

# Our Favourite Books

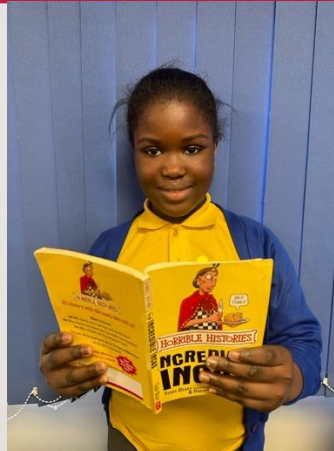
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# Year 6 at Bishop King

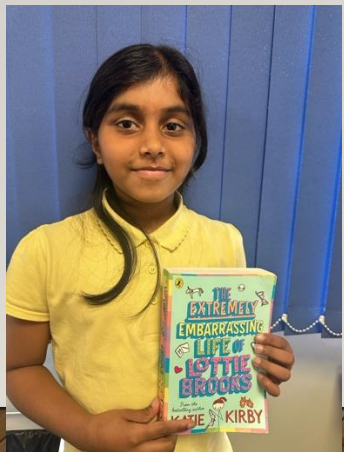
I have chosen this book as my favourite book as it is very factual and provides me with lots of interesting information that I did not know. We also don't learn about Incas in primary school so it's great to learn about them through a book. Did you know that Incas used to chew up corn and put it in the sun for days to brew lemonade?



I have chosen Bodyguard Assassin as it is a gripping book! Some of the chapters are humorous and each chapter contains a lot of action. It is about a Russian billionaire that needs to be protected as a result of rivalry, and how to overcome it!



The Extremely Embarrassing Life of Lottie Brooks is my favourite book because it is very funny and entertaining. It has taught me that you do not need to change who you are to fit in with the popular people in school, you should embrace your differences.



Cirque Du Freak is my favourite book because it has a very interesting story line and it is very funny! It is a saga with 12 books and I am on the 5<sup>th</sup>! Its so captivating and I just want to read more!





Breakfast Club Adventures is such a good book to read as it allows your imagination to run wild! There is a lot of cliff hangers and suspense which makes you want to read more. The illustrations are great to look at too!

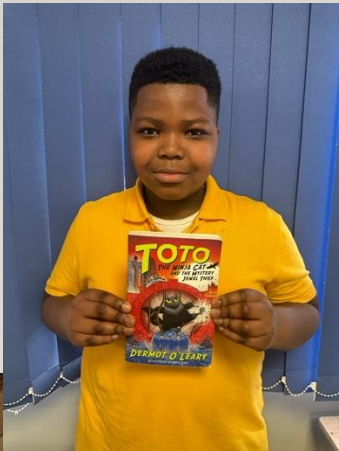
I love books written by Tom Fletcher. His style of writing is humorous, but with a hidden, meaningful message. His books allow me to read with expression and are quite dramatic – just like me! I love them.



The Bare Bum Gang is my favourite book because it is very funny! As well as being humorous, it shares lots of interesting facts about animals!



This is my favourite book as it is a true reflection of how life was for Jewish people in 1942 during the War. It is very moving, and highlights the sheer importance of this significant historical event and allows children to reflect on how serious the event was. It allows you to emotionally connect with Jewish individuals and reflect on how horrendous life must have been for them.



Toto the Ninja Cat and the Mystery Jewel Thief is my favourite book because it is fictional which I find interesting. I love mysterious stories!





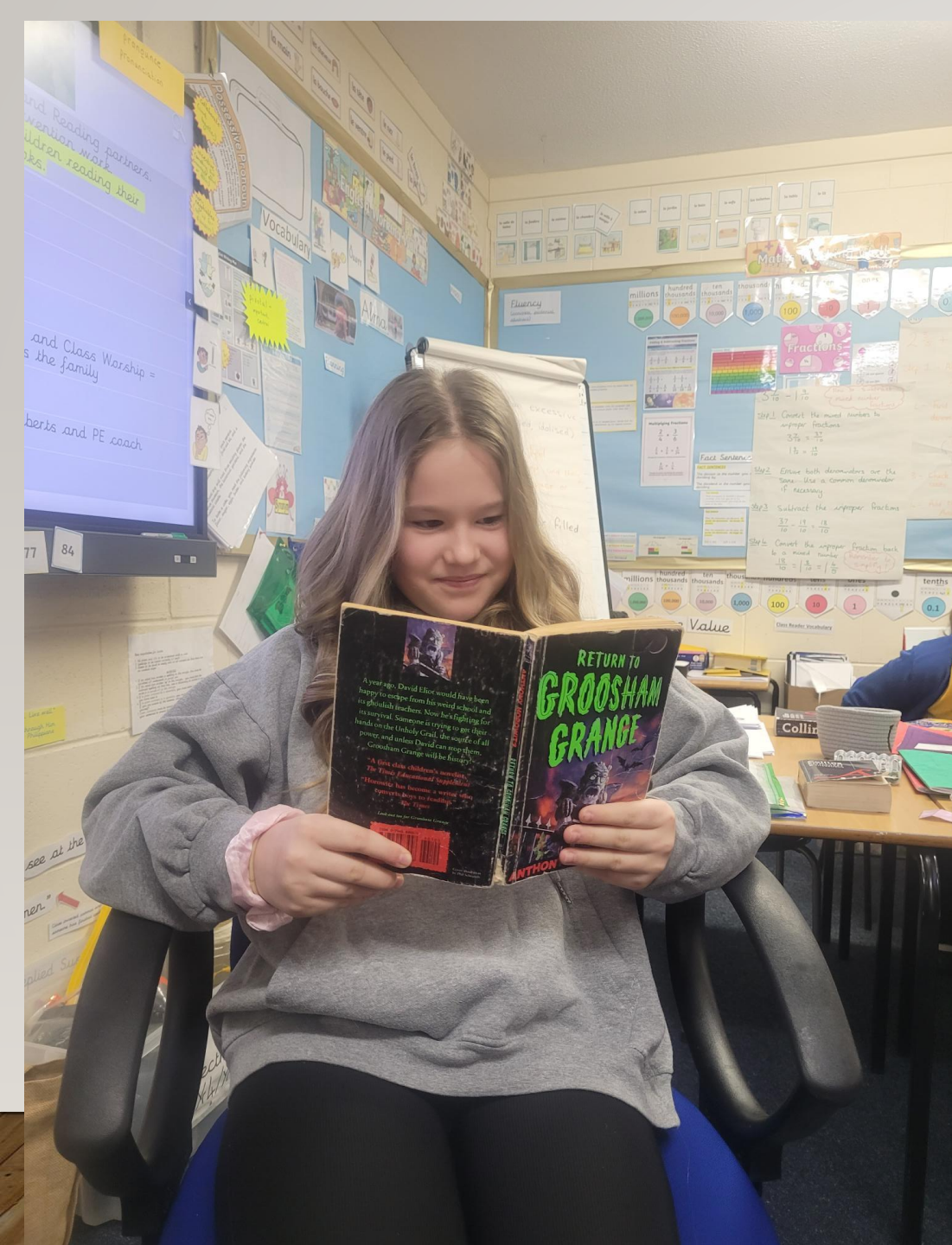
*A Murder Most Unladylike* by Robin Stevens is a gripping mystery novel featuring two schoolgirl detectives, Daisy Wells and Hazel Wong, solving a murder at their boarding school.

““It’s really exciting! – The story keeps you guessing, and you want to find out who did it. I love the characters – Daisy is confident and clever, and Hazel is really smart and observant. It’s funny as well as mysterious. The way Daisy and Hazel talk to each other makes it fun to read. I like trying to solve the mystery before they do. It makes me feel like a detective myself. It’s different from other books I’ve read. It’s not just a normal school story; it has a murder and a proper mystery to solve!”

**A Murder most Unladylike**

**Ethan Peet 6M**





Groosham Grange by Anthony Horowitz is a spooky and humorous adventure about a boy named David Eliot. After getting expelled from his school, he's unexpectedly invited to attend Groosham Grange, a mysterious boarding school on a remote island. From the start, things seem strange: the teachers are creepy, the students act oddly, and there are weird rules—like never leaving your room at night.

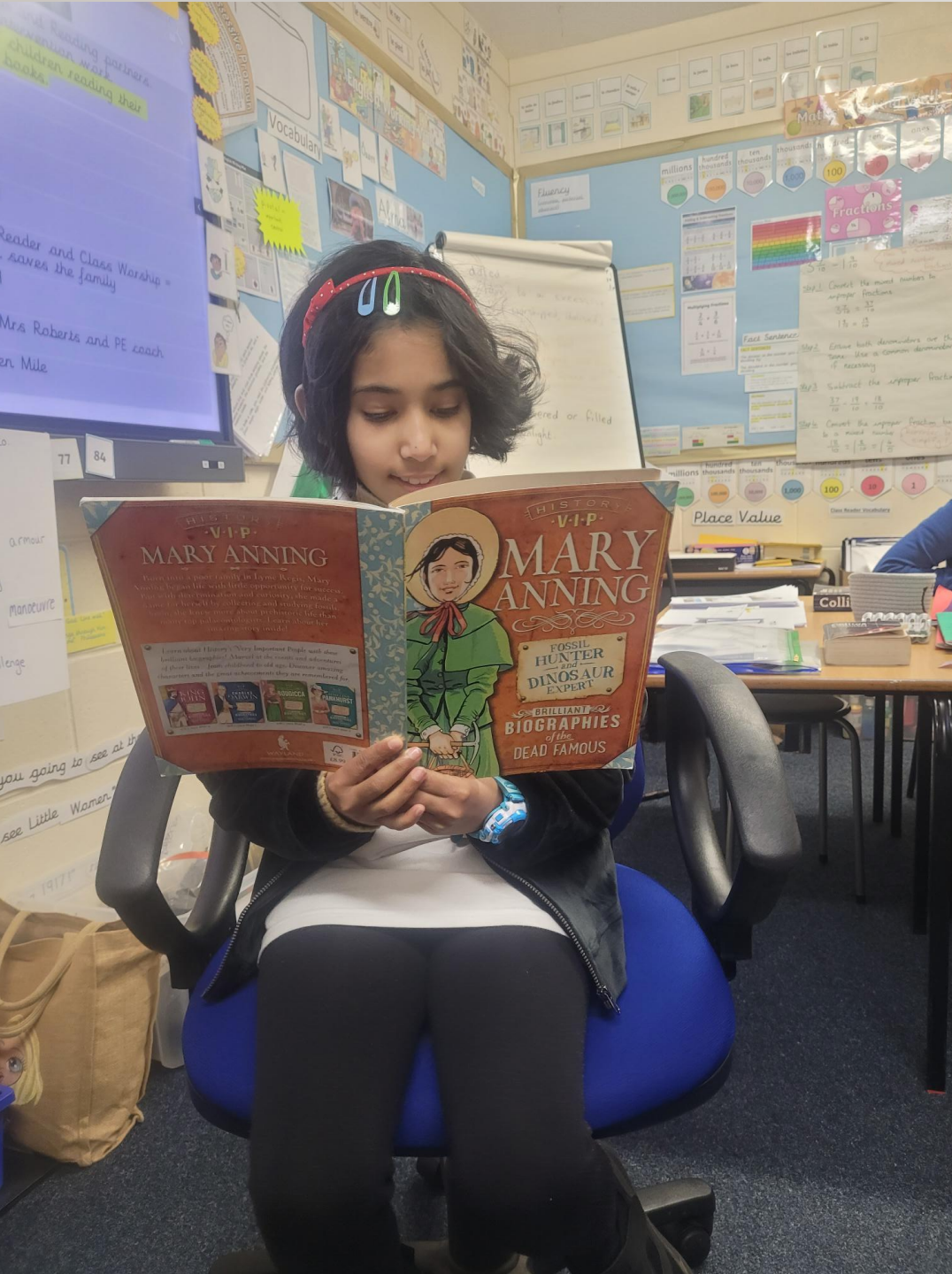
"It's really funny but also a bit spooky! The mix of humour and creepiness makes it exciting to read. It's like a darker version of Harry Potter. I love how weird the school is. The teachers are strange, the lessons are unusual, and there's always something unexpected happening.

The main character, David, is really relatable. He's just a normal kid thrown into a weird situation, and you want to see what happens to him. It's full of surprises!"

## Groosham Grange

Sofija Anuza 6M





In Science, we have been learning about how fossils are made, as well as evolution and inheritance. We also heard the story of Mary Anning, who discovered important fossils that helped scientists understand prehistoric life.

“I really enjoyed the book about Mary Anning because it showed how determined and curious she was, even when others didn’t take her seriously. She wasn’t recognised and given the credit she deserved.”

**Mary Anning**

**Alanza 6M**





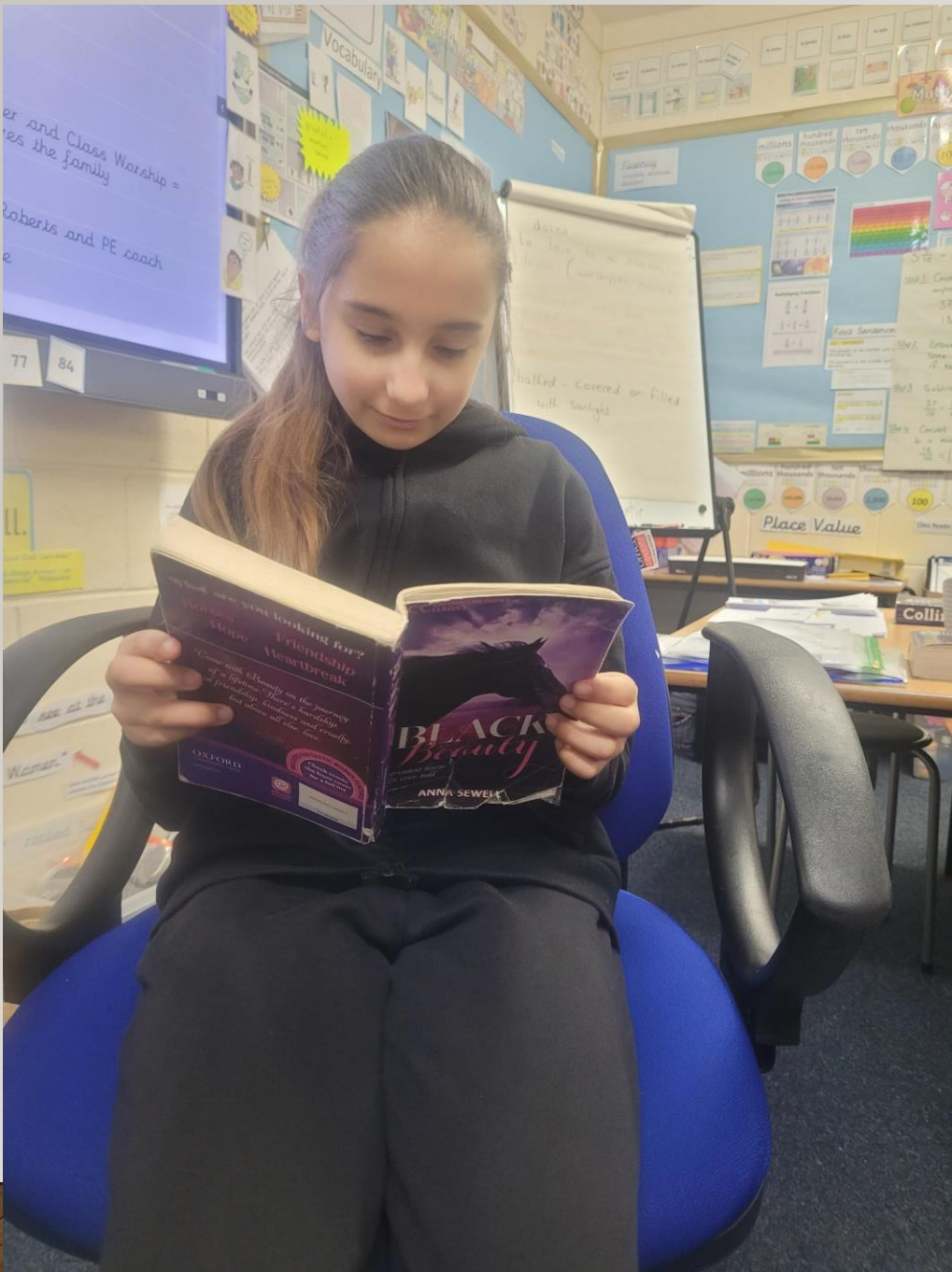
**"I liked The Firework-Maker's Daughter because it was fun and exciting. Lila goes on a big adventure, and I liked how brave she was."**

**The Firework maker's Daughter**

**Polina Zemite**







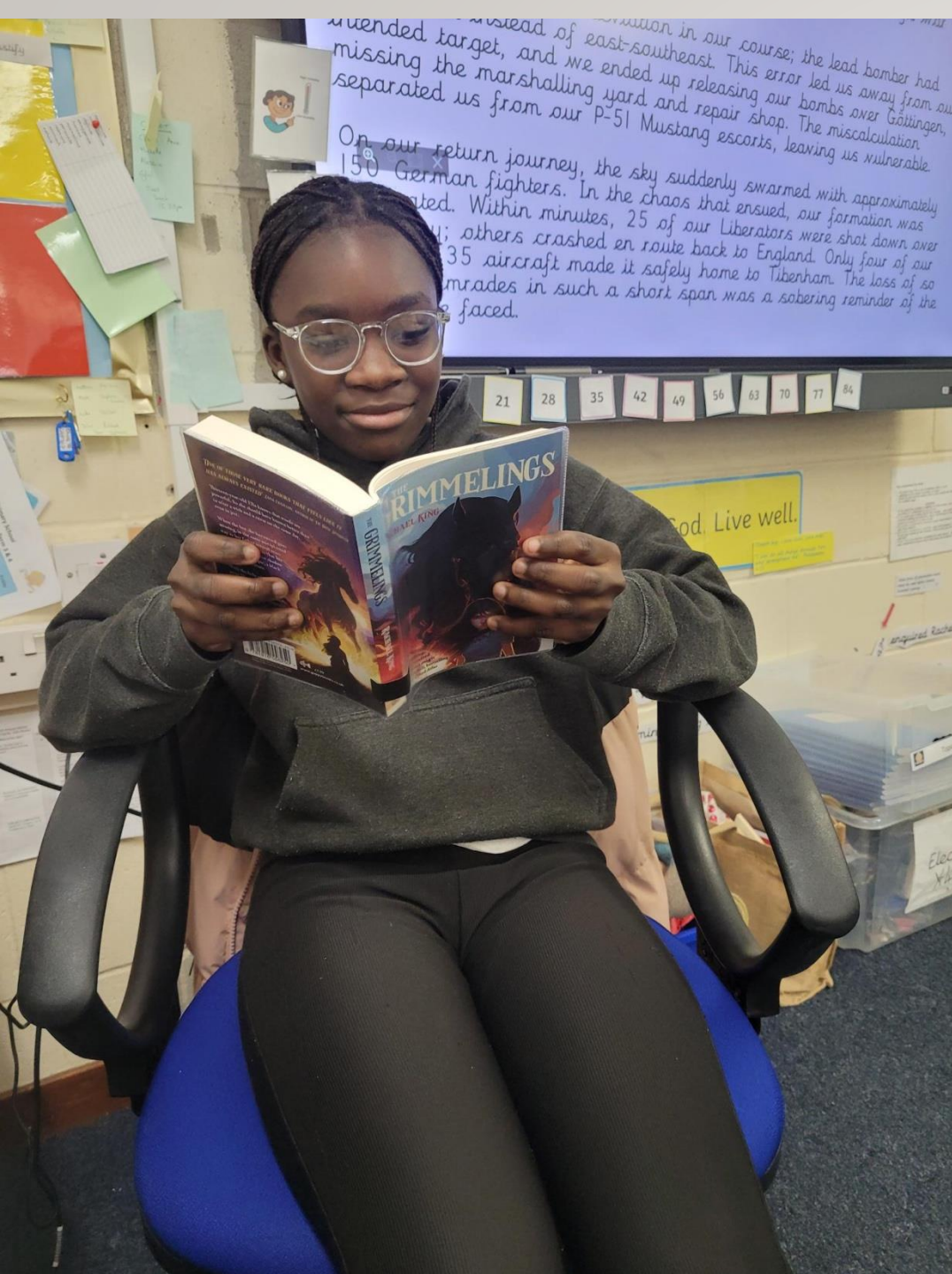
Black Beauty by Anna Sewell is a classic novel told from the perspective of a horse. The story follows Black Beauty's life, from his happy early days on a farm to the many hardships he faces as he is passed from one owner to another. Along the way, he experiences kindness and cruelty, forming strong bonds with both humans and other horses. The book teaches important lessons about kindness, compassion, and the treatment of animals. It was one of the first books to highlight animal welfare and had a big impact on how people viewed horses and their care.

"I like this book because it's about a horse and he is telling the story. Some people are kind to him, but others are really mean, and it made me feel sorry for him. I wanted to keep reading to see if he would be happy in the end. I love animals which is why I love this book."

## Black Beauty

Marija Isaconoka 6M





**"Grimmelings is my favourite because it's full of creepy, magical creatures that you won't find anywhere else! The story is exciting, with strange and spooky adventures as the characters try to survive in a world full of dangers. I love how the main character, Anna, is super brave and always ready to face whatever weird creatures come her way. It's a mix of mystery, magic, and adventure that keeps you on the edge of your seat!"**

**Grimmelings**

**Michelle**







Tom Gates is a funny and relatable story about a mischievous boy named Tom who finds himself in all sorts of hilarious situations. The book follows Tom's everyday life, from dealing with his annoying sister, Delia, to trying to survive school, where he's often distracted by doodling and daydreaming. He also faces challenges like dealing with his grumpy teacher, Mr. Fullerman, and trying to impress his classmates. Tom's sense of humor and creative ways of dealing with problems make him a fun character to follow. It's a lighthearted book about family, friendship, and the ups and downs of school life.

**“I love Tom Gates because it’s so funny! Tom always gets into trouble, whether it’s with his annoying sister or his crazy school projects. His funny drawings and stories make me laugh every time, and I like how he still manages to figure things out in the end, even when everything goes wrong!”**

**Tom Gates**

**Milo Borman**





## War Horse by Michael Morpurgo

The novel, written by Michael Morpurgo, tells a powerful and moving story about the bond between a boy (Albert) and his horse (Joey) during World War I.

**“ I like this book because it also tells me what horses had to go through during war. There’s a horse called Joey who has to go through tough times, switching owners from time to time to fight in war. I love *War Horse* because it's an exciting and emotional story about friendship and bravery, and I felt really connected to Joey and his journey through the war.”**

**Alessia**





Fight Back follows Jodie, a brave and determined girl who is fed up with seeing bullying happening at her school. When a group of bullies targets her friends, Jodie decides to take action. With the help of her friends, she comes up with a plan to stand up to the bullies and stop them for good. Along the way, Jodie faces challenges, but her courage, quick thinking, and teamwork help her fight back and make a difference. The book is an inspiring story about standing up for what's right and not backing down in the face of adversity.

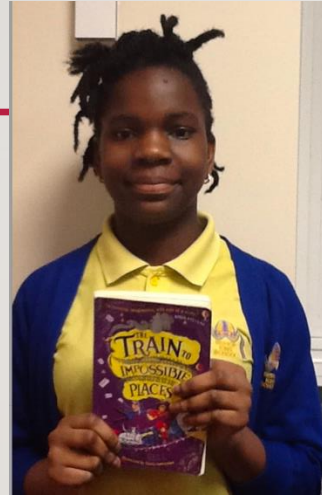
**"My favourite book is Fight Back because the main character, Jodie, is really brave and stands up for what's right, even when things get tough. The plot is full of action, with Jodie and her friends fighting against the school bullies who are making life miserable for others. As they plan their way to stop the bullies, they have to face some tough challenges, but their teamwork and courage keep them going. I love how Jodie doesn't back down and always tries to do the right thing, even if it's scary!"**

**Fight Back**

**Mishal Umer**



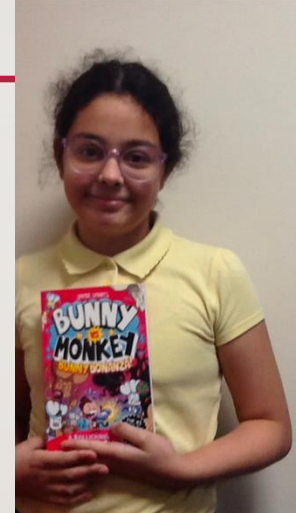
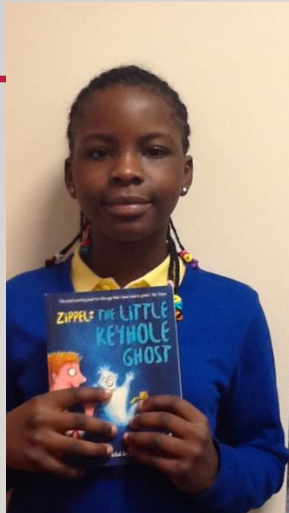
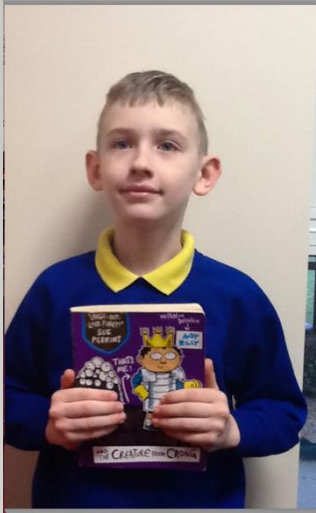
# Year 5's favourite books.



'It feels like stepping into a dream where anything is possible'  
Train to impossible places

'The drawings are awesome, the characters look so cool.'  
Bunny vs Monkey bunny banana

# Year 5 also like....

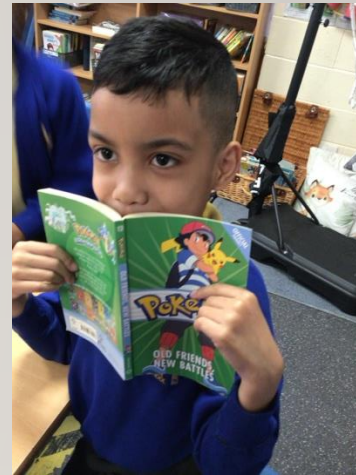
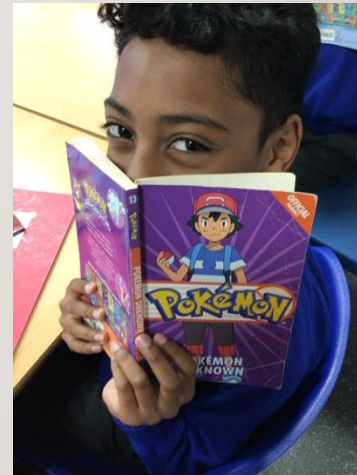
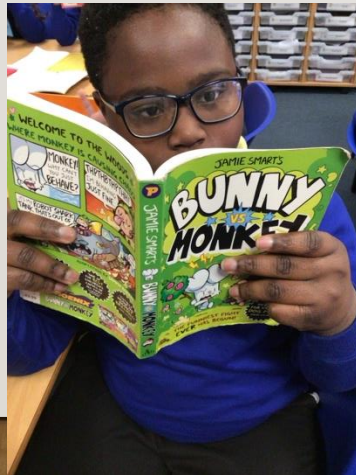
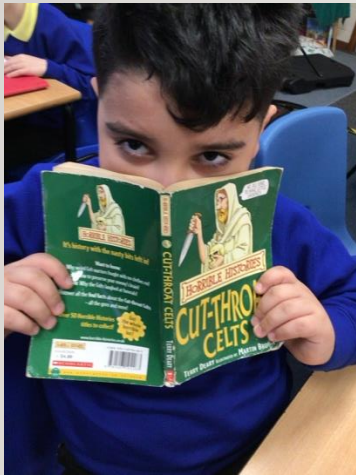
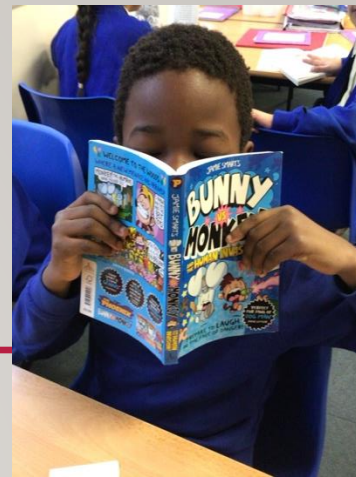
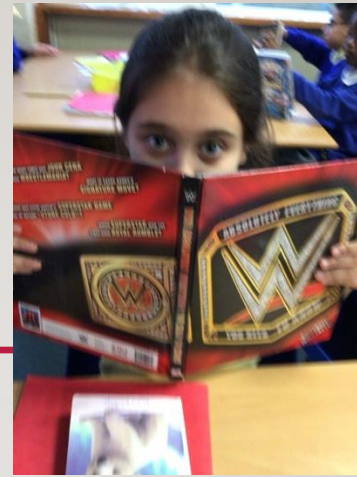
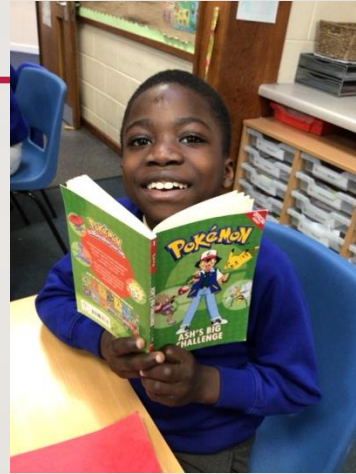
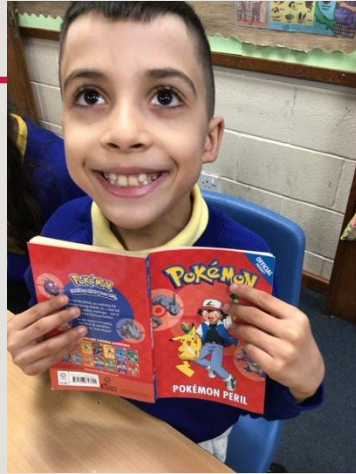
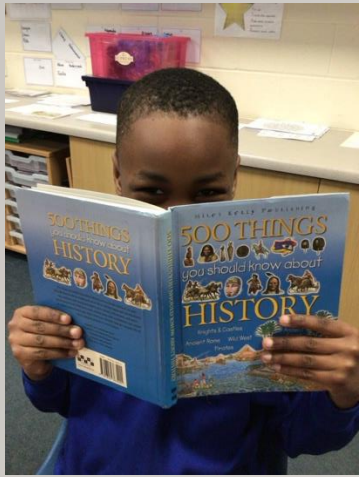


'This book feels like a real adventure. It's full of secrets, spies, and mystery' Letters from the lighthouse

'He's a king, but he's also just a kid like me. I wish I could have a castle and do whatever I want too' Kingflashy pants



# Year 4's favourite books

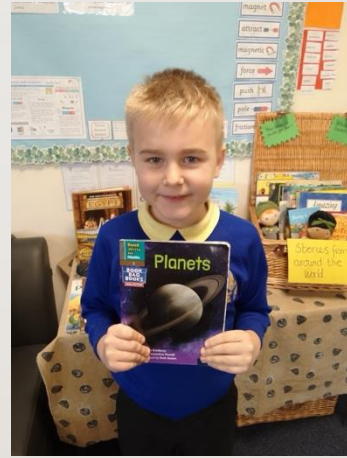




"I like non-fiction books. This book is all about dangerous animals like tigers."

## Year 3's favourite books

"I like to keep secrets. The book is all about the grandfather's life and the secrets he kept."



"I liked this book because it is fun and it has fairies in it. I like that this set of books has the same main characters Rachel and Kirsty all the way through."



"I liked this book because it's all about achieving your dreams and it doesn't matter if you are a boy or a girl."



# Year 2 - Our favourite story books are.....



“IT IS ABOUT A BABY WHALE THAT IS WASHED UP ON THE BEACH.” **PEMMY**

“I like it when Noi finds the whale and takes him home.”  
**Valentin**

“It makes me feel confident because Noi doesn't leave the whale he tries to help him by himself. That is something I would like to do.” **Jesupemi**

“I like Noi the best because he helps the whale to get back home.” **Sufyan**





“The Tunnel is about Jack getting lost through a tunnel and Rose helps him.” **Adebola**

“I LIKED IT WHEN ROSE SAVES JACK BY GIVING HIM A HIUG.”  
**IREMIDE**

“I like Rose the best because she saves her brother and she is thoughtful.” **Shemi**

“It makes me feel sad when Rose crawls through the dark tunnel.”  
**Valentin**





“Beegu is about a baby alien that gets lost on Earth.” **Nathan**

“I like the end when he finally finds his family.” **Pasha**

“I LIKE BEEGU THE BEST BECAUSE HE KEEPS PERSEVERING TO TRY AND FIND HIS FAMILY.” **MEVLEN**

“It is happy story because at the end he finally finds his family.”  
**Abigail**





“The Gruffalo is about a mouse who walks down in the forest and meets a Gruffalo.” **Harry**

“I LIKE IT WHEN HE FINALLY SEES THE GRUFFALO BECAUSE IT’S A SURPRISE FOR THE MOUSE.” **ALEX**

“I like the snake in the story because he is scared of the Gruffalo.” **Lucas**

“It is a happy story and makes me laugh!” **Toby**



“I like Supertato. He finds evil pea.”

## The children in Reception’s favourite stories are....

“I would give the tiger cake or an apple.”



“I like the rocket that the Mum and Dad were in.”

“The are friends.”



“I like it because dogs sit on logs.”

“I love that bicycle.”

“I like Grandma hiding.”

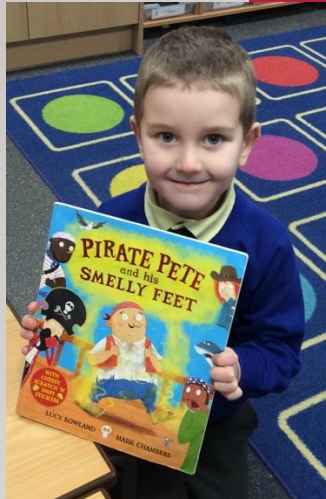
“I think it is funny. The brother is always taking the phone.”

“I like it because she say the wolf. He is bad.”

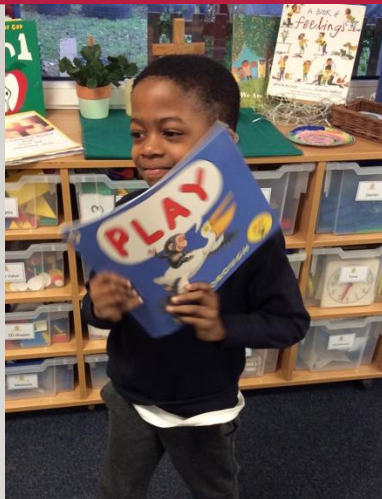
“I like this book because there are villains.”



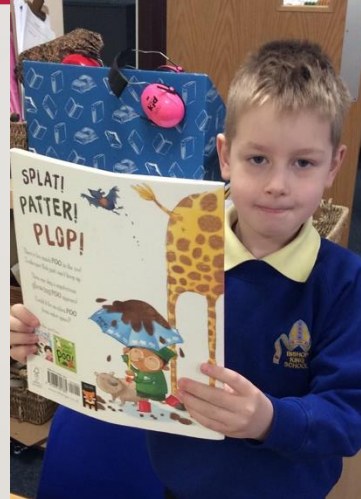
# Year 1's favourite books



"i love pirates and this book has pirates"



"I like dogs"



"because it's got animals in "



"peppa pig is my favourite to watch at home"



"its very cool learning about the body"



"because I love balloons"



“He’s a bit scary!”

# The children in Nursery love listening to...

## ‘The Gruffalo’

“His child is like him.”



“I can tell you the story.”



“I like his purple prickles and black tongue.”

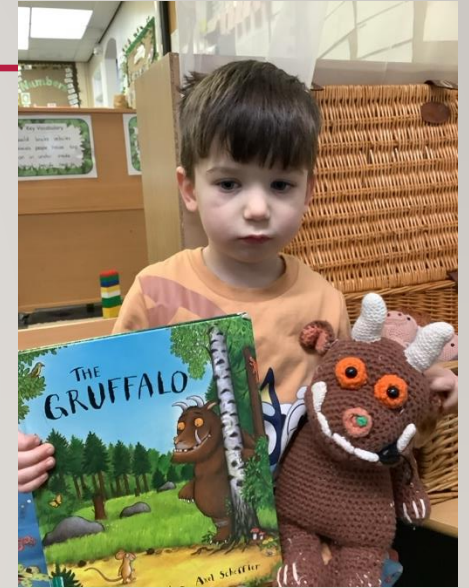


“Who ate the crumble?”

“Snake slithered in the wood.”



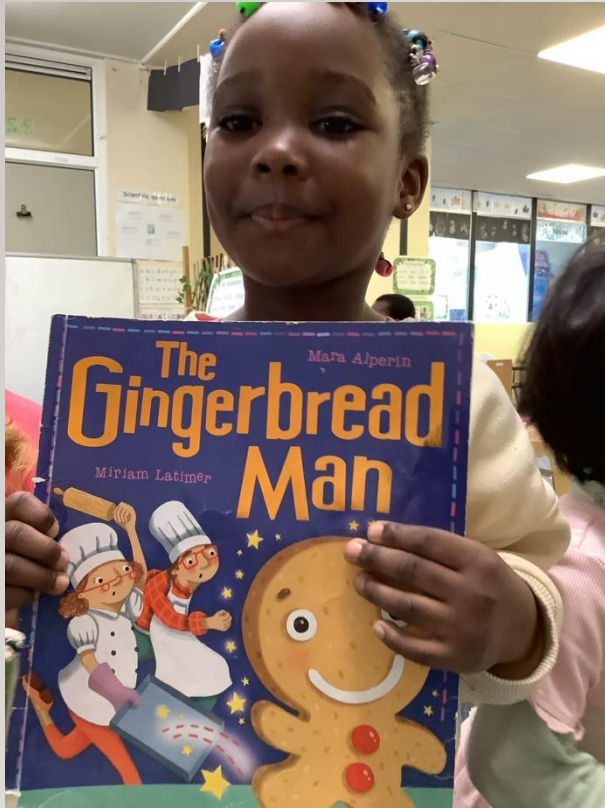
“I like the mouse. He is small and brave.”



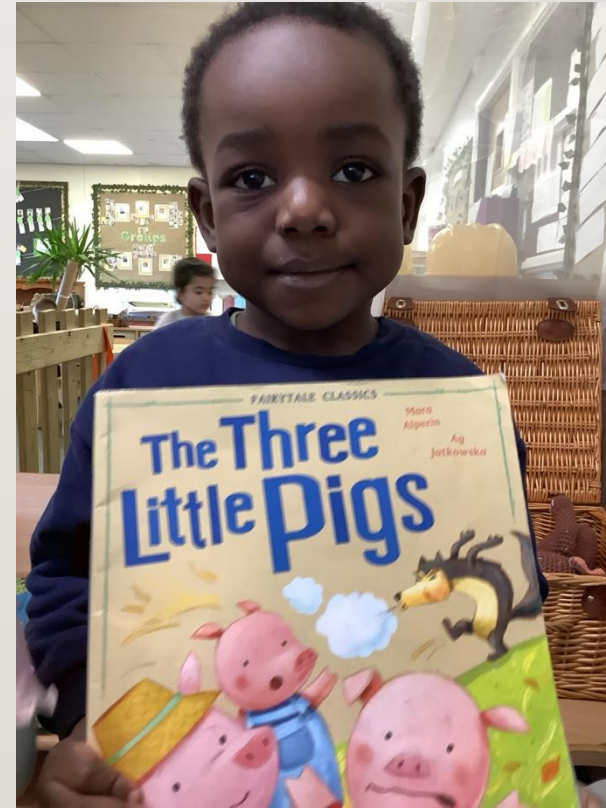


# In Nursery we also like to listen to traditional tales.

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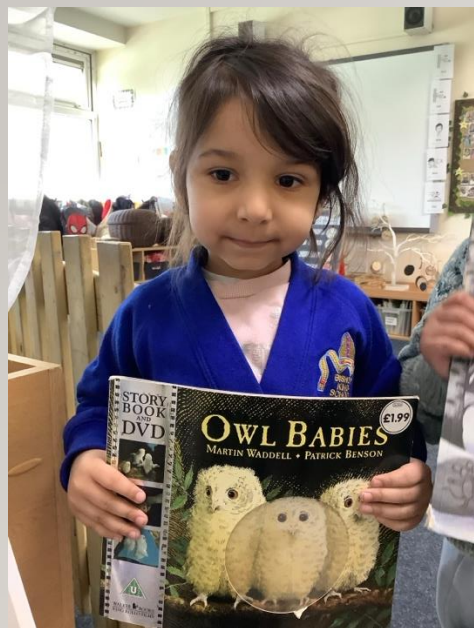
“I like the that he can run really fast. I can run fast like him.”  
“You can watch me run fast outside.”  
“Everyone chased him.”  
“The fox ate him, oh dear.”  
“Run, run as fast as you can, that is what he said.”



“The pigs didn’t want the wolf to eat them.”  
“It was funny when he burnt his bottom and ran away.”  
“Huff and puff, said the big bad wolf.”  
“The pigs are big now.”



# The Nursery children also enjoy some of the core texts we regularly read with them.



"the Mummy came back."



"He was sad, crying."

- The Very Hungry Caterpillar
- The Three Little Pigs
- The Gingerbread Man
- Whatever Next!
- Little Red Riding Hood
- Peace at Last
- Noah's Ark
- Owl Babies

"He ate all the food."  
"He is a butterfly."



"I like rockets. I'd like one to go to the moon."