# Forty Hill recommended book list: Age 6-8

# The Enchanted Wood

by Enid Blyton

Egmont

When Joe, Beth and Frannie move into a new home, they discover a mysterious wood on their very doorstep.

### Five on a Treasure Island

**by Enid Blyton** Hodder

Meet Enid Blyton's most famous characters - Julian, Dick, Anne, George and of course the ever-loyal Timmy the dog

### <u>A Bear Called Paddington</u>

#### by Michael Bond

HarperCollins Children's Books

Paddington, the brown bear from darkest Peru, is found by the Brown family on Paddington Station with his hat, duffel coat and marmalade sandwiches.

### <u>The Milly-Molly-Mandy Storybook</u>

by Joyce Lankester Brisley Macmillan

Milly-Molly-Mandy lives with her mother, father, uncle, aunt, grandmother and grandfather in a 'nice white cottage with a thatched roof'.

### Flat Stanley

by Jeff Brown Egmont

Stanley Lambchop wakes up one morning to find he is only half an inch thick.

## Clarice Bean, That's Me

by Lauren Child

Orchard Books

Clarice Bean gives us a snapshot of her life and family in the book that launched a bestselling series.

# That Rabbit Belongs to Emily Brown

#### by Cressida Cowell

Orchard Books

Emily and her toy rabbit, Stanley, love to go on adventures together.



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# The BFG

by Roald Dahl

Puffin

The BFG stands for Big Friendly Giant, who unexpectedly spirits a little girl named Sophie out of bed, and into the land of the child-eating giants.

# <u>The Story of Babar</u>

### by Jean De Brunhoff

Egmont

' In the great forest, a litle elephant was born. His name was Babar...'

### My Naughty Little Sister

#### by Dorothy Edwards

Egmont

This affectionate portrait of family life is the story of a naughty three-year-old sister who is obstinate, inquisitive and full of mischief.

## Asterix the Gaul

#### by René Goscinny

Orion

In a tiny corner of Brittany, one small village of indomitable Gauls hold out against the almighty, all-conquering Romans.

## Amazing Grace

by Mary Hoffman & Caroline Binch Frances Lincoln

This classic story clearly communicates an inspiring message that anything is possible

# Finn Family Moomintroll

#### by Tove Jansson

Puffin Books

Moomintroll is cheerful and chubby and lives in the magical Moominvalley with his mother, Moominmamma, his father, Moominpappa and all of their friends.

### The Queen's Nose

**by Dick King-Smith** Puffin

Harmony's Uncle Ginger sends her on a treasure trail - which ends in finding a 50p piece.













## **The Sheep-Pig**

#### by Dick King-Smith

Puffin

When Farmer Hogget wins a piglet at the fair, he is amazed that Fly, his sheep-dog, welcomes him as one of her own pups.

### **Diary of a Wimpy Kid**

#### by Jeff Kinney

Puffin

Greg Heffley is a normal American kid, albeit one with a habit of getting into (and out of) trouble.

### Pippi Longstocking

#### by Astrid Lindgren

**Oxford University Press** 

Follow Pippi Longstocking on her amazing adventures as she moves into Villa Villekulla with a horse, a monkey, and a big suitcase of gold coins.

### Winnie-the-Pooh

#### by A A Milne

Egmont Books

No child's library could be complete without A A Milne's stories about Pooh, Christopher Robin and their friends in the Hundred Acre Wood.

### **The Worst Witch**

#### by Jill Murphy

Puffin

Long before Harry Potter first went to Hogwarts, trainee witch Mildred Hubble embarked on life at Miss Cackle's Academy for Witches...

### The True Story of the Three Little Pigs

### by Jon Scieszka & Lane Smith Puffin

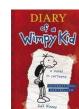
What really happened to the three little pigs and the big bad wolf? Find out the truth in this hilarious picture book.

### **Horrid Henry**

#### by Francesca Simon & Tony Ross

**Orion Children's Books** 

Stories about naughty characters have been told for centuries, and Horrid Henry is a modern-day rogue in the tradition of Dennis the Menace and Just William.











### The Arrival

### by Shaun Tan

Hodder Children's Books

In this unusual book, we follow a young man as he packs his bags and leaves his family to go and start a new life in another country.

## <u>Charlotte's Web</u>

#### by E B White

Puffin

This is the tale of how a little girl named Fern - with the help of a friendly talking spider called Charlotte - saved her pig, Wilbur, from the usual fate of nice fat little pigs.

### Little House in the Big Woods

**by Laura Ingalls Wilder** Egmont

Inside the little house live the Ingalls family: Ma, Pa, Mary, Laura and baby Carrie.

## <u>Mister Magnolia</u>

by Quentin Blake Red Fox

Mr Magnolia has many things - but only one boot.





