

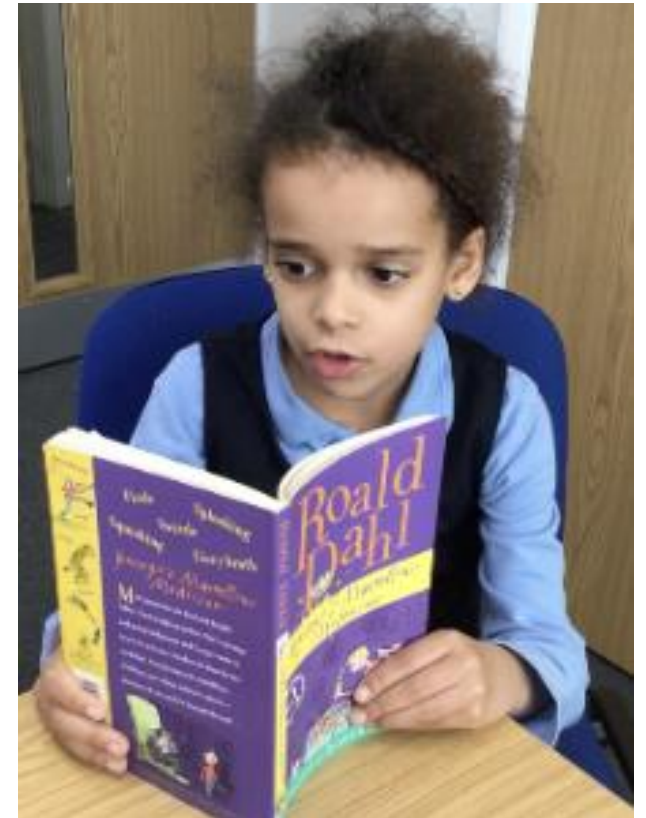


Performance Reading Progression



Reading at Aston St. Mary's

Reading is a key priority at Aston St. Mary's. Children begin to learn phonics as soon as they enter their Reception year. We follow the Little Wandle phonics programme which enables the children to make rapid progress and quickly gain reading fluency. Children are taught to read throughout the school during reading practice (or guided reading) sessions three times a week. These follow a similar structure throughout the school where the first session focuses on decoding and vocabulary, the second on prosody (reading in a 'performance voice') and the third session on comprehension of the text. Without a doubt, children at Aston St. Mary's love books and to read! We have a well-stocked library as well as reading corners within each classroom. We invest heavily in books in order to keep our stock current, relevant and engaging.





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Some of our favourite authors
include:

- Julia Donaldson
 - Jill Murphy
 - Janet and Allan Ahlberg
 - David McKee
 - Anthony Browne
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Year One



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- Julia Donaldson
- Aaron Becker
- Emily Hughes
- Mini Grey
- Mo Williams
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- Nicola Davies

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- Julia Donaldson
- Mairi Hedderwick
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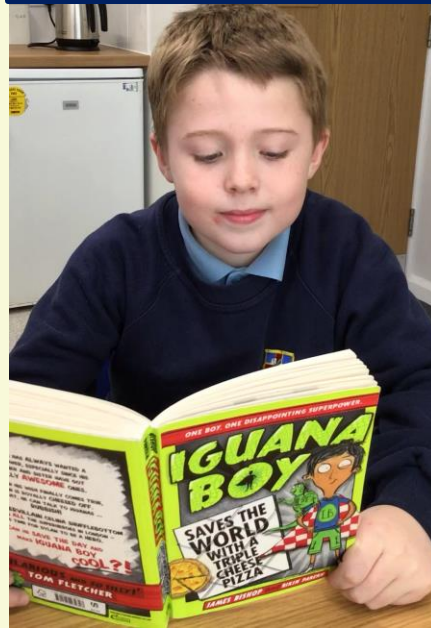
- David Walliams
- Dick King-Smith
- Joe Todd Stanton
- David Litchfield
- Roald Dahl

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- Liz Pichon
- Erin Hunter
- Andy Stanton
- Tom Palmer
- Harriet Muncaster
- Jeff Kinney
- Dan Green
- Andy Griffiths
- Hannah Gold

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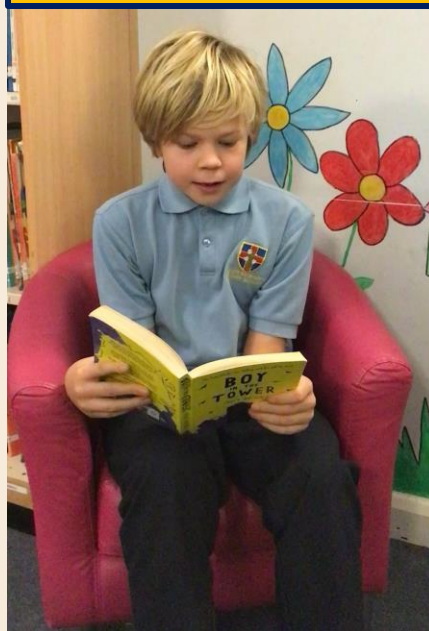
- C.S. Lewis
- Jacqueline Wilson
- Roald Dahl
- JK Rowling
- Terry Derry
- Michael Morpurgo
- Polly Ho Yen
- Enid Blyton

Year Six

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Some of our favourite authors include:

- Rick Riordan
- Emma Carroll
- Polly Ho Yen
- Eoin Colfer
- Morris Gleitzman
- Adi Sparkes
- JK Rowling
- Malorie Blackman
- Katya Balen
- Brian Selznick