beegu	
Riddell, Chris	The Emperor of Absurdia	
Sendak, Maurice	Where the Wild Things Are	
Stories with a Dilemma		
Ahlberg, Janet and Allan	Cops and Robbers	
Hughes, Shirely	Dogger	
Jeffers, Oliver	Lost and Found	
Jeffers, Oliver	Stuck	
Jeffers, Oliver	The Way Back Home	
Willems, Mo	Knuffle Bunny	
Butterworth, Nick	The Whisperer	
Stories About Animals		
Inkpen, Mick	Billy's Beetle	
Kerr, Judith	The Tiger Who Came to Tea	
Lobel, Arnold	Frog and Toad are Friends	
Long, Jonathan	The Cat That Scratched	
Pfister, Marcus	Rainbow Fish	
Tomlinson, Jill	The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark	
Waddell, Martin	Can't You Sleep Little Bear?	