

CYFS 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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The following list includes *only* books that I have personally read and would **fully** recommend to my classes. They all fall into the 4-5 age range so would be perfect for EYFS. I have hard copies of practically all of these books so if you would like to borrow one, ask and I will see what I can do! Happy reading...

Book Cover	Title	Author	A Brief Guide
Pigs Might Fly	Pigs men tranet Grade State Night Fly: District and the state To an and the state To an and the state	Jonathan Emmett	"Let me win, little pig, LET ME WIN!" The Big Bad Wolf is back and badder than ever! So when the Three Pigs enter the "Pie in the Sky" Air Race, he's determined to snaffle the prize pies and have the pigs for pudding. Will the Wolf win – or can Wilbur save the day? A fast-paced, frantically-funny sequel to a well-loved tale. "A super book with a good storyline, amusingly told and wonderfully illustrated a book children will want to look at again and again." BOOKS FOR KEEPS
The Amazing Life Cylces of Plants	THE AMAZING LIFE CYCLE OF PLANTS PLANTS	Kay Barnham	Dig deep and explore the incredible plant life cycle story. From tiny seeds to small shoots, long branches and mighty tree trunks, explore the life cycle of plants and find out what plants need to help them grow. Follow the journey of a young boy and girl as they find out about how plants grow. This beautifully illustrated picture book explains why insects are important to plants, how seeds travel and why plants are important to us all. <i>LOOK AND WONDER</i> is a fresh, bold and bright, narrative non-fiction picture book series, for children aged 4 and up, introducing children to life cycles and the natural world. The eye-poppingly colourful digital illustration style will explain the scientific concepts while the light and fun text-style will make these books real home and classroom favourites. Other titles in the series: <i>A STROLL THROUGH THE SEASONS</i>

			A WONDERFUL WORLD OF WEATHER INCREDIBLE RAINFORESTS THE AMAZING BUTTERFLY LIFE CYCLE STORY THE AMAZING PLANT LIFE CYCLE STORY THE AWESOME NIGHT SKY THE GREAT BIG WATER CYCLE ADVENTURE
Sonya's Chickens	SONYA'S CHICKENS	Phoebe Wahl	Sonya raises her three chickens from the time they are tiny chicks. She feeds them, shelters them and loves them. Everywhere Sonya goes, her chicks are peeping at her heels. Under her care, the chicks grow into hens and even give Sonya a wonderful gift: an egg! One night, Sonya hears noises coming from the chicken coop and discovers that one of her hens has disappeared. Where did the hen go? What happened to her? When Sonya discovers the answers, she learns some important truths about the interconnectedness of nature and the true joys and sorrows of caring for another creature.
A year on the Farm	FARM Versite set areast	Christina MIA Gardeski	From mending fences to seedlings and combines, life on the farm changes from season to season. Discover what farmers do in winter. Learn how crops are harvested in autumn. Real-life photographs follow the seasons and capture the beauty of a year on the farm.