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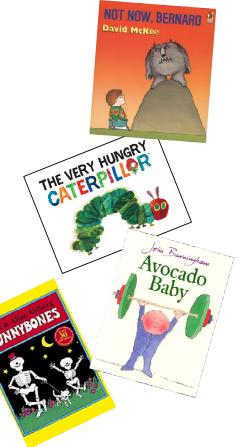
Reading with your child in Year 1

Some questions to ask your child whilst reading together:

- Look at the front cover. What could the book be about? 1.
- 2. Who is the author?
- 3. What is an illustrator? What do they do?
- 4. What does that word mean? Read the words around it to help you figure it out.
- 5. How can you read an unfamiliar word? Can you sound talk and then blend?
- 6. Who are the main characters?
- What do you think will happen next? 7.
- 8. How do you think the character feels? Why? How would you feel in that situation?
- 9. Can you predict how the book will end?
- 10. Who is your favourite character? Why?
- 11. Can you retell the story in your own words?

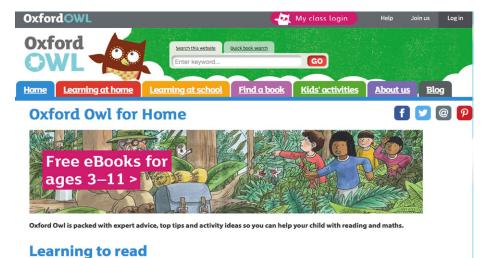
Year 1 Recommended Reading List

The Very Hungry Caterpillar – Eric Carle We're Going on A Bear Hunt – Michael Rosen Lullabyhullaba – Mick Inkpen Peace at Last – Jill Murphy Funny Bones – Allan Ahlberg Cops and Robbers - Allan Ahlberg The Gruffalo – Julia Donaldson The Smartest Giant in Town – Julia Donaldson The Paper Dolls – Julia Donaldson A Bear Called Paddington - Michael Bond Hairy Maclary from Donaldson's Dairy by Lynley Dodd Owl Babies – Martin Waddell A Kitten Called Moonlight – Martin Waddell The Emperor of Absurdia – Chris Riddell Mister Magnolia – Quentin Blake Mrs Armitage on Wheels – Quentin Blake Katie Morag's Island Stories by Mairi Hedderwick My Friend Bear – Jez Alborough Avocado Baby – John Burningham The Tiger who came to Tea – Judith Kerr Meg and Mog – Helen Nichol Not Now Bernard – David McKee A Dark, Dark Tale – Ruth Brown Dogger – Shirley Hughes The Trouble with Jack – Shirley Hughes I Want My Hat Back – Jon Klassen



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