

Year 5 Reading Entitlement Texts



At Bulphan we aim to create a love of reading in all children. Below are texts that teachers will base their reading sessions on. Children will read these texts as a class, individually or in a small group, and complete activities based upon these using their wider reading skills.

Title	Author
Blabbermouth- Morris Gleitzman is an English-born Australian author of children's and young adult fiction.	Morris Gleitzman
There's a boy in the girls' bathroom- A fifth-grade bully named Bradley improves his behaviour and attitude after opening up to an adult and responding to the intervention of a school counsellor.	Louis Sanchar
Why the Whales Came- A story rich in mystery and superstition	Michael Morpurgo
Stig of the Dump- A classic tale of two boys, who are complete opposites, become friends	Clive King
Stormbreaker- The sharp writing and the cliff-hanging chapters make an engrossing page turner.	Anthony Horowitz
The Boy with the Butterfly Mind (Kelpies)- Maybe there's no such thing as normal, or perfect. And perhaps, just like families, happy-ever-afters come in all shapes and sizes. Uplifting and moving, this is an inspiring story of acceptance, blended families, and discovering that in the end, being yourself is more than enough.	Victoria Williamson
Lion Boy- A fantasy adventure	Louisa Young
Tom's Midnight Garden- Beautiful, haunting book of the time travel of a young boy. The story takes place in England in the 1950's.	Philippa Pearce
The Secret Garden – a classic	Frances Hodgson-Burnett
War horse – Joey tells a powerful story of the truest friendships surviving in terrible times. One horse has seen the best and the worst of humanity. The power of war and the beauty of peace. This is his story.	Michael Morpurgo
Boy- Tales of Childhood is an autobiographical book by British writer Roald Dahl. This book describes his life from birth until leaving school, focusing on living conditions in Britain in the 1920s and 1930s, the public-school system at the time, and how his childhood experiences led him to writing as a career	Roald Dahl