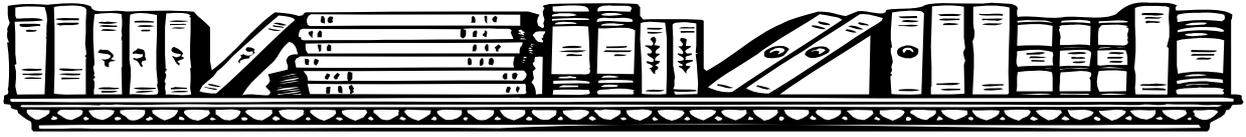


## Books! Books! Books! for Year 5



*The following list will help 5<sup>th</sup> graders and parents identify books and authors that are just RIGHT!!!! for 5th graders to read or for parents and children to read together.*

*There are all sorts of levels, some easy-to-read stories and some harder, but I'm sure you'll find something that is just right for you.*

*All these books are in our Korowal School library, so ask for help if you can't find it for yourself.*

A "log" is a journal or a diary.

Try keeping a log of all the books you read. You can print off the "log" page at the end of the booklist. Fill in the titles, authors and your rating of the story and hand it in to Fran or Kathi when you have read 10!

### Author

Antle, Nancy

### Title

**The Longest War**, The Vietnam War haunts 12 year old Lisa Grey. Her father died and her mother still suffers flashbacks.

Banks, Lyne Reid

**The Indian in the Cupboard Series-** Indian in the Cupboard, Return of the Indian, Secret of the Indian.

Clark, Margaret

**Shorts Series-** Footy Shorts,

Cresswell, Helen

**The Bagthorpe Series** follows poor old Jack Bagthorpe. It's so hard to be ordinary when the rest of your family is utterly brilliant. Only Uncle

Crossley-Holland, Kevin	Parker understands, but can his madcap plan really help Jack to be brilliant? <b>Arthur, The Seeing Stone</b> The first in the Arthur trilogy, the story follows young Arthur De Caldicot, who discovers his namesake the boy King Arthur in his seeing stone. Evokes the reality of daily life in the Middle Ages.
Dahl, Roald Ellis, Deborah	<b>Charlie and the Chocolate Factory</b> <b>Parvana</b> Imagine living in a country where women are not allowed to leave the house without a man, or have to wear clothes that cover every part of your body. Parvana is forced to dress like a boy to trade in the markets when her father is taken to prison.
Forrestal, Elaine Garner, Alan Gleitzman, Morris	<b>Someone like me</b> <b>The Weirdstone of Brisingamen</b> <b>Toad Rage</b> , Limpy knows humans hate cane toads. He sets out to prove that cane toads are really nice and stop his family from ending up as placemats.
Harris, Christine Honey, Elizabeth Jacques, Brian	<b>Widdershins</b> <b>Don't pat the Wombat!</b> <b>Tales of Redwall series-</b> Martin the Warrior, Mossflower, Outcast of Redwall, Mariel of Redwall.
Joseph, Vivienne Jennings, Paul	<b>Raindancer</b> <b>Tongue-Tied, Unbelievable, Uncanny, Undone, Unreal</b>
Lansdown, Andrew	<b>Dragonfox</b> , the sequel to <b>With my Knife</b> , tells about the comeback the dragons have planned just when Colyn thinks his adventures are all over.

Lewis, C.S.

**The Narnia Series**-Be sure to Read the **Magician's Nephew** first, and then the world-famous classic **The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe**

Marsden, John

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Mc Skimming, Geoffrey

**Cairo Jim Series** Follow the well known archaeologist and little known poet **Cairo Jim** and friends in search of lost treasures, amid lots of treachery and mystery.

Measday, Stephen

**Roger Bacon Reporting** Roger Bacon is a talking pig, but he's also the world's first pig reporter. Follow him as he tries to get a big scoop and also survive.

Midlam, Amanda

**The Genie from Down Under**

Mitchell, Elaine

**The Silver Brumby Series**, follows the beautiful cream stallion **Thowra** through his life in the beautiful Australian **Snowy Mountains** in, **The Silver Brumby**, **Silver Brumby's daughter**, **Silver Brumbies of the South**, **Silver brumby Kingdom**.

Nimmo, Jenny

**The Snow Spider**

Norton, Mary

**Bedknob and Broomstick**

Rodda, Emily

**The Borrowers**

**Finders Keepers**, Patrick is excited when his computer invites him to be a contestant in a million-dollar TV game show called **Finders Keepers**, and discovers the world beyond the barrier.

Rockwell, Thomas

**How To Eat Fried Worms**

Rowling, J.K

**Harry Potter Series**, Follows **Harry**, **Hermione** and **Ron** in their magical wizarding adventures.

Rudtis, Paul

**Sabrina the Teenage Witch-Topsy-Turvy**

Snicket, Lemony

A Series of Unfortunate Events- The Reptile Room

Van Draanen

Sammy Keyes series- Sammy Keyes is a small investigator who tries to solve any number of wacky problems. Sammy Keyes and the skeleton man, Sammy Keyes and the Hotel thief

Wagner, Jenny

The Nimbin Phillipa's boring summer holiday turns into a troublesome time when she adopts a little creature called a Nimbin, who has a bag temper and enormous appetite.

White, E.B.

Charlottes Web

Wrede, Patricia C.

Dragonsbane

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