

Hastings 100 Reads

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Tips for choosing a book

There is a book out there for everyone! Here's how to find one you'll enjoy:

- **Think about what type of book** you're in the mood for.
Scary? Funny? Serious?
- **Judge a book by its cover!** Do you like the cover?
Have you read and enjoyed other books that look similar?
- **Do you know anyone else who's read it?** Did they like it?
- **Give it a try!** Open it up and look at the first page –
do you want to read on?

The books are split into age categories, but these are just a guide. You can read any book whenever you're ready. Ask a librarian or adult for help if you can't decide!

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Most of Hastings 100 Reads can be borrowed from your local library.
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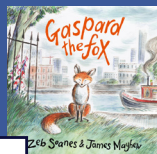
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Picture books / First stories

Age 0-5



Dirty Bertie
David Roberts



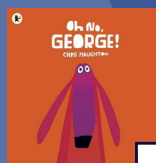
Gaspard the Fox
Zeb Soanes



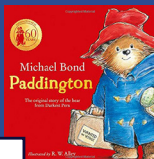
Hairy Maclary Scattercat
Lynley Dodd



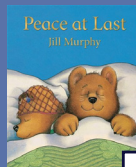
I Love You, Blue Kangaroo!
Emma Chichester Clark



Oh No, George!
Chris Haughton



Paddington
Michael Bond



Peace at Last
Jill Murphy



The Book With No Pictures



The Book With No Pictures
B.J. Novak



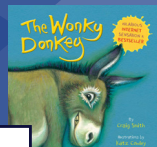
Superworm
Julia Donaldson



The Gruffalo
Julia Donaldson



The Very Hungry Caterpillar
Eric Carle



The Wonky Donkey
Craig Smith



**Zoe's Rescue Zoo:
The Picky Puffin**
Amelia Cobb



Early readers

Age 6- 8



**Bear Grylls
Adventures (series)**
Bear Grylls



Beast Quest (series)
Adam Blade



Captain Underpants (series)
Dav Pilkey

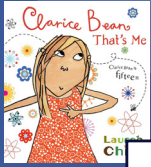


**Charlie and the
Chocolate Factory**
Roald Dahl



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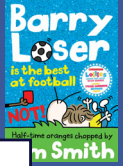
Clarice Bean, That's Me
Lauren Child



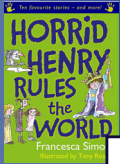
**Frankie vs The
Pirate Pillagers**
Frank Lampard



My Secret Unicorn (series)
Linda Chapman



Barry Loser (series)
Jim Smith



Horrid Henry (series)
Francesca Simon &
Tony Ross



**How the Grinch
Stole Christmas!**
Dr. Seuss



The Christmasaurus
Tom Fletcher



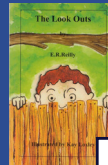
The Creakers
Tom Fletcher



Isadora Moon (series)
Harriet Muncaster



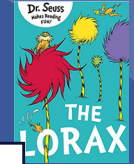
**James and the
Giant Peach**
Roald Dahl



The Look Outs
E. R. Reilly



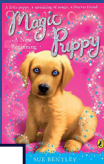
The Lorax
Dr. Seuss



Magic Molly (series)
Holly Webb



Magic Puppy (series)
Sue Bentley



**The Magic Faraway
Tree (series)**
Enid Blyton



**The Spy Who Loved
School Dinners**
Pamela Butchart



Matilda
Roald Dahl



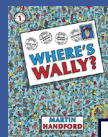
The Twits
Roald Dahl



The Wrong Pong
Steven Butler



My Naughty Little Sister
Dorothy Edwards



Where's Wally?
Martin Handford



Confident readers

Age 9-12

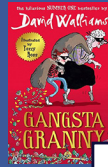
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A Place Called Perfect
Helena Duggan



A Series of Unfortunate Events (series)
Lemony Snicket



Gangsta Granny
David Walliams



Goldfish Boy
Lisa Thompson



Alex Rider (series)
Anthony Horowitz



Bad Dad
David Walliams



Goosebumps
R. L. Stine



Harry Potter (series)
J K Rowling



Best Friends
Jacqueline Wilson



Birthday Boy
David Baddiel



Hetty Feather
Jacqueline Wilson



Holes
Louis Sachar



Clockwork
Philip Pullman



Cosmic
Frank Cottrell Boyce



Horrible Histories
Terry Deary



How to Train Your Dragon
Cressida Cowell



Demon Dentist
David Walliams



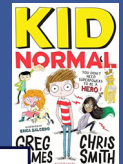
Diary of a Wimpy Kid (series)
Jeff Kinney



Kensuke's Kingdom
Michael Morpurgo



Kid Normal
Greg James & Chris Smith



Dork Diaries (series)
Rachel Renee Russell



Lily Alone
Jacqueline Wilson



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Minecraft: The Island
Max Brooks



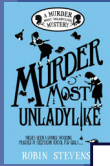
Mr Stink
David Walliams



The Iron Man
Ted Hughes



The London Eye Mystery
Siobhan Dowd



Murder Most Unladylike (series)
Robin Stevens



The Midnight Gang
David Walliams



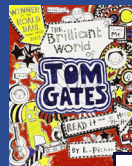
The Parent Agency
David Baddiel



Rooftoppers
Katherine Rundell



Percy Jackson & the Olympians (series)
Rick Riordan



Tom Gates (series)
Liz Pichon



Varjak Paw
SF Said



Stitch Head
Guy Bass



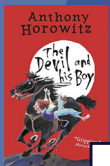
Stig of the Dump
Clive King



War Horse
Michael Morpurgo



Wave Me Goodbye
Jacqueline Wilson



The Devil and His Boy
Anthony Horowitz



Street Child
Berlie Doherty



Who Let the Gods Out?
Maz Evans



Wonder
R J Palacio



The Ice Monster
David Walliams



The Famous Five (series)
Enid Blyton



Good Night Stories for Rebel Girls
Elena Favilli & Francesca Cavallo



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Young adult Age 13+

Some books contain mature themes:
speak to an adult or librarian for advice
on choosing the right book for you.



Be More Chill
Ned Vizzini



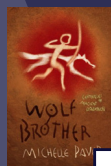
Boy 87
Ele Fountain



Simon vs. the Homo Sapiens Agenda
Becky Albertalli



Skulduggery Pleasant (series)
Derek Landy



Chronicles of Ancient Darkness (series)
Michelle Paver



The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas
John Boyne



Dear Evan Hansen
Val Emmich with Steven Levenson, Benj Pasek & Justin Paul



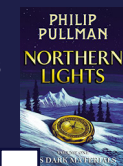
The Hunger Games
Suzanne Collins



Harry Potter and the Cursed Child
J. K. Rowling, John Tiffany & Jack Thorne



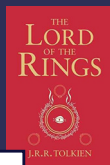
The Kane Chronicles (series)
Rick Riordan



His Dark Materials (series)
Philip Pullman



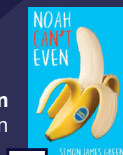
The Lord of the Rings
J. R. R. Tolkien



Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children
Ransom Riggs



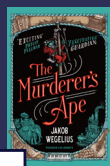
The Maddie Diaries
Maddie Zeigler



Noah Can't Even
Simon James Green



The Murderer's Ape
Jakob Wegelius



Ready Player One
Ernest Cline



There's a Boy in the Girls' Bathroom
Louis Sachar

