



The following texts below have been identified by members of our staff and reading experts in being suitable for children in Year 1.

We would encourage our children and parents to be supporting the reading of these texts. The chosen books include modern fiction and some ‘classic’ stories that we believe all children should experience. Some of them link to the topics in class that your children will be learning. Some of these texts will be available from within our school library or for your children to read in class. Parents can get hold of some of these books online, from bookshops or charity shops, to read at home with your children.

Fiction	
Title	Author
Stickman	Julia Donaldson
We're Going on a Bear Hunt	Michael Rosen
Aliens Love Underpants	Claire Freedman
Lullabyhullabaloo!	Mick Inkpen
The Tiger Who Came to Tea	Judith Kerr
A Bear Called Paddington	Michael Bond
The Bad-Tempered Ladybird	Eric Carle
Once Upon a Time	John Prater
Something Else	Kathryn Cave
Monkey and Me	Emily Gravett
Guess How Much I Love You	Sam McBratney
A Chair for Baby Bear	Kaye Umansky
Tiger	Nick Butterworth
Someone Bigger	Jonathan Emmett
The Whisperer	Nick Butterworth
We're Off to Look for Aliens	Colin McNaughton
Oliver's Fruit Salad	Vivian French

Non-Fiction	
Title	Author
A Planet Full of Plastic	Neal Layton
Lift the Flap – Questions and Answers About Our World	Katie Daynes
Look Inside Our World	Emily Bone
See Inside: How Things Work	Conrad Mason
See Inside: Your Body	Katie Daynes
Wonderful Earth	Nick Butterworth

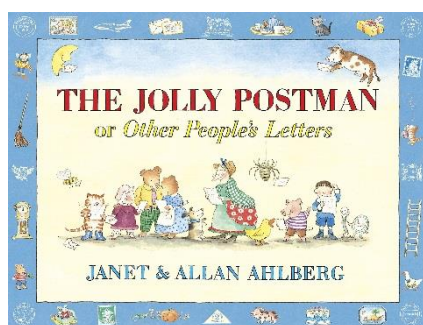
Poetry	
Catch a Little Rhyme	Eve Merriam
Now We Are Six	A A Milne
Revolting Rhymes	Roald Dahl
The Cat in The Hat	Dr Seuss

Classics	
The Enormous Crocodile	Roald Dahl
Dogger	Shirley Hughes

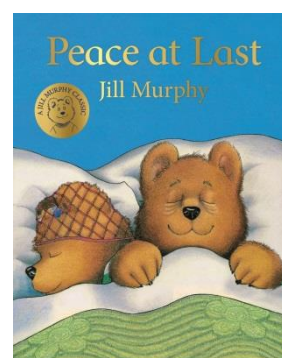
English/Whole Class Reading text	
Owl Babies	Martin Waddell
How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth	Michelle Robinson
Bog Baby	Jeanne Willis
Barry the Fish with Fingers	Sue Hendra
The Owl Who Lost It's Two	Suzie Allkins
Town Mouse and Country Mouse	Aesop
I Wish I'd Been Born a Unicorn	Rachel Lyon
Rooster Wore Skinny Jeans	Jesse Miller
The Smartest Giant in Town	Julia Donaldson & Axel Scheffler
The Light in the Night	Marie Voigt
The Underwater Camel	Johnathan Allen
Grandad's Secret Garden	David Litchfield

Books linked to topics	
Hug	Jez Alborough
Titch	Pat Hutchins
The Tiny Seed	Eric Carle
Fabulous Frankie	Simon James Green & Garry Parsons
Arlo the Lion Who Couldn't Sleep	Catherine Rayner
You're Called What?	Kes Gray & Nikki Dyson
Slime? It's Not Mine	Clare Helen Welsh & Nicola O'Byrne

My Very First Bible Stories	DK
Little Bear's Spring	Elli Woollard & Briony May Smith
The Big Book of Beasts	Yuval Zommer
My Encyclopaedia of Very Important Animals	DK
One Day on Our Blue Planet...	Ella Bailey
Oliver's Vegetables	Vivian French & Alison Bartlett
Why Do Leaves Fall From Trees?	Ruth Owen
The Extraordinary Gardener	Sam Broughton
The Wall and The Wild	Christina Dendy & Katie Rewse
Tree: Seasons Come, Seasons Go	Patricia Hegarty & Britta Teckentrup
I Am the Seed That Grew the Tree	Fiona Waters & Frann Preston-Gannon
Eco Girl	Ken Wilson-Max
If Winter Comes, Tell It I'm Not Here	Simona Ciruolo
The Bumblebear	Nadia Shireen
Maps of the United Kingdom	Rachel Dizon & Ms. Livi Gosling
The Big Book of the UK	Imogen Russell Williams & Louise Lockhart
A Street Through Time	DK & Steve Noon
Katie in London	James Mayhew
The Hundred Decker Bus	Mike Smith
Red Lorry, Yellow Lorry	Michelle Roinson & Jez Tuya
The Lost Property Office	Emily Rand
The Leaf Thief	Alice Hemming & Nicola Slater



Mrs Tutton recommends:
The Jolly Postman
By Janet & Allan Ahlberg



Mrs Humphrey recommends:
Peace at Last
By Jill Murphy