

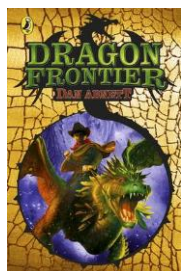


Year 6 Booklist 2015

CF = Children's Fiction

T = Younger Teen Reads

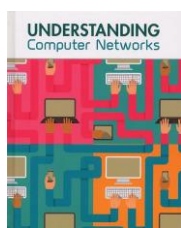
P = Picture Book for Older Readers



Abnett, Dan - Dragon Frontier (series)

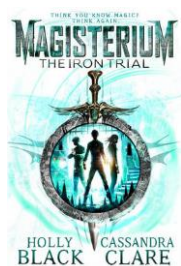
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Dragons, cowboys and native Americans all appear in this engaging fantasy set in the Wild West. A well constructed plot, strong characters and narrative should appeal to boys and girls alike.



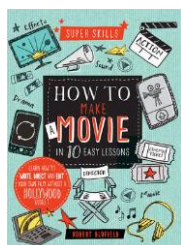
Annis, Matt – Understanding Computer Networks

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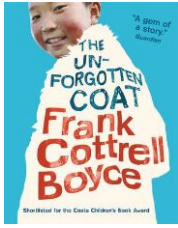
Black, Holly – The Iron Trial

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Blofield, Robert – How to Make a Movie in 10 Easy Lessons

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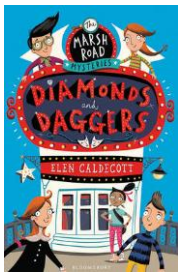
Boyce, Frank Cottrell - The Un-Forgotten Coat
This is a wry humorous look at the difficulties of settling into a new country and culture. The story is based on a real story and the book has been nominated for a number of awards.

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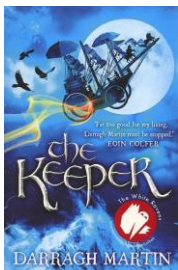
Bradman, Tony - Viking Boy
A Viking boy seeks revenge on his father's killer in this adventure. It is action packed, interwoven with Viking mythology, a quest for self discovery and villains of awesome, mythic proportions.

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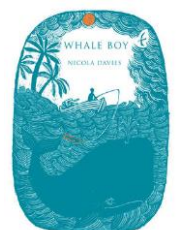
Caldecott, Elen - Diamonds and Daggers

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Darragh, Martin - The Keeper

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Davies, Nicola - Whale Boy
Set on an imaginary Caribbean island, Michael is the first to rediscover the whales that used to frequent the seas off the island. This is an exciting story celebrating animals and the environment.

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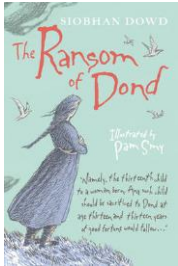
Delaney, Joseph - The Ghost Prison
If you like books short and spooky, this is a book to consider. Billy has a new job as a guard in the local prison. An atmospheric story, creepy spine tingling description and a twist at the end.

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Doherty, Berlie – Far From Home

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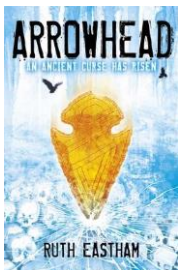
Dowd, Siobhan – The Ransom of Dond

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Durham, Paul – The Luck Uglies

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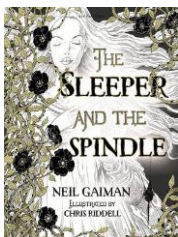
Eastham, Ruth – Arrowhead

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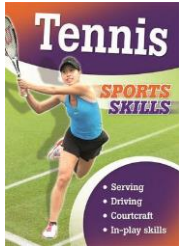
Eason, Sarah – Malorie Blackman : a storytelling sensation (Real-Life stories series)

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Gaiman, Neil – The Sleeper and the Spindle

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Gifford, Clive – Tennis (Sports Skills series)

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Gourlay, Candy - Shine

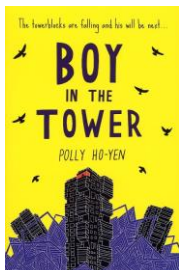
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Rosa is protected from the suspicion and superstition of Mirasol society because she has been born unable to talk. Lonely and bored she spends her free time on the internet and there she meets Anselm. This story is beautifully written.



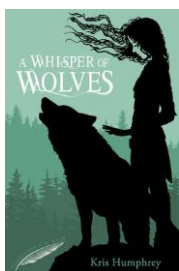
Hartnett, Sonya – The Children of the King

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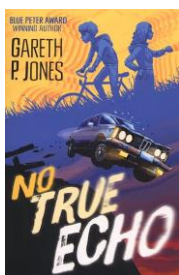
Ho-Yen, Polly – The Boy in the Tower

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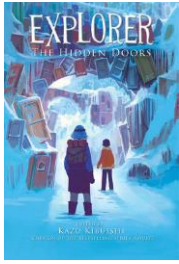
Humphries, Kris – A Whisper of Wolves

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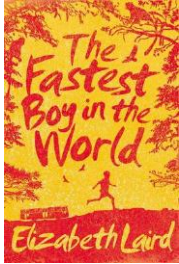
Jones, Gareth P – No True Echo

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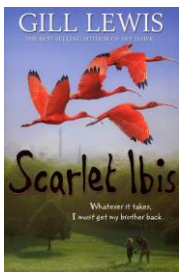
Kibuishi, Kazu – Explorer : The Hidden Doors

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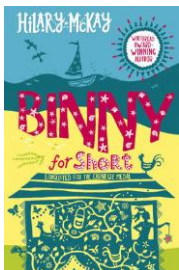
Laird, Elizabeth – The Fastest Boy in the World

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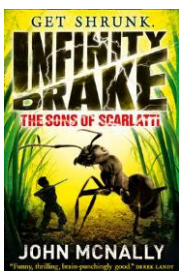
Lewis, Gill – Scarlet Ibis

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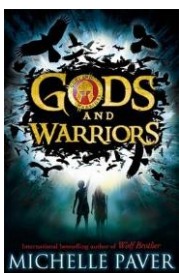
McKay, Hilary – Binny for Short

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McNally, John – The Sons of Scarlatti

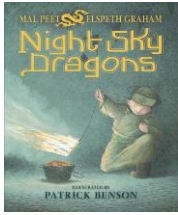
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Paver, Michelle - Gods and Warriors

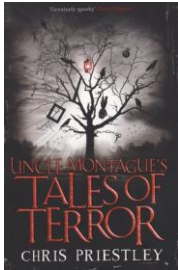
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Wonderful new series from this award winning writer set in Bronze age Greece. Action, strong central characters and a life threatening situation ensure a pacey read



Peet, Mal – Night Sky Dragons

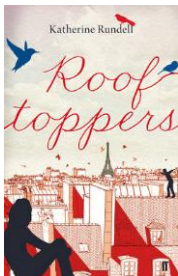
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Priestley, Chris - Uncle Montague's Tales of Terror

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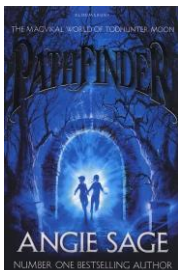
No time for reading? Try this book of truly spine chilling short stories. They are not for the feint hearted.



Rundell, Katherine - Rooftoppers

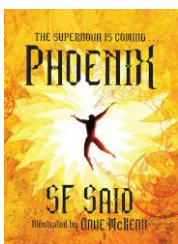
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Award winning title, this quirky story starts with a shipwreck and an orphan and ends in Paris among the roof tops. A marvellous host of characters and an exciting setting above the streets of Paris.



Sage, Angie – Pathfinder

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Said, S F - Phoenix

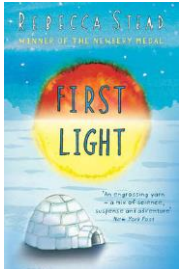
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Beautifully produced, even the black edges to the novel are enticing. This is a science fiction which fizzes with originality, ideas, pace of the writing, strong characters and an excellent ending.



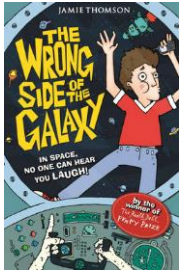
Staake, Bob – Bluebird

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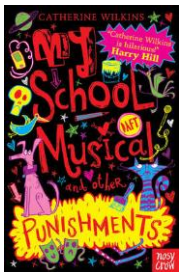
Stead, Rebecca – First Light

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Thomson, Jamie – The Wrong Side of the Galaxy

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Wilkins, Catherine – My School Musical and other Punishments

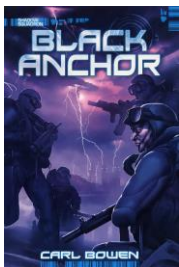
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Give the Ball to the Poet : a new anthology of Caribbean poetry

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Pacy Year 6 Reads



Bowen, Carl - Black Anchor

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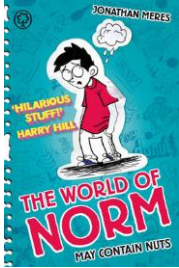
Written in a classified Briefing style with a Q & A with the author at the end, a book that will appeal to anyone interested in the military and combat.



Jenkins, Paul - Fairy Quest : Vol One : Outlaws

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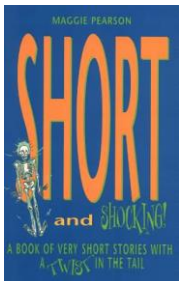
A graphic novel told using classic comic book visuals and drawing from traditional tales. Very humorous especially when Red Riding Hood teams up with her wolf to defeat Mr Grimm.



Meres, Jonathan - World of Norm series

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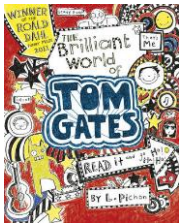
Award winning series in the same vein as Wimpy Kid. Norm is moving house and life is just unfair.



Pearson, Maggie - Short and Shocking!

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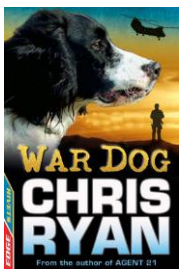
Short of time with little time to read? Try these stories, all are just two pages long at the most, but still shocking, funny, thought provoking and great for sharing.



Pichon, Liz - Tom Gates series

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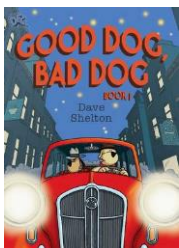
Award winning series (Roald Dahl Funny prize) Popular because of well drawn characters, strong plots, familiar settings and very, very funny. They strike a chord with readers and the doodles are good too.



Ryan, Chris - War Dog

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A quick teen read with the story set in Afghanistan. "Did you ever think that a dog could save someone's life?" Try this if you want a realistic story set in war.



Shelton, Dave - Good Dog, Bad Dog

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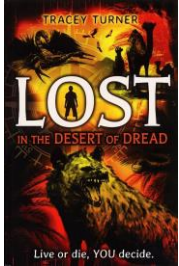
This has a graphic comic book style, a crime to solve and lots of puns and humour. The detectives are pedigree dogs from "Muttropolis"



Slipstream series

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Graphic, cartoon science fiction with a lot of action, a fast moving plot and a straight forward text.



Turner, Tracey - Lost in the Desert of Dread

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This is an excellent, contemporary choose your own adventure dealing with survival in an extreme environment. The opening provides survival information and the end has some real life survival stories. Lots of fun.



Zucker, Jonny – Gladiator Revival & Island Shock

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