

# Aston Fence J&I School

# Ideas to support Y3 children with reading at home





## 1. Join Aston Community Library

Worksop Rd Sheffield S26 4WD

Phone: 01709 254 124

### **Opening Times:**

- Monday 9am to 5pm
- Tuesday 9am to 5pm
- Wednesday 9am to 7pm
- Thursday 9am to 5pm
- Friday 9am to 5pm
- Saturday 9am to 1pm
- Sunday Closed



### 2. Download eBooks on Android tablets or iPads.

# 3. Listen to your child read their school reading book and discuss their reading with them.

Things to do before reading:

- Look at the pictures and information on the cover. Do you know anything about this author? Have they read any other books by this author? Look up the author on the Internet.
- Use the front cover and blurb to predict what will happen in the story.
- If it's a story set in a particular time period, look up information about that period on the internet; this will really help your child to understand the story.
- Look inside the front cover to see if the book suggests any prereading things to discuss.
- 4. **Paired reading.** Share a book from the 50 books to read by the end of Y3 list.
- 5. **Read to your child, ideally a high level text** e.g. 'How To Train Your Dragon', or 'A Faraway Tree' or an interesting news article and discuss what you've read and the meaning of any new words. When you are reading to your child, you can talk about words or ideas in the text that your child might not have come across before. Children are often interested in new words and what they mean encourage them to look them up in a dictionary, online dictionary or ask family about the meaning.

# 6. Go online together and read and talk about a web page that interests them.

Child-friendly Science websites:

http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/science/index.html

http://www.scienceforkidsclub.com/

Child-friendly History websites:

http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/history/index.html

http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryhistory/

http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryhistory/famouspeople/

http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/subjects/zcw76sg Child-friendly

Geography websites:

http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/geography/index.html

http://www.kids-world-travel-guide.com/geography-facts.html

https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/#

Child-friendly Art websites:

http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/Art.html

http://www.ducksters.com/history/art/

- 7. Listen to audio books together e.g. have them on in the car.
- 8. Make reading fun by reading adventure stories under the duvet by torchlight. Try reading the book in a funny accent or breaking up the character parts so you take it in turns to read.
- 9. Have a discussion session on the child's reading book, using the content domain questions.

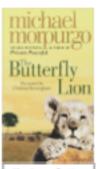
# 10. Encourage your child to read age appropriate books

# Challenge: 50 Books To Read By The End Of Year 3



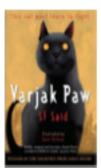
Chocolate Factory

Roald Dahl

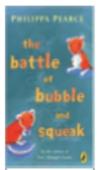


The Butterfly Lion

Michael Morpurgo



Varjak Paw SF Said



The Battle of **Bubble and** Squeak Philippa Pearce



How To Train Your Dragon

Cressida Cowell



Surf's Up

Kwame Alexander



Horrid Henry

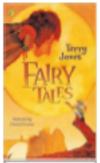
Francesca Simon



Alison Hubble

Allan Ahlberg and Bruce Ingham





Fairy Tales

Terry Jones



The Day I Swapped My Dad for Two Goldfish

Neil Gaiman



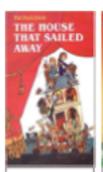
Cliffhanger

Jacqueline Wilson



Krindlekrax

Philip Ridley



The House That Salled Away

Pat Hutchins



The Adventures of the Wishing-Chair

Enid Blyton



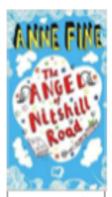
Fly, Eagle Fly! Christopher

Gregorowski



Gregory Cool

Caroline Birch



The Angel Of Nitshill Road

Anne Fine



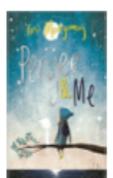
The Hodgeheg

Dick King-Smith



The Great Elephant Chase

Gillian Cross



Perijee and Me Ross Montgomery



The 13-Storey
Treehouse

Andy Griffiths



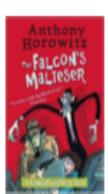
Goodly and Grave in A Bad Case of Kidnap

Justine Windsor



The Boy Who Went Magic

A.P. Winters



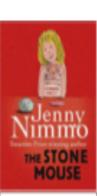
The Falcon's Malteser

Anthony Horowitz



The Green Ship

Quentin Blake



The Stone Mouse

Jenny Nimmo



The Tinderbox & Other Stories

Hans Christian Andersen



The Field Guide (Spiderwick Chronicles)

Tony DiTerlizzi



The Wolf's Footprint

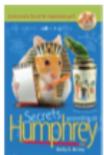
Susan Price



Erica's Elephant Sylvia Bishop



The Adventures of Captain Underpants Day Pilkey



Secrets According to Humphrey

Betty G. Birney



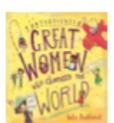
The Moonshine Dragon

Cornelia Funke



The Sticky Witch

Hillary Mckay



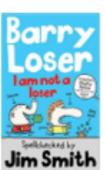
Fantastically Great Women Who Changed The World

Kate Pankhurst



The Sandwich Thief

Andre Marois



I Am Not A Loser

Jim Smith



Grade Nothing

Judy Blume



The Queen's Nose

Dick King-Smith



The Accidental Prime Minister

Tom McLaughlin



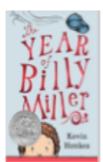
Smile

Geraldine McCaughrean



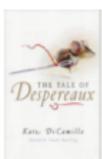
Harry the Poisonous Centipede

Lynne Reid Banks



The Year of Billy Miller

Kevin Henkes



The Tale of Despereaux

Kate DiCamillo



Your child's bookmark has a list of questions that can be used when reading together.

# Go Ape To Support Answering Questions

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ANSWER IT!	PROVE IT!	EXPLAIN IT!
What is the answer to the question you've been asked? Remember what you've read. Don't guess.	Choose a quotation that helped you answer the question. Remember to use inverted commas!	Why did that quotation help you answer the questions? Give as much detail as you can.
I think	For example	This implies
The writer	I know this because	This suggests that
In this text	The writer states that	This means you
I believe that	The text includes	This makes you realise
It is clear that	The character says	This creates a sense of
The speaker	For instance, the writer describesas	This makes the reader think/feel
The writer creates by	I get this impression because	This can be interpreted as
My opinion is	In theline/paragraph, it says	The effect of this is
The writer attempts to persuade the readerby	الانباء الانباء	



The more that you read,
The more things you will know.
The more that you learn,
The more places you'll go.
-Dr. Seuss

