

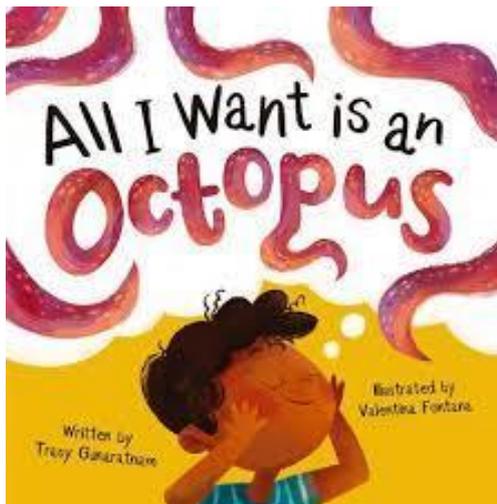
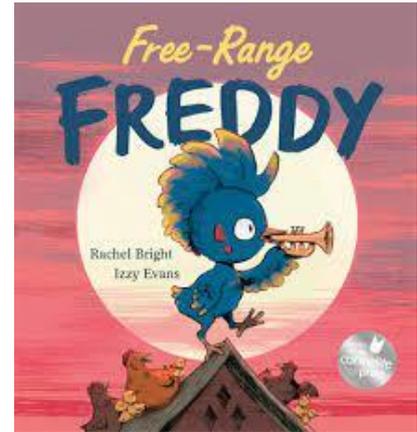


## Winklebury Federation Spring Term Book Recommendations

Spring into reading!

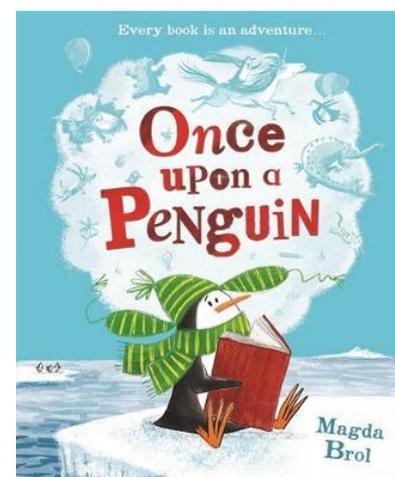
### Picture books

A newly-hatched chicken does not conform to normal chicken behaviour much to the distress of the other chickens. But Freddy shows them that being different is not so bad and can add some colour into everyone's life.



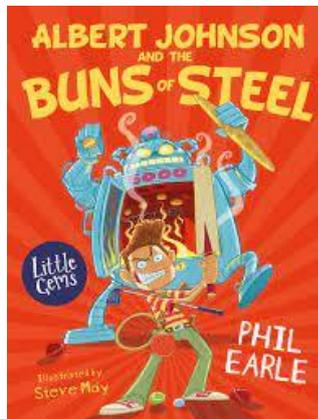
A little boy wants an octopus as his pet but his parents are not so keen. But will Gran be able to persuade them that octopi are very good house pets with many special skills.

Paco the penguin finds a strange object on his iceberg that turns out to be a book; and the penguins love it. So they decide to go off to find more, a journey that ends in a library! A delightful tale about the joys of reading and also how useful a library can be.



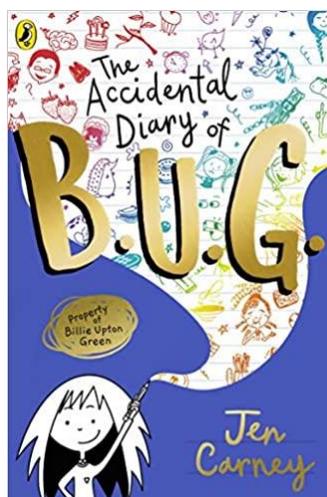
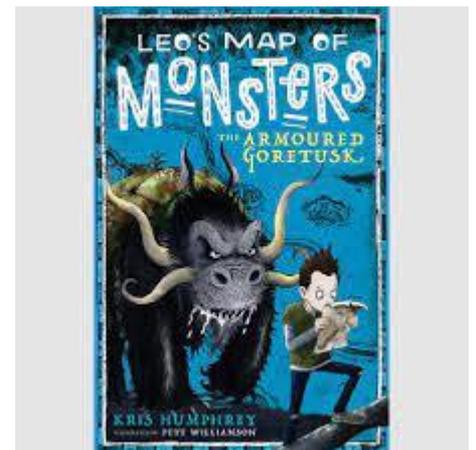


## Chapter books for younger readers



Albert loves sport but his Dad loves baking. When Dad gets a robot to help out in the bakery, all seems well until the robot malfunctions. Albert needs all his sporting prowess to stop the robot ruining everything.

On his ninth birthday, Leo is assigned as Apprentice to the Guardian. Armed only with a slingshot and a strange map, his role is to protect the village from the monsters that lurk in the surrounding forest. Leo's first mission is to do battle with an angry armoured goretusk heading straight for the village. An epic fantasy world for emerging readers with clear text and illustrations and a what next? For Beast Quest fans. First in this fantasy series.

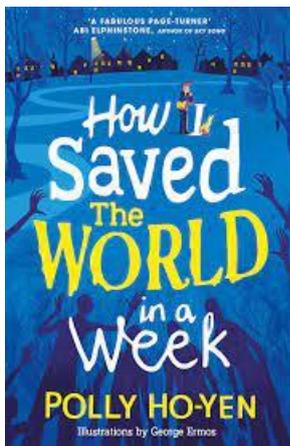
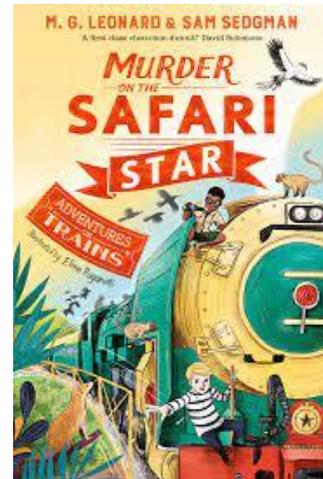


Welcome to Billie's world – her Mums are getting married and there is a new girl at school. However, Billie becomes suspicious of Janey's closeness to her best friend Layla and even suggests Janey is responsible for the theft of Mrs Robinson's purse. Written in a diary format full of hilarious observations, doodles and of course biscuits.



## Chapter books for older readers

A fabulous mystery set on a train travelling through South Africa. Can Harrison and his friend Winston solve the mystery of a dead body in a locked compartment? If you have enjoyed this, do try the other titles in the series



Billy's Mum is always teaching Billy survival skills, but he has no idea when he will need to use them. When his Mum goes into hospital, and Billy goes to live with his Dad, he realises that something strange is happening and he needs all of his skills to save himself and others. Will he be able to do it?

Olia's castle home is mysteriously threatened. To rescue it, she is drawn into a land full of tangled magic with a 'domovoi' fox for company. In this magical mixture of fairytales and Russian folklore, Olia learns to believe in magic and in her own courage and wisdom.



If you read any of these books, we'd love to hear what you think.

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