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| Year 5 | | |
| * Skellig (David Almond) * The House with Chicken Legs (Sophie Anderson) * The Creakers (Tom Fletcher) * The Haunting of Aveline Jones (Phil Hickes) * The Boy who Met a Whale (Nizrana Farook) * Onyeka * Oranges in No Man’s Land (Elizabeth Laird) * Scribbleboy (Philip Ridley) * The Explorer (Katherine Rundell) * The Goldfish Boy (Lisa Thompson) * The Boy at the Back of the Class (Onjali Q. Rauf) * The Journey (Francesca Sanna) * Mic drop: A high rise mystery (Sharna Jackson) * Percy Jackson and the Lightening Thief (Rick Riordan) * The Train to Impossible Places (PG Bell) * I was a rat!: Or, the Scarlet Slippers (Philip Pullman) * Clockwork (Philip Pullman) * The White Giraffe (Lauren St John) | * The wreck of the Zanzibar (Michael Morpurgo) * The Lost Whale (Hannah Gold) * Stormbreaker (Anthony Horowitz) * The ghost of Thomas Kempe (Penelope Lively) * Why the whales came (Michael Morpurgo) * Artemis Fowl (Eoin Colfer) * The London Eye mystery (Siobhan Dowd) * Heidi (Johanna Spyri) * Swallows and Amazons (Arthur Ransome) * After Tomorrow (Gillian Cross) * Grandpa Chatterji (Jamilia Gavin) * Dial a ghost (Iva Ibbotson) * The Indian in the cupboard (Lynne Reid Banks) * 5 children and It (Edith Nesbit) * The Nowhere Emporium (Ross MacKenzie) * There’s a boy in the girl’s bathroom (Louis Sachar) * Raspberries on the Yangtzee (Karen Wallace) * The Station Cat (Stephen Hogtun) * Invasion of Crooked Oak (Dan Smith) * Running out of Time (Simon Fox) * Gamer (Chris Bradford) | * Caged bird (Maya Angelou) * Night Mail (W H Auden) |

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| Year 6 | | |
| * Room 13 (Robert Swindells) * The Star outside my window (Onjali Q Rauf) * The Hunger Games (Suzanne Collins) * When Hitler stole pink rabbit (Judith Kerr) * The boy in the striped pyjamas (John Boyne) * Cogheart (Peter Bunzl) * Letters from the lighthouse/Somerset Tsunami (Emma Carroll) * When the sky falls (Phil Earle) | * Lionboy (Zizou Corder) * Show us who you are (Emma McNicoll) * A series of unfortunate events (Lemony Snickett) * The boy who made everyone laugh (Helen Rutter) * The super miraculous journey of Freddie Yates (Jenny Pearson) * Boy in the tower (Polly Ho Yen) * The 50 States (Gabrielle Balkan and Sol Linero) (Non-fiction) * Treason (Berlie Doherty) * Everest (Alexandra Stewart) (Non-fiction) * Abraham Lincoln (Jonathan Weil and John Aggs) (Non-fiction) * Rendezvous in Russia (Lauren St John) * Oceanarium (Loveday Trinick) (Non-fiction) * Orphans of the tide (Struan Murray) * A Photographic View of Crime and Punishment (Past in Pictures) by Alex Woolf (Non-fiction) | * Funky Chickens (Benjamin Zephaniah) * The Highwayman (Alfred Noyes and Charles Keeping) |