

The Book Corner



Brought to you by Kidmore End's librarians

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Welcome to the first edition of Kidmore End's 'The Book Corner' - a half termly newsletter to share book reviews, author recommendations, competitions and general book fun!

Meet the team

Read on to find out more about our Year 5 librarians. Find out what and where they love to read, as well as their favourite authors and books. What is your favourite author/book?



Name: Toby

Favourite place to read: In my room

Favourite author: Roald Dahl

Favourite book: Danny the champion of the world

Name: Billy

Favourite place to read: The school library

Favourite author: Roald Dahl

Favourite book: Lord of the Rings

Name: Isabella

Favourite place to read: On my bean bag at home

Favourite author: David Walliams

Favourite book: Awful Auntie

Name: Oscar

Favourite place to read: my tree in the garden

Favourite author: Enid Blyton

Favourite book: Five go down to the sea

Name: Lucas

Favourite place to read: In a small comfy room

Favourite author: JK Rowling

Favourite book: Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone

Name: Sophie

Favourite place to read: in a quiet nook or corner

Favourite author: Katie Kirby

Favourite book: The Lottie Brooks series

Name: Nellie

Favourite place to read: My bedroom

Favourite author: Esme Higgs

Favourite book: The Truly tremendous tale of two treasures

Name: Gus

Favourite place to read: On the sofa

Favourite author: David Walliams

Favourite book: Slime

Name: Ryan

Favourite place to read: Sonning Common Library

Favourite author: Jamie Smart

Favourite book: Bunny vs Monkey

Name: Jessie

Favourite place to read: On the sofa

Favourite author: David Walliams

Favourite book: Demon Dentist

Name: Josh

Favourite place to read: in the library

Favourite author: GEGE Akutami

Favourite book: Jujutsu Kaisan

Name: Jacob

Favourite place to read: Library

Favourite author: Katherine Rundell

Favourite book: The Explorer

Name: Emilia

Favourite place to read: Under the covers

Favourite author: Julia Donaldson

Favourite book: Matilda

Name: Luca

Favourite place to read: in my bed

Favourite author: Roald Dahl

Favourite book: Danny the champion of the world

Name: Phoebe

Favourite place to read: in bed before sleep

Favourite author: Katie Kirby

Favourite book: Lottie Brooks

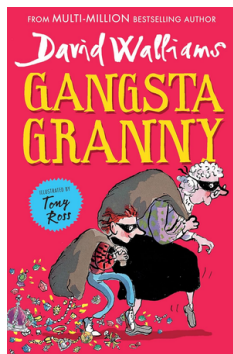


Book Reviews



I am OBSESSED with Matilda! I absolutely love everything about her and I really feel as though I can relate to her. The book is based on courage, resilience and staying focused.

This is a great book for people who have just started reading chapter books. - **Emilia**



Let me tell you about this two book series called Gangster Granny - it had me hooked from the first chapter! In these books you will meet Ben's granny who has white hair, false teeth and always has tissues tucked up her sleeve, but she is anything but a textbook granny. Little did Ben know what lies beneath those tissues tucked up her sleeve is an international jewel thief! This book will stay with me as one of the best books I have ever read and I recommend it with all my heart. - **Josh**

CHALLENGE

We are looking to update our library display and need your help!

1. Can you write a short book review of a non-fiction/fiction book you have recently read. Templates are available from the office.
2. Can you design a new front cover for your favourite book?

Useful 'book' links

<https://toppsta.com/>
<https://www.dogobooks.com/>
<https://www.storynory.com/>



Teacher interview

Miss Jones



Books

What do you love about books? *I love to escape to amazing places*

What was your favourite book / author as a child? *Rita the weekend rat, Famous Five and Secret Seven.*

Where is your favourite place to read? *Curled up on the sofa*

What is your favourite genre to read? *I really like true stories and books about space*

Do you prefer books or films based on a book? *Books because there is more action and adventure*

Are you a fiction or non-fiction kind of reader? *Too hard to choose - I love both!*

What is your favourite book now as an adult? *This is really difficult because I love so many books but one of my favourites is Cosmos by Carl Sagan which is about the evolution of the universe and everything in it.*

Sonning Common Library

Mon: 2-5pm Wed: 2-7pm
Thurs: 9am-1pm, 2-5pm Fri: 9am-1pm, 2-5pm
Sat: 9.30-12.30am

"READING IS DREAMING WITH EYES OPEN"