



Brington Reads!



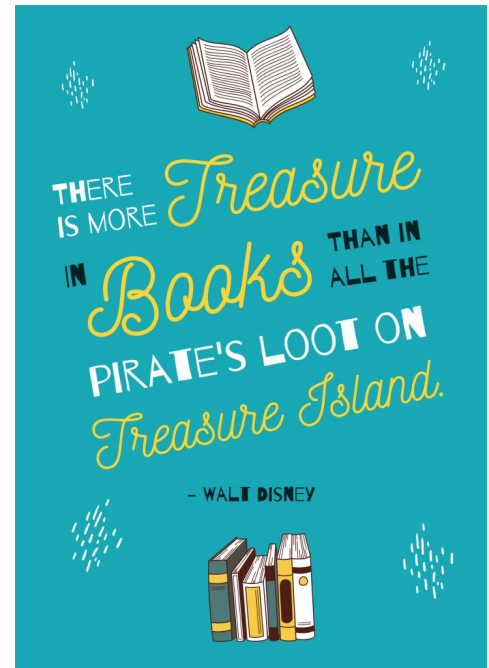
Summer Term

2021



Hello, and welcome to our latest reading newsletter.

It's been another funny few months but we're thrilled to see the love of reading amongst our pupils and families is as strong as ever. Thank you, families, for your engagement with reading-related activities during lockdown - it has supported and will continue to support your children in their learning journey through school and beyond.



PYJAMARAMA-14th May 2021

On Friday 14th May, we are inviting all pupils and staff to come to school dressed in their pyjamas to enjoy a day of reading, book sharing and fun!

Pyjamarama raises money to support 'Book Trust', who work incredibly hard to make sure that all children receive the bedtime stories and love of reading they deserve, no matter what their background. We are asking members of our school community to bring a minimum donation of £1 on that day so that we can help them with this vital work. Collection pots will be available in each classroom.

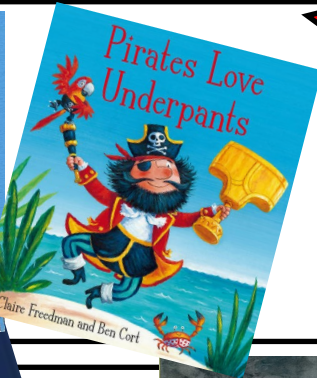
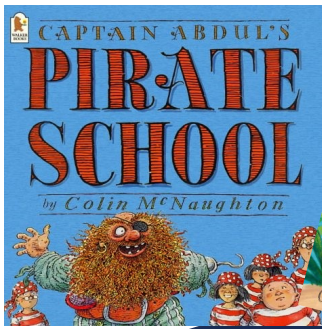


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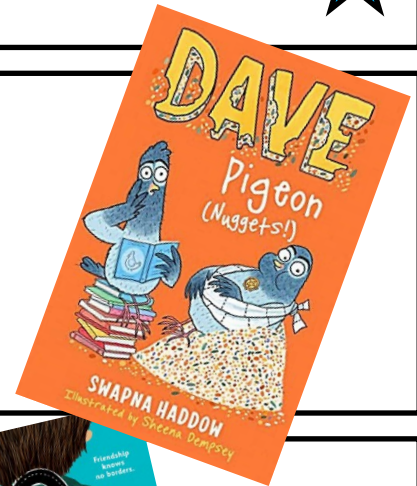
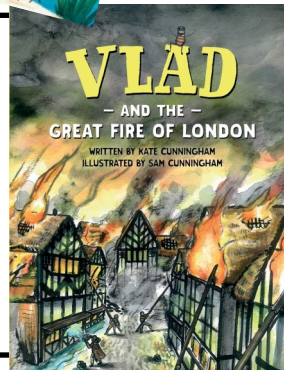
Here are a selection of the texts each class are reading this term...

If you want to read these books at home with your child, please wait until they have been covered in class!

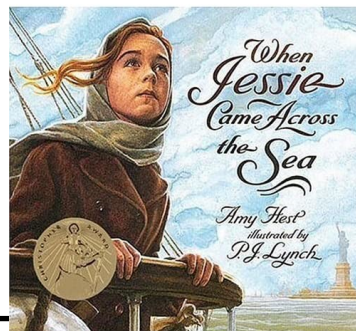
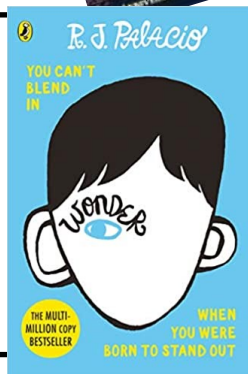
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Book Week 2021

Book Week was a bit different this year as many of us were learning from home but it didn't stop us from enjoying great stories together!

Our focus text was 'Bloom' by Anne Booth and Robyn Wilson-Owen. Owls made their own 'grumpy old man' glasses and went to talk to the flowers, Hawks made puppet shows and excellent graphic novel versions of the text and Eagles wrote diary entries in character. We all agreed it was a fantastic story with a very important message!

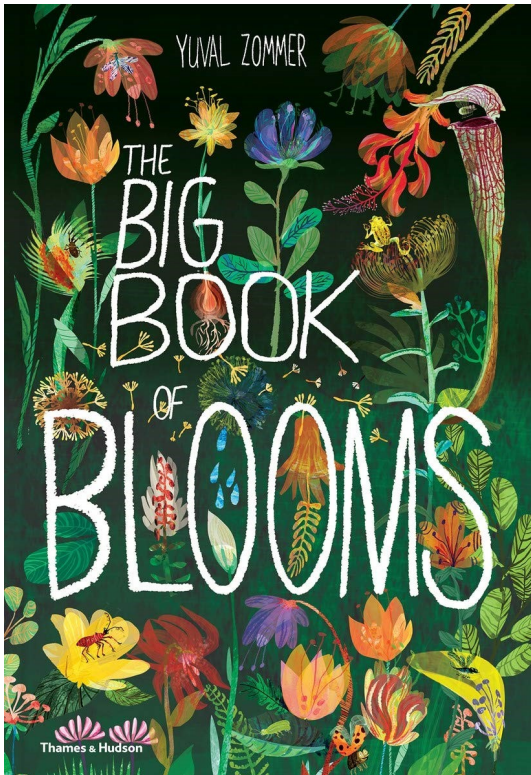
Lots of families made beautiful shoe boxes full of paper blooms, too.

We're already looking forward to Book Week 2022, when hopefully things will be a little more 'normal' and we can take part in lots of whole school activities!



Art Week 2021

A stunning week of lockdown art was enjoyed during the Spring Term, when we all looked at Yuval Zommer's 'Big Book of Blooms' for inspiration and used materials available in our homes to create some fantastic pieces!



Yuval Zommer @yuvalzommer · 1h

Replying to @BringtonSchool

Fantastically creative and resourceful work! 🙌 Greetings to all the junior artists and thank you for also brightening up my day! 😊

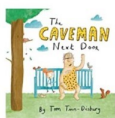


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The Cambridgeshire Children's Picture Book Award

Six outstanding picture books by first-time author/illustrators and first published in 2019



Children in schools across Cambridgeshire are voting for their favourite—which one's yours?



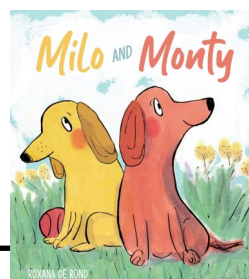
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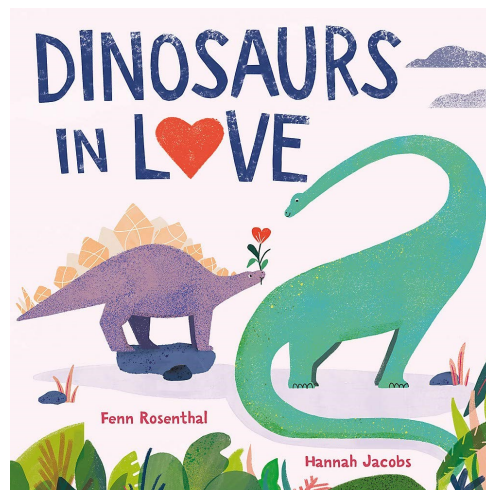
We all read the six books and voted for our favourites in last year's Cambridgeshire Libraries award.

The winner was 'Milo and Monty' by Roxana de Rond. You can hear her reading the story aloud here:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=68wx8P_s704



NEW PUBLICATIONS THIS TERM



Do you want to find out more about your favourite authors? Would you like to develop your skills as an author?

Check out this amazing website to see author introductions, masterclasses and ten minute challenges:

<https://authorfy.com/>

Stuck for what to read next? Check out our 'Online Library' page on the school website, which is full of pupil reviews, staff bookshelves, online links and recommendations based on your current favourites!

Families, if you would like to **make a donation** of books or other library items to the school, please have a look at our Amazon wish list:

https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/2BIK20A902R47?ref_=wl_share



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