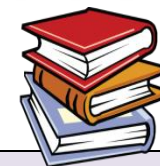


# Mr. Morton & Mrs. Barratt's Recommended Reads!

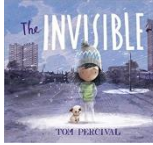
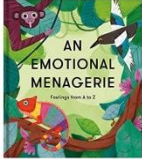
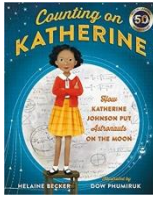



"There is no such thing as a child who hates to read; there are only children who have not found the right book."

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All books fall into the 5-7 age range so would be perfect for Year 2. Happy reading...(The books highlighted in grey are **HIGHLY** recommended!)

Book Cover	Title	Author	A Brief Guide...
	<p><b>The Invisible</b></p>	<p>Tom Percival</p>	<p><b>The Invisible</b> is the story of a young girl called Isabel and her family. They don't have much, but they have what they need to get by. Until one day, there isn't enough money to pay their rent and bills and they have to leave their home full of happy memories and move to the other side of the city.</p>
	<p><b>An Emotional Menagerie</b></p>	<p>The School of Life</p>	<p><i>An Emotional Menagerie</i> is an emotional glossary for children. A book of 26 rhyming poems, arranged alphabetically, that bring our feelings to life Anger, Boredom, Curiosity, Dreaminess, Embarrassment, Fear, Guilt, and more. The poems transform each emotion into a different animal to provide a clear and engaging illustration of its character: how it arises; how it makes us behave and how we can learn to manage its effects. Boasting a rich vocabulary, the poems also give children a wide variety of options for describing their feelings to others.</p>
	<p><b>Counting on Katherine: How Katherine Johnson Put Astronauts on the Moon</b></p>	<p>Helaine Becker</p>	<p>Katherine Johnson is the mathematical genius who helped make the historic Apollo 11 moon landings possible and made sure that Apollo 13 returned home safely when the mission was in critical danger.</p> <p>As a child, Katherine loved to count. She counted the steps on the road, the number of dishes and spoons she washed in the kitchen sink, everything! Boundless, curious, and excited by calculations, young Katherine longed to know as much as she could about maths, about the universe .</p>
	<p><b>Unlocked</b></p>	<p>Delaram Ghanimifard</p>	<p>In this anthology, Tiny owl illustrators from around the world show their daily life during the 2020 lockdown. Everybody had their own way of coping with the lockdown stress and difficulties. Some of us baked, some did DIY and gardening, some read books. Each spread of this colourful book is dedicated to one illustrator to show their daily life during the lockdown in an inspiring and humorous way.</p>