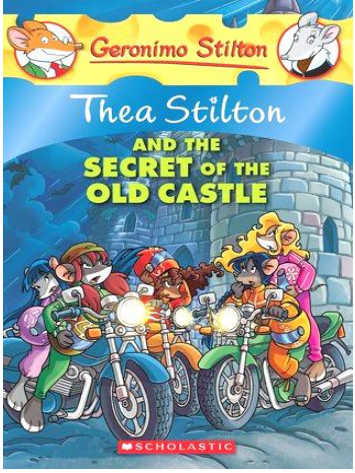
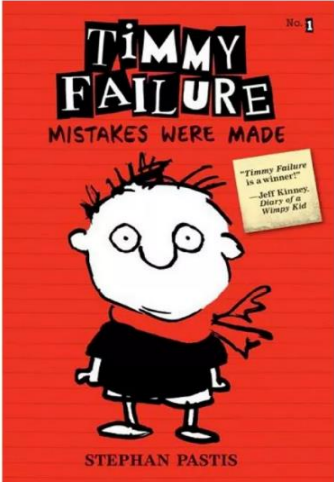


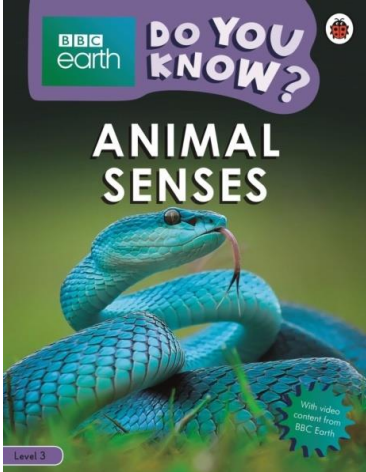

Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Ms Winnie So	
Subject	English	
Title	Thea Stilton and the secret of the old castle	
Author	Thea Stilton	
Publisher	Scholastic Inc.	
ISBN	9780545341073	
Audience	P.4-5	
Synopsis	<p>One day at school, Bridget tells Violet with a worried face that she has to return to Scotland for a family mission. Later on, Violet receives a text message from Bridget calling for help. The Thea Sisters immediately set off to look for their friend.</p> <p>Along the way, they encounter legends, have to solve cryptic messages and find hidden treasure, which make the trip so exciting!</p> <p>So, what has actually happened and what is the secret of the old castle? Find out by yourself and share it with your friends and teachers! 😊</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>This book is very interesting, with detailed description of each unique character, which makes them sound like your familiar friends.</p> <p>Besides, you will gain cultural and history knowledge about Scotland.</p> <p>Additionally, the book is written in fun fonts and coloured words, so as to highlight emotion, as well as to increase tension and fun. You may check out those coloured words and add them into your word banks – a lot of them are useful for English writing, reading comprehension and story telling! Enjoy! 😊</p>	

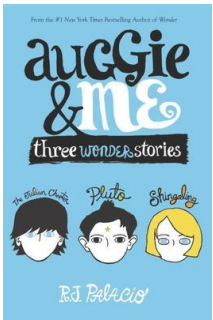
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Miss Tsang On Kee	
Subject	English	
Title	Timmy Failure - Mistakes were Made	
Author	Stephan Pastis	
Publisher	Walker Books	
ISBN	9781406339819	
Audience	P.4-6	
Synopsis	<p>Timmy Failure, founder of the 'best' detective agency in town - Total Failure, Inc. With the help of his polar bear Total, the clueless, comically self-confident Timmy already has plans for world domination. Plans that will make his mother rich and unpaid bills a thing of the past.</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>The characters were funny and the storyline was outstanding. This is a very cute graphic novel following the kid detective Timmy Failure. Timmy, the other characters, and the situations they got themselves into were all humorous. This is a book that anyone with a good sense of humor will enjoy at any age.</p>	

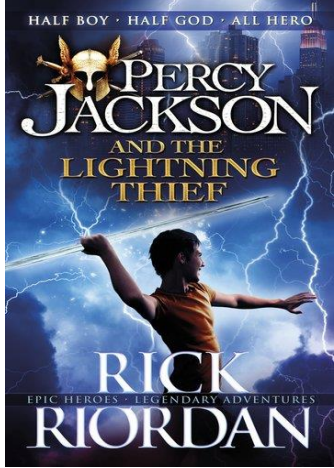
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Miss Chan (陳曼琪老師)	
Subject	English	
Title	Animal Senses	
Author	Ladybird	
Publisher	Ladybird	
ISBN	9780241355770	
Audience	P.1-3	
Synopsis	<p>Animals and insects can possess incredible abilities. Their body parts and special characteristics help them see, smell, hear, taste or touch better than other living things. These senses are useful for animals to look for food and stay safe.</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>Animals and insects may have senses drastically different from us humans. After reading this book, I think I would like to be an octopus. I would have eight tentacles and a lot of suckers to help me do many things as the same time.</p> <p>What animal would you like to be? Read this book to find out more about the "superpowers" of different animal species!</p> 	

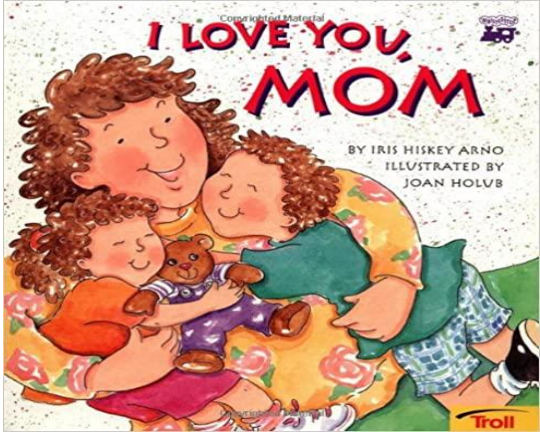
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Ms Mak Ngai Yin	
Subject	English	
Title	Auggie & Mel : Three Wonder Stories	
Author	R. J. Palacio	
Publisher	Random House Children's Books	
ISBN	9781101934852	
Audience	P.5-6	
Synopsis	<p>August "Auggie" Pullman is a fifth-grade boy living in North River Heights in upper Manhattan. He has an extremely rare medical facial difference, and a cleft palate. Due to numerous surgeries, Auggie had been home-schooled by his mother, but his parents decided to enroll him in a private school. Then, series of events happened in school.</p> <p><i>Auggie & Me: Three Wonder Stories</i> adds a few more views to the storyline of the lives of Auggie and his friends. The three stories included in this collection are from different points of view; Julian's (the guy who bullied August), Christopher's (his childhood best friend) and Charlotte's (one of his schoolmates). Is Julian a bully? Is Christopher right to hide Auggie from his new friends? Is Charlotte 'nice' enough to August? Together, these three stories form a treasure for readers who don't want to leave Auggie behind when they finish <i>Wonder</i>.</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p><i>Auggie & Me: Three Wonder Stories</i> is a companion book to the author's bestseller <i>Wonder</i> which is one of my favorites. I was impressed by the different points of view because it told the same story, just from different people. Some people viewed Auggie in a positive way, and some viewed Auggie in a negative way. I also enjoyed the plot. Just like in the first book, Auggie has changed so much over one school year. He became more confident and loved by everyone, regardless of his differences. Even as an adult, I am inspired by Auggie too! The book is a great mixture of funny and serious. The main idea of <i>Auggie & Me: Three Wonder Stories</i> is that the inside is what matters. Even though Auggie has some physical differences that make him look different from everyone else, his personality is great. Sometimes it takes a little while to look past outward appearances, but when you do, you might find someone magical on the inside.</p>	

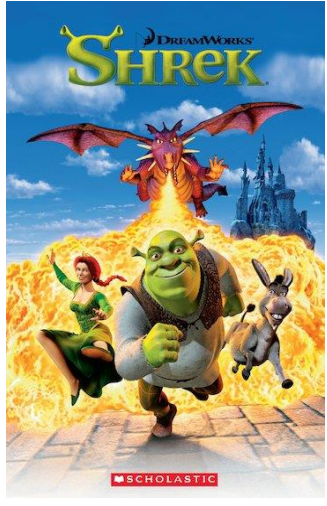
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Miss Chau Kwok Yuen, Adige	
Subject	English	
Title	<i>Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief</i>	
Author	Rick Riordan	
Publisher	Puffin	
ISBN	9780141346809	
Audience	P.5-6	
Synopsis	<p>Percy Jackson thinks he is just a bad kid until he learns he is the son of Poseidon, the god of the sea. But he soon finds out, that Zeus' master bolt has been stolen and he's the top suspect. He then goes on a dangerous quest filled with mythological monsters to find the true thief in order to avoid a war between the gods.</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>This book has a creative and suspenseful story line and attaching characters. We meet Percy Jackson, a hero destined to save the world and many mythological monsters. I am sure when you start reading this book you wouldn't be able to put it down until you finish it.</p> <p>The imaginary story takes place in a world where modern day and ancient Greek mythology are mixed together in a hilarious chain of events. The tale also has a touch of mystery, letting us solve "riddles" in a race against the book's characters. The wonderful news is: it has been made into an action-packed movie!</p> <p>I recommend this book to anyone who enjoys fantasy, adventure and thriller genres. It's written for teenagers but it's definitely not limited to teenagers. Go to the library to grab the book while you can!</p>	

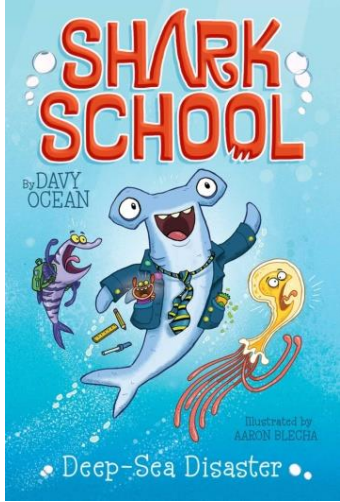
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Miss Li Kwok Yan	
Subject	English	
Title	I LOVE YOU, MOM	
Author	Iris Hiskey Arno	
Publisher	Troll	
ISBN	9780816744404	
Audience	P.3-4	
Synopsis	<p>Do you like Mom? If so, this book is the story you can't miss! This is a delightful book which shows you the effort Mom has done for you! You should show respect to Mom after reading this book!</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>I LOVE YOU, MOM describes the different kinds of jobs every mom can have. Kids shouldn't understand how hard to be great moms! Mothers who work at home have to take really good care of their kids or families. Some of the mothers in this book have some non-traditional jobs. How can moms get done their jobs perfectly and beautifully? Read this book to find out!</p>	

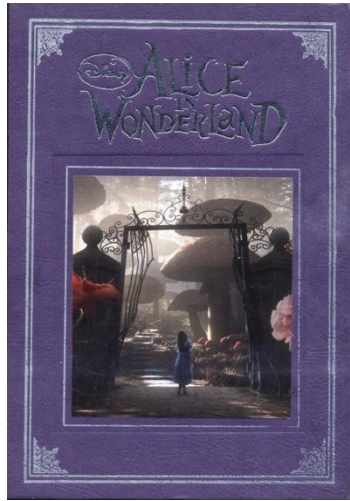
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Miss Wong Yeuk Sze, Grace	
Subject	English	
Title	<i>Shrek</i>	
Author	Adapted by 'Dreamworks'	
Publisher	Scholastic	
ISBN	9781906861230	
Audience	P.3-4	
Synopsis	<p>When Shrek's swamp becomes overrun with fairytale characters, he is less than happy. To get his home back to normal, Shrek agrees to help Lord Farquaad to save a princess. But once Shrek meets Princess Fiona, he starts to change his mind!</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>This Shrek Popcorn ELT Reader is based on the first film of Shrek. It has a fun, creative story line and interesting characters. We meet Shrek, the terrible ogre, who goes out into the world to find adventure and along the way meets a witch, a knight in armor, a dragon, and finally an ugly princess, who is even uglier than he is!</p> <p>I recommend this book to anyone who enjoys fantasy and adventure storybooks. It is written for young children in Primary 3 and Primary 4. Go to the library to get the book now! You would love reading the story for sure!</p>	

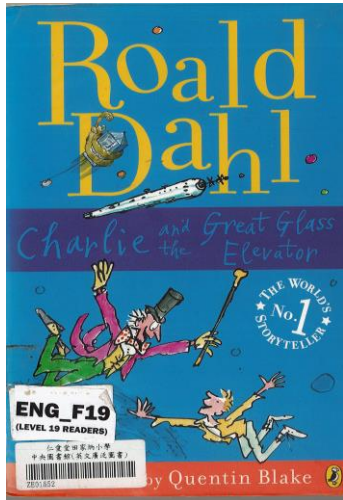
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Miss Leung Wing Yee	
Subject	English	
Title	Shark School	
Author	Davy Ocean	
Publisher	Simon & Schuster	
ISBN	9781481406789	
Audience	P.4-5	
Synopsis	<p>Harry Hammer is not one of the cool sharks. He's a boring, goofy-looking hammerhead, and he would give his right fin to be as terrifying as a great white shark or as speedy as a blue shark.</p> <p>But when a class trip to a spooky shipwreck turns dangerous, Harry is determined once and for all to prove that he's as tough as any shark in the sea. Harry learns a lesson that all school-age children need to learn about being themselves and doing what is right even when others do not. Harry and his friends find themselves in danger on a field trip when they don't follow the rules; but Harry saves the day and realizes that he is a better shark than he thought.</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>This first book in a series of easy chapter books is cleverly illustrated with funny, cartoon, pencil drawings and interesting facts about sharks. You are introduced to Harry Hammer, the main character, and his insecurities about not being tough, attractive, or cool. Although the writing is simple and sprinkled with elementary humor, you will find this book easy to read and entertaining. If you like reading adventure stories, borrow this book and you will find it really interesting.</p>	

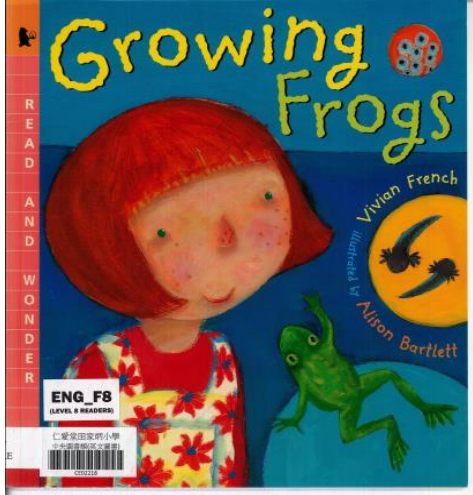
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Miss Cheung Ching Man	
Subject	English	
Title	<i>Alice in Wonderland</i>	
Author	T. T. Sutherland	
Publisher	Disney Press	
ISBN	9781484776421	
Audience	P.5-6	
Synopsis	<p>Join Alice as she disappears down a rabbit hole one more time and emerges in the topsy-turvy world of Wonderland! Curious happenings punctuate Alice's journey, including wild encounters with the Red Queen, the Mad Hatter, the Jabberwocky, and many others!</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>I recommend this book for teenager readers. The story is funny and familiar to everyone. It is awesome though some parts are a bit different from the movie to the book but it is still interesting.</p> <p>Alice is basically a brave girl who meets lots of cartoon characters and knows how to solve problems. This is worth reading. Absolutely amazing story and has a great moral. If you are interested in reading this book, go to our library and borrow it. I recommend this book to anyone who enjoys fantasy and adventure storybooks. It is suitable for students in P.5 and P.6. You would love reading the story for sure!</p>	

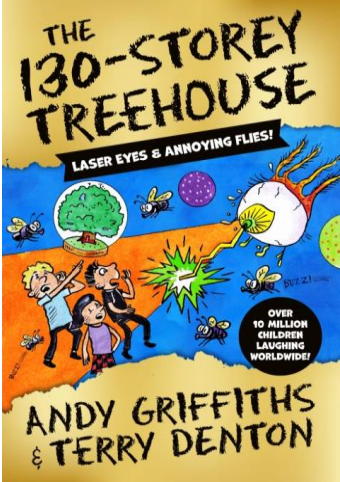
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Miss Cheng Chi Huen	
Subject	English	
Title	Charlie and the Great Glass Elevator	
Author	Roald Dahl	
Publisher	Quentin Blake	
ISBN	9780241327333	
Audience	P.5-6	
Synopsis	<p>Charlie Bucket has won Willy Wonka's chocolate factory and is on his way to take possession of it. In a great glass elevator! But when the elevator makes a fearful whooshing noise, Charlie and his family find themselves in splendid orbit around the Earth. A daring adventure has begun, with the one and only Mr Willy Wonka leading the way.</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>The book is suitable for upper primary students. The author tells a fantasy-filled story with space aliens, strange worlds and stranger people. There is a bit of moralizing. Some lessons children will be able to pick up easily, while some of them are more subtle.</p> <p>The book is full of illustrations by Quentin Blake. There could be several drawings in just one five page chapter. Blake's characters are full of energy. There is not much detail in his drawings, but the frenetic quality matches the whimsical storytelling.</p>	

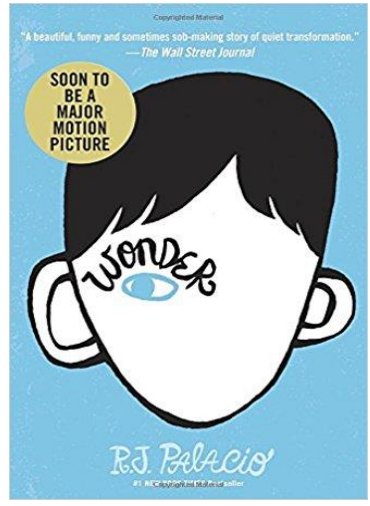
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Miss Tam So Kwan	
Subject	English	
Title	Growing Frogs	
Author	Vivian French	
Publisher	Learning Loft Ltd	
ISBN	9780763620523	
Audience	P.3	
Synopsis	<p>This story is about a little girl who collects frog spawn from a neighboring pond. The little girl experiences an exciting and amphibious adventure when she grows frogs. Besides, you can learn the life cycle of frogs.</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>I like this book very much because we can see the wonderful natural world. It is a glorious experience if you raise your frogs. From frog spawn, tadpoles and frogs, it is a journey of discovery.</p>	


Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Ms Lee Nga Yu	
Subject	English	
Title	The 130-Storey Treehouse	
Author	Andy Griffiths and Terry Denton	
Publisher	Macmillan	
ISBN	9781529017922	
Audience	P.4-6	
Synopsis	<p>Andy and Terry lived in a 130-storey treehouse. It used to be a 117-storey treehouse, but they have added 13 new levels to it, including a soup bubble blaster, a time-wasting level, a grabinator which can grab anything from anywhere at any time, a 13-storey igloo, a toilet paper factory and an extraterrestrial observation centre for observing aliens.</p> <p>The story was about how Andy, Terry and Jill got abducted by a giant flying eyeball from outer space, fought in an intergalactic death battle, saved all the blobs on Blobdromeda from the belly of mud-sucking bog toad and got rid of the most annoying fly on Earth at the end.</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>The 130-Storey Treehouse is extremely entertaining and visually amusing. I enjoy reading the book a lot and cannot help reading till the end. The plot is fascinating and the pace is fast. Andy and Jill were abducted by a giant flying eyeball from outer space. At first, they were excited to go for an intergalactic space adventure. However, as soon as they arrived on Planet Eyeballia, they discovered it was not fun at all as they were forced to join the intergalactic death battle. They had an extraordinary adventure.</p> <p>Moreover, the book is full of cartoonish illustrations which capture every twist and funny moment. It helps readers to understand the story more easily.</p> <p>This book is full of fun, laughter, humor and silliness. I laugh out loud while reading. I highly recommend this book to all of you. Read and find out if Andy, Terry and Jill are able to escape and get back to Earth safely!</p>	

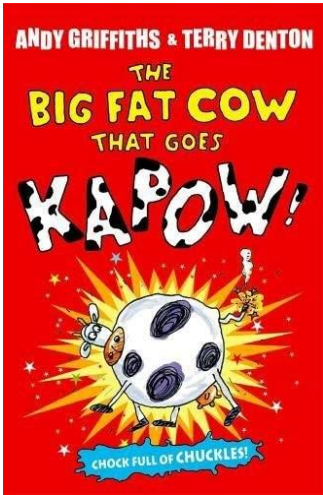
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Ms Mak Ngai Yin	
Subject	English	
Title	Wonder	
Author	R. J. Palacio	
Publisher	Alfred A. Knopf	
ISBN	9780375869020	
Audience	P.5-6	
Synopsis	<p>August "Auggie" Pullman is a fifth-grade boy living in North River Heights in upper Manhattan. He has an extremely rare medical facial difference, and a cleft palate. Due to numerous surgeries, Auggie had been home-schooled by his mother, but his parents decided to enroll him in a private school.</p> <p>Then, series of events happened in school. At the year's end, at the graduation ceremony, Auggie is awarded the "Henry Ward Beecher Medal" which honors students who have been notable or exemplary in certain areas throughout the school year. Extremely proud of her son, August's mother comments that he is a 'wonder'.</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>Palacio wrote <i>Wonder</i> after an incident where she and her infant son were waiting in line to buy ice cream. Her son noticed a hobo with facial birth defects. Fearing he would react badly, Palacio attempted to remove her son from the situation so as not to upset the girl or her family but ended up worsening the situation.</p> <p>"Maybe we are not born with gift or better than others, our lives are still full of potentials and wonders!! Everyone can make a change and make wonders in our lives!"</p>	

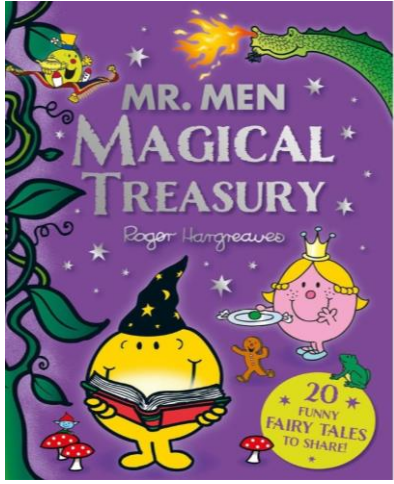
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Miss YEUNG	
Subject	English	
Title	MARVEL AVENGERS BEGINNINGS	
Author	Rich Thomas Jr.	
Publisher	Marvel Press	
ISBN	9781474862134	
Audience	P.3-4	
Synopsis	<p>Do you like Marvel heroes? If so, this book is the story you can't miss! This is a fantastic book which shows you how the heroes protect the world! You should show respect to Iron Man, Thor, the Hulk and other heroes!</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>When the world is full of super bad villains, strong monsters, evil alien invaders, mythical beasts and robots bent on the total destruction of humanity . . . The Earth and we just need the Mightiest Heroes: THE AVENGERS! In this book, let's discover how the team began as we read how Iron Man, Thor, the Hulk, Hawkeye, and Black Widow, and Captain America assembled to become Earth's mightiest heroes! If you like Marvel heroes, don't miss this book!</p>	

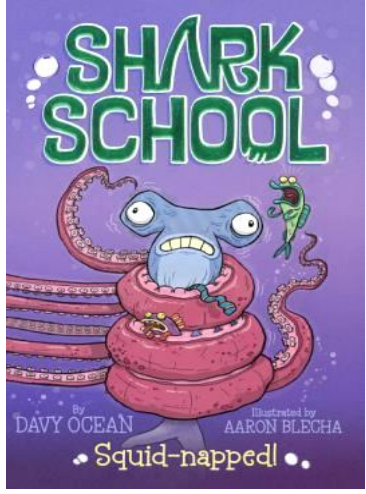
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Ms Lai Hang Mei	
Subject	English	
Title	The Big Fat Cow That Goes Kapow	
Author	Andy Griffiths	
Publisher	Macmillan	
ISBN	9780330456371	
Audience	P.1-3	
Synopsis	<p>This is a fun chapter book with 10 very short stories that are like poems. The texts are repetitive which make it easy to be understood. This is literally a silly book containing silly rhymes. It stars characters such as “a mixed up cow which flaps its wings and says meow” and is set in places like “a sea where you can breathe underwater... and a planet where people can fly. It is all because of this ‘unrealistic’ and ‘wild’ imagination that enables readers to have an entertaining journey while reading.</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>The stories are short but with eye-catching illustrations. The drawings are not only goofy but also give you clues to comprehend the text. You will also find lots of rhyming patterns in this book which you may practise to read aloud. It is a good book for early readers as the words are fairly easy. I’m sure this book will bring you lots of laughters.</p>	

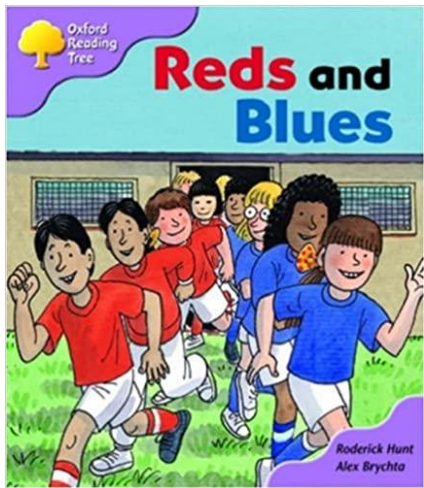
Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Ms. Kwok	
Subject	English	
Title	Mr. Men Magical Treasury	
Author	Roger Hargreaves	
Publisher	Egmont	
ISBN	9781405288279	
Audience	P.4-6	
Synopsis	<p>This magical collection takes the Mr. Men and Little Miss on a series of funny adventures where they meet some extraordinary characters including a dragon, a princess, a giant, a fairy and washbuckling pirates.</p> <p>Enjoy reading about your favourite characters in some very familiar fairy tales, as only the Mr. Men can tell them!</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>Everyone is unique and different in some ways. Find a suitable character for yourself from Mr. Men series. Maybe you are Little Miss Shy or Mr. Nosey, Little Miss Naughty or Mr. Greedy! Get to know yourself. I am sure you can be a better person.</p> <p>Observe your friends too. They all have good and bad influence on you. Try to find a Mr. Friendly and Little Miss Happy around you. Life is full of fun and let's enjoy life to fullest!</p>	

Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Ms. Ng Wing Yin	
Subject	English	
Title	Shark School Series: Squid-napped	
Author	Davy Ocean	
Publisher	Aladdin, Simon & Schuster	
ISBN	9781481406840	
Audience	P.3-4	
Synopsis	<p>Harry Hammer, a hammerhead shark has a terrible birthday party because his parents make him look silly in front of his friends and enemy. Harry decides to leave his home for faraway waters. However, he meets a giant squid who hasn't had his lunch yet! What happens to the birthday boy?</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>This is one of the books from Shark School Series. I really loved this book because it was full of adventures. The way Harry escaped from the squid was exciting. It was also a lovely book with lots of jokes and actions. The book kept me entertained because it was illustrated with funny dialogues and pictures. The book was meaningful to me because it talked about friendship, bullying and self confidence.</p> <p>To make the book more special, it teaches you interesting facts about different ocean creatures! If you are a shark lover or a fan of sea animals, this is the book that you cannot miss!</p>	

Book Recommendation

Recommended by	Mr. Man	
Subject	English	
Title	Red and blues	
Author	Roderick Hunt	
Publisher	Oxford Story Tree	
ISBN	9780199440139	
Audience	P.1-2	
Synopsis	<p>Biff, Chip and the children are excited to be playing in a football. One team is in red and one team is in blue. Find out what happens.</p>	
Reflections / Recommendation reasons	<p>I recommend this book because the story has a twist and is very amusing. The pictures are bright, colourful and attractive. The story is suitable for P1 and P2 readers and is easy to read. Try reading this book and other books from the Oxford Story Tree book series, they are really fantastic!</p>	