**Recommended Reading List 5th Class**

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| **Title** | **Author** | **Significant Information** |
| The 39 Clues  |  | A series of adventure novels written by a collaboration of authors. |
| Alex Rider  | Anthony Horowitz  | A series of spy novels. |
| Impossible Boy | Ben Brooks |  |
| Chronicles of Narnia  | C.S. Lewis  | Series.  |
| Young Bond Series | Charlie Higson / Stephen Cole  | Series.  |
| Moone Boy | Chris O’Dowd |  |
| The Saga of Darren Shan | Darren Shan | Series.  |
| Dog Man | Dav Pilkey |  |
| Captain Underpants | Dav Pilkey  |  |
|  | David Walliams  | Recommended author.  |
| Mr. Stink: The Wild Robot  | David Walliams | Series about a robot stuck on an island.  |
| Monster of Buckingham Palace | David Walliams  |  |
| Skulduggery Pleasant  | Derrick Landy | Series |
| Rugby Books  | Gerard Siggins  | Rugby series.  |
| Adam Starling  | Gillian Perdue  |  |
| Gordon’s Game  | Gordan D’arcy& Paul Howard |  |
|  | Holly Webb | Anything by this author.  |
| Harry Potter | J.K. Rowling  | Series.  |
| Fantastic Beasts & Where to Find Them  | J.K. Rowling  |  |
| Diary of a Wimpy Kid  | Jeff Kinney | Series.  |
| Boy in the Striped Pyjamas  | John Boyne |  |
| A Sea of Stars  | Kate Maryon | Series.  |
| A Million Angels  | Kate Maryon |  |
| Tom Gates Books | Liz Pichon | Series. Similar to ‘I Am Not a Loser’ by Jim Smith  |
| Under the Hawthorn Tree  | Marita Conlon McKenna  | Historical Novel of Famine times.  |
| A Girl Called Blue | Marita Conlon McKenna  |  |
| Fields of Home | Marita Conlon McKenna  | Historical Novel of Famine times.  |
|  | Maz Evans  | Recommended author.  |
| Alone Across the Wide, Wide Sea  | Michael Morpurgo  | When orphaned Arthur Hobhouse is shipped to Australia after WW II |
| Wonder  | R.J. Palacio  | A child with facial deformities faces every day challenges as he attends school. |
| Dork Diaries  | [Rachel Renee Russell](https://www.google.ie/search?safe=strict&q=Rachel+Ren%C3%A9e+Russell&stick=H4sIAAAAAAAAAOPgE-LSz9U3SMnJyjE3U4KxUzLStOSzk630k_Lzs_VzMktSixKLKuOLU4syU4utEktLMvKLANM4SBA7AAAA&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjzrN6GlN3XAhViDMAKHbeNBScQmxMItwMoATAb) | Series |
| The Heroes of Olympus Books | Rick Riordan | Series. Themes of magic & fantasy  |
| Percy Jackson & the Greek Gods  | Rick Riordan  |  |
| Charlie and the Chocolate Factory  | Roald Dahl |  |
| Horrible Histories  | Terry Deary | Series.  |