



February 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

WORLD BOOK DAY Challenge!

On Thursday 2nd March 2023, we will be celebrating World Book Day. One of our aligned passions is to help develop our children's reading for pleasure habits. World Book Day® state, "Reading for pleasure is a vital indicator of a child's future success – more than their family circumstances, their parents' educational background or their income."

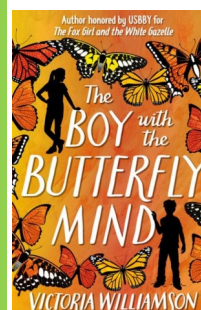
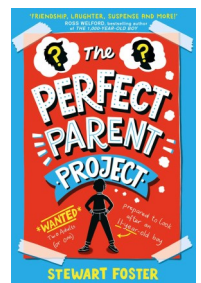
In order to help promote this, I would like you to **share a story with your family**. I will be posting an assignment on Google Classroom where you will be able to upload your photos so that we can show them on our digital library display. Please check the assignment for further details.

Many Thanks

Mr Rizzo



All Sam wants is a family of his own, a home instead of a 'house' and parents he knows will still be there when he wakes up. Because Sam has been in and out of foster care his whole life and he can't imagine ever feeling like he truly belongs.



When Jamie and Elin's families blend, the polar opposites of chaotic Jamie and ordered Elin collide. As their lives spiral out of control, Jamie and Elin discover that they're actually more alike than they'd admit. Maybe there's no such thing as normal, or perfect. And perhaps, just like families, happy-ever-afters come in all shapes and sizes.

First the accident, then the nightmares. The shadowy thief steals all the colours from Izzy's world leaving her feeling empty and hopeless. Will her new neighbour and a nest full of cygnets save Izzy and solve the mystery of the colour thief? A heartwarming story about families, friendships, school, nature, hope and self-confidence.



KS1 Author of the Month

Alison Brown



Amazing Mum

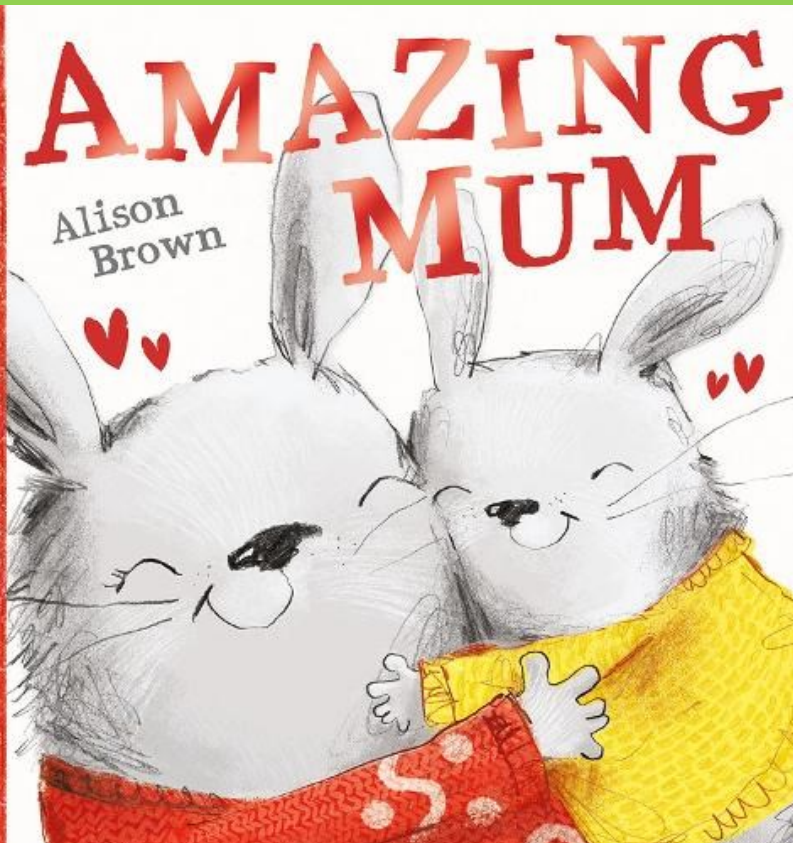
A pitch-perfect rhyming celebration of mums!

Amazing mums are all around!

They are chatty, practical, funny, sporty . . . and everything between.

Mums find your lost treasures. They celebrate your achievements. They love us no matter what.

Discover the ULTIMATE inclusive celebration of the mums and care-givers, packed full of irresistible, aw-factor artwork and a heart-warming rhyming text.



KS2 Author of the Month

Ian Mark



Monster Hunting (Monsters Bite Back)

When the monsters start misbehaving it's a monster hunter's job to sort them out!

In their second adventure Jack, his best friend Nancy and Stoop (a grumpy, 200-year-old monster hunter) head up to Scotland after reports of some mysterious monsters causing chaos in an ancient abbey. And maybe they'll even get a glimpse of Nessie! But when they get there they find some obstacles in their path – whether that's the fog goblins, disgruntled ghosts, some very odd loch monsters and even a rival monster hunting agency.



People often ask me: "Jack, what are the scariest monsters you've ever faced?"

They call me Jack because that's my name, and it would be silly to call me anything else.

They ask me about monsters because, well, I'm a monster hunter.

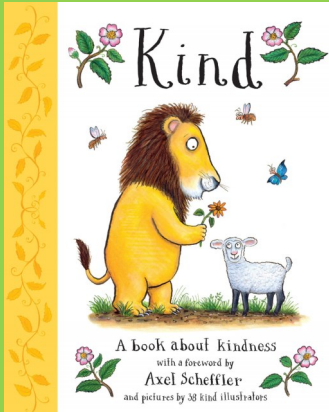
Don't laugh.

You don't have to be big or strong to fight monsters. If you did, I wouldn't be doing it. Monster hunters come in all shapes and sizes.

I found that out when a little man with a big beard called Stoop made me his apprentice, after I somehow . . . accidentally . . . I'm still not sure how . . . defeated an Ogre in single combat. It's all explained in my first

Monthly Recommended Reads

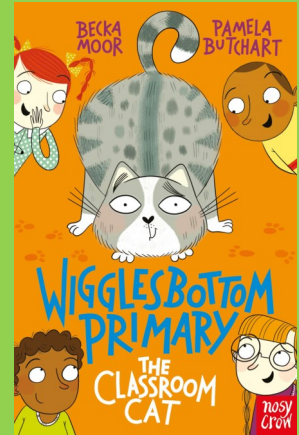
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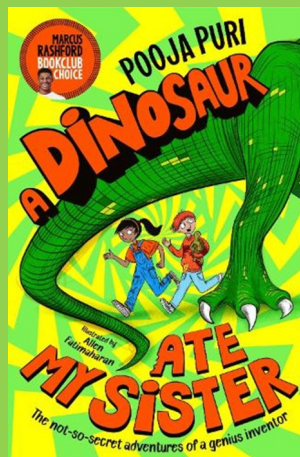
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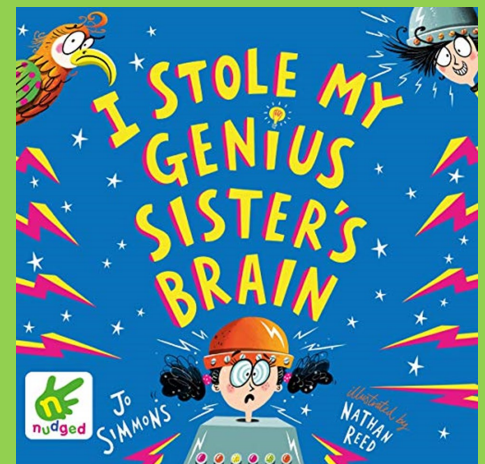
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