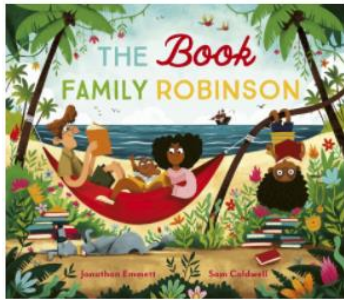


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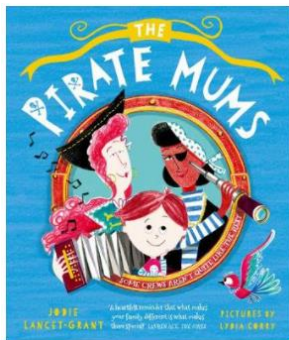


**The Book  
Family  
Robinson**  
  
**By  
Johnathan  
Emmett**

A bookish family shipwrecked on a treasure island faces off against a fearsome pirate crew.

The keen-reading Robinsons set out to sea, their boat barely afloat with all their books, until a storm strikes down their holiday plans. Shipwrecked on a mysterious island, they gather their soggy books up and research how to survive - completely missing the treasure littered all around them! But the Bloodbucket pirates remember it all too well, and when they find the Robinsons have taken their turf, it's time to walk the plank.

With only *Silly Monkey Goes to the Toilet* left to hand, can the Robinsons read themselves free from a watery doom?

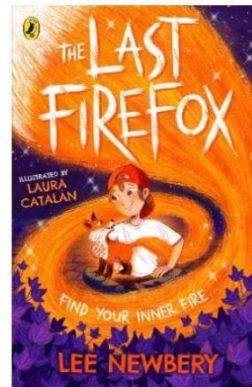


**The Pirate  
Mums**  
  
**By  
Jodie Lancet-  
Grant**

Billy's family is not what you'd call ordinary. His mums won't listen to NORMAL music. They love to sing sea shanties and dance jigs in the lounge. Their clothes are highly unusual, they have a rude parrot for a pet, and their taste in house design is, well . . . FISHY. Billy wishes his family could be more like everyone else's. Until a swashbuckling adventure changes everything!

## Year 2

### Recommended Reads Spring 2022



**The Last Firefox**  
  
**By  
Lee  
Newbery**

A heartwarming story about family, friendship and finding your inner fire.

Between bullies at school and changes at home, Charlie Challinor finds life a bit scary. And when he's made guardian of a furry fox cub called Cadno, things get a whole lot scarier. Because Cadno isn't just any fox: he's a firefox - the only one of his kind - and a sinister hunter from another world is on his trail. Swept up into an unexpected adventure to protect his flammable friend, Charlie's going to need to find the bravery he never thought he had, if he's going to save the last firefox . . .

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**Isadora Moon  
Gets the Magic  
Pox  
By  
Harriet  
Muncaster**

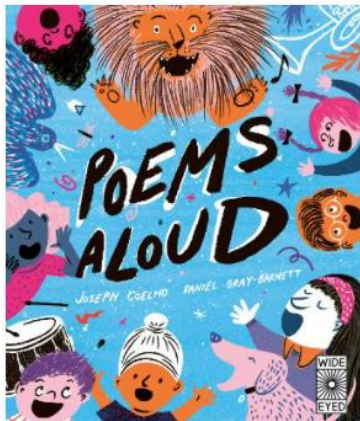
Isadora Moon is special because she's different. Her mum is a fairy, her dad is a vampire, and she's a bit of both.

When Isadora's teacher announces the class are having a maths test on Monday, Isadora gets a nervous feeling in her tummy. She really doesn't like tests . . . or maths! Maybe, Isadora could pretend to be ill so she can stay at home instead? Isadora calls her naughty cousin Mirabelle for help and she gives her a spell that will help Isadora get out of the test. To Isadora's delight, it works! But between a potion mishap and magic pox fluffballs bouncing around all over the place, Isadora starts feeling a bit guilty.

Luckily, her mum is on hand to help set things right and together they come up with a new, magical way to say goodbye to the magic pox and even make revising for the maths test fun!

With irresistible pink and black artwork throughout by author/illustrator Harriet Muncaster, Isadora Moon is a unique heroine with an out-of-this-world family!

**Poetry**



**Poems  
Aloud  
By  
Joseph  
Coleo**

Children will learn 20 techniques for reading aloud by trying out 20 funny and thoughtful original poems by the much-loved and award-winning performance poet, Joseph Coelho.

There are tongue twisters, poems to project, poems to whisper, poems to make you laugh. There are poems to perform to a whole class and others to whisper in somebody's ear.

Richly textured, warm and stylish illustration by Daniel Gray-Barnett bring each page to life.

**Non - fiction**



**The Big Book  
of the UK  
By  
Imogen  
Russell  
Williams**

Welcome... Failte... Croeso... Fair faa ye... to the United Kingdom!

*The Big Book of the UK* introduces readers to customs and culture of the United Kingdom.

Learn about the sport of dwile flonking and find out where black diamonds come from. Meet the supernatural animal that haunts the Scottish Highlands and discover the British sweets that helped Hillary and Tenzing scale Everest.

Filled with facts about wildlife, food, sports, geography, language and some very silly place names, this book will help you uncover national secrets and unearth local legends from England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.

**A mind-boggling and hilarious book of facts for kids from the star of The Great British Bake Off, Matt Lucas – exclusive for World Book Day!**

Can you spot fact from fiction? Can you tell what's news and what's nonsense? This very, very, very, very, very, very, very silly book is FULL of mind-boggling true or false facts about animals, food, inventions, famous people, extraordinary places and much, much more!

*True or false?*

*A man once ate an entire airplane.*

*The first frisbees were overcooked pies.*

*King Henry VIII had a special servant to take him to the loo.*

Grab a copy and find out the answers! Jam-packed with incredible facts and super-silly jokes from the king of comedy Matt Lucas, this book will have your laughing your socks off . . . while learning astonishing things about the world we live in!

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