

December 2025 Edition

In the Library

November was brilliant in the library as we celebrated Non-Fiction November! Our displays were packed with fascinating books—from ancient history and space science to arts, crafts, and wellbeing. It was wonderful seeing pupils explore the real world through reading.

Book Fair

A huge thank you to all parents who supported our Book Fair—it raised an incredible £900 to help us buy exciting new resources! Now December is here, the library has a festive makeover with Christmas books and special displays for pupils from Reception to Year 6. It's the perfect time to visit!

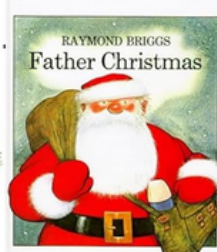
🎄 The Most Wonderful Time for the Most Wonderful Books!

Christmas is nearly here! Lights sparkle, gingerbread scents fill the air, and carols play everywhere. It's magical—and books make it even better!

READING ambassadors

Our Reading Ambassadors have been busy organising the library, creating displays, and diving into new books! Two deliveries of Children's Book Awards titles have arrived, and they're already reviewing them.

We're thrilled to be part of this opportunity! As December begins, the library gets a festive makeover with Christmas books and shelves full of brilliant reads from Reception to Year 6. It's the perfect time to visit!



WHAT'S ON

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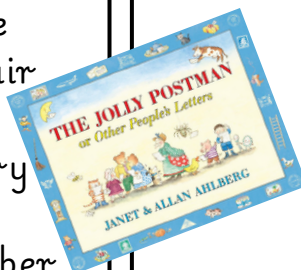
CHRISTMAS

TV

December 2025

SPECIAL books

This year, there is a new Julia Donaldson animated film, *The Scarecrows' Wedding*, set to air at 3:10pm on Christmas Day. Join Betty O'Barley and Harry O'Hay as the scarecrows planning a wedding to remember.



Christmas always reminds me of special books. One favourite was *The Jolly Christmas Postman* by Janet and Allan Ahlberg. Do you know it? You can pull out tiny letters and cards for characters like Cinderella and the Big Bad Wolf—pure Christmas magic!



A GIFT THAT lasts all year

Books are the perfect present – they never need charging and can be enjoyed again and again! From funny picture books to exciting adventures or classic Christmas tales, every book is an invitation to explore.



OUR CHRISTMAS reading mission



- Read Together: Snuggle up with a story for just ten minutes a day.
- Create a Tradition: Unwrap a new book
- On Christmas Eve to read before bed.
- Share the Love: Ask your child about their favourite part of a Christmas story.



MEMORABLE Christmas

- Let's make this holiday memorable – not just for toys and treats, but for the brilliant stories we share.
- Happy Reading, and a Very Merry Christmas!



WHAT'S *ON* THE LIBRARY

BOOK

review

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NEW releases

Junior Fiction

8: The Happy Book Series

15: The Silly Sausage Series

Non-Fiction

Greatest Soccer Stars

The Sun, The Moon and the Stars



The Happy Sausage

by Jane Doe

Reviewed by: Sarah A, 5/6 R

This is a picture book about a sausage who loves to sunbake. That is, until he finds himself on the grill of a bbq. With the help of an unlikely friend, the Happy Sausage attempts to escape from the bbq. Is he successful? You'll need to read and find out for yourself!



What's a snake's favourite subject in school?

Hissssssssstory!

upcoming EVENTS

- Wed 1 May:** Parent helper contacting evening
- Mon 6 May:** International Reading Day. Wear mufti.
- Friday 4 June:** Book Fair. 9-11am. School Hall. Card & cash.
- Friday 11 June:** Return all books for stocktake count.

BORROWER profile

James F from 3A

James has borrowed and returned 46 books so far this year. His favourite genre is graphic novels. Well done James!



LIBRARY MONITOR report

Books on the Titanic are really popular at the moment! Don't forget to return all books to where you got them from!



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