



The selection of books in this list are a guide for children **aged 6-7 in Year 2** at school. The books range various genres to cover all interests. If your child is a competent reader or has read many of these titles then try the books from the Year 3 reading list.

Animals

- The Story of Babar, the Little Elephant - Jean De Brunhoff
- Mog Time Treasury: Six Stories about Mog the Forgetful Cat - Judith Kerr
- The Cat Who Lost its Purr - Michelle Coxon
- Choosing Crumble - Michael Rosen

Spooky/Mystery

- Jinnie Ghost - Berlie Doherty
- Gobbolino the Witch's Cat - Ursula Williams
- The Dunderheads - Paul Fleischman
- The Tear Thief - Carol Ann Duffy
- How to Live Forever - Colin Thompson
- The Jolly -Rogers and the Ghostly Galleon - Jonny Duddle

Humour

- The Day the Crayons Quit - Drew Daywatt
- Clarice Bean, That's Me - Lauren Child
- The Diary of a Killer Cat - Anne Fine
- Fungus the Bogeyman - Raymond Briggs
- Mrs Wobble the Waitress - Allan Ahlberg
- Pirate School: Just a Bit of Wind - Jeremy Strong

- *Uncle Gobb and the Dread Shed* - Michael Rosen
- *Fluff the Farting Fish* - Michael Rosen
- *Clever Polly and the Stupid Wolf* - Catherine Storr

History

Watt's Great Event Books:

- *The Great Fire of London*
- *Gun Powder Plot*
- *Battle of Hastings*
- *Coronation of Elizabeth II*

Watt's Famous People Series:

- *Florence Nightingale*
- *Louis Braille*
- *George Stephenson*
- *Thomas Edison*

Fantasy

- *Mr Majeika* - Humphrey Carpenter
- *Beaver Towers* - Nigel Hinton
- *I Was a Rat! Or, the Scarlet Slippers* - Philip Pullman
- *Nim's Island* - Wendy Orr
- *The Dragonsitter series* - Josh Lacey

Adventure/Action

- *The Adventures of Captain Underpants* - Dav Pilkey

- *The Man Whose Mother was a Pirate* - Margaret Mahy
- *Mr Wolf's Pancakes* - Jan Fearnley
- *Press Here* - Herve Tullet
- *The Penderwicks* - Jeanne Birdsall
- *Frightened Fred* - Peta Coplans
- *Flat Stanley* - Jeff Brown
- *The Heart and the Bottle* - Oliver Jeffers

Well-loved Authors

- *Emily's Legs* - Dick King-Smith
- *The Guard Dog* - Dick King-Smith
- *The Magic Finger* - Roald Dahl
- *The Giraffe and the Pelly and Me* - Roald Dahl
- *The Enchanted Wood* - Enid Blyton
- *The Snow Lady* - Shirley Hughes