

## **100 Books all children should read before leaving primary school**

**TES and the National Association for the Teaching of English ran a survey to find teachers' top 100 fiction books all children should read before leaving primary school. Here are the results.**

A Dark, Dark Tale by Ruth Brown

Alice in Wonderland by Lewis Carroll

Amazing Grace by Mary Hoffman and Caroline Binch

Angelo by Quentin Blake

Artemis Fowl series by Eoin Colfer

Beegu by Alexis Deacon

Birds Beasts and Relatives by Gerald Durrell

Black Beauty by Anna Sewell

Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl

Cinderella by Charles Perrault, illustrated by Roberto Innocenti

Click Clack Moo: cows that type by Doreen Cronin and Betsy Lewin

Clockwork by Phillip Pullman

Cloud Busting by Malorie Blackman

Coraline by Neil Gaiman

Diary of a Wimpy Kid by Jeff Kinney

Dogger by Shirley Hughes

Eagle of the Ninth by Rosemary Sutcliff

Eragon by Christopher Paolini

Esio Trot by Roald Dahl

Face by Benjamin Zephaniah

Farmer Duck by Martin Waddell and Helen Oxenbury

Five Children and It by E Nesbit

Flat Stanley by Jeff Brown

Funnybones by Allan and Janet Ahlberg  
Goodnight Mister Tom by Michelle Magorian  
Green Eggs and Ham by Dr Seuss  
Grimm's Fairy Tales by The Brothers Grimm  
Hairy Maclary from Donaldson's Dairy by Lynley Dodd  
I am David by Anne Holm  
I Will Not Ever Never Eat a Tomato by Lauren Child  
Journey to the River Sea by Eva Ibbotson  
Just So Stories by Rudyard Kipling  
Kidnapped by R L Stevenson  
Matilda by Roald Dahl  
My Mum by Anthony Browne  
Not Now Bernard by David Mckee  
On the Way Home by Jill Murphy  
Owl Babies by Martin Waddell and Patrick Benson  
Peace at Last by Jill Murphy  
Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan  
Pig Heart Boy by Malorie Blackman  
Pinocchio by Carlo Collodi, illustrated by Roberto Innocenti  
Pumpkin Soup by Helen Cooper  
Sad Book by Michael Rosen  
Shakespeare Stories by Leon Garfield  
Six Dinner Sid by Inga Moore  
Skellig by David Almond  
Stig of the Dump by Clive King  
Street Child by Berlie Doherty  
Swallows and Amazons by Arthur Ransome

The Alfie and Annie Rose series by Shirley Hughes

The Asterix Series by Rene Goscinny and Albert Uderzo

The Borrowers by Mary Norton

The Chronicles of Narnia by C S Lewis

The Day the Crayons Quit by Drew Daywalt and Oliver Jeffers

The Early Years at Malory Towers by Enid Blyton

The Fib and Other Stories by George Layton

The Giant's Necklace by Michael Morpurgo

The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein

The Gruffalo by Julia Donaldson

The Happy Prince and Other Stories by Oscar Wilde

The Highwayman by Alfred Noyes

The Hobbit by J R R Tolkien

The Iron Man by Ted Hughes

The Jolly Postman by Allan Ahlberg

The Just William series by Richmal Crompton

The Kipper series by Mick Inkpen

The Little Prince by Antoine de Saint-Exupery

The Magic Far Away Tree by Enid Blyton

The Milly-Molly-Mandy series by Joyce Lankester Brisley

The Mr Men and Little Miss series by Roger Hargreaves

The Mrs Pepperpot series by Alf Proysen

The Paddington series by Michael Bond

The Phantom Tollbooth by Norton Juster

The Railway Children by E Nesbit

The Secret Garden by Frances Hodgson Burnett

The Sheep Pig by Dick King-Smith

The Silver Sword by Ian Serraillier

The Skulduggery Pleasant series by Derek Landy

The Snowman by Raymond Briggs

The Suitcase Kid by Jacqueline Wilson

The Tale of Peter Rabbit by Beatrix Potter

The Tiger Who Came to Tea by Judith Kerr

The Tunnel by Anthony Browne

The Turbulent Term of Tyke Tyler by Gene Kemp

The Twits by Roald Dahl

The Velveteen Rabbit by Margery Williams

The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle

The Weirdstone of Brisingamen by Alan Garner

The Wind in the Willows by Kenneth Graham

The Worst Witch series by Jill Murphy

Theseus and the Minotaur by David Orme and Wendy Body

Treasure Island by R L Stevenson

Voices in the Park by Anthony Browne

War Horse by Michael Morpurgo

We're Going on a Bear Hunt by Michael Rosen

Where the Wild Things Are by Maurice Sendak

Winnie the Pooh by A A Milne

Wolf Brother by Michelle Paver

Zoo by Anthony Browne