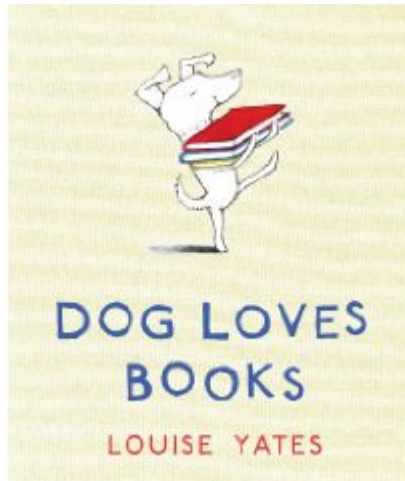


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Spotlight titles March 2009

Key Stage 1



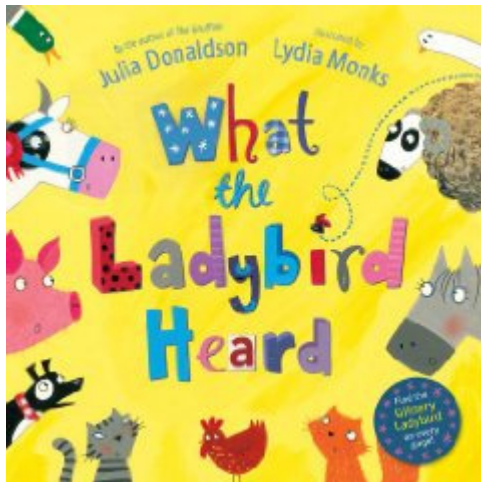
Dog Loves Books by Louise Yates

Dog loves books! Dog loves books about dinosaurs and Dog loves books about aliens: in fact Dog loves all books! Dog has his very own bookshop, although he doesn't have many customers. But that's all right, because when Dog is surrounded by books, he is never short of friends or fun.

And when someone does come into the shop, Dog knows just which books to recommend...

pub. Jonathan Cape

ISBN 9780224083577



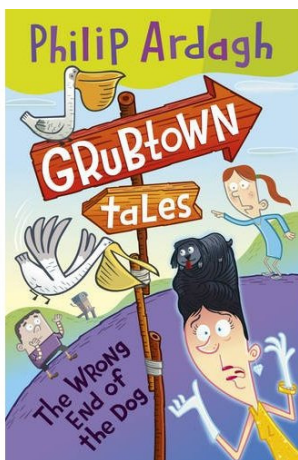
What the Ladybird Heard by Angela McAllister & Alex T. Smith

With all the MOOing and HISSing and BAAAing and CLUCKing, the farmyard is full of noise. But when Hefty Hugh and Lanky Len hatch a plot to steal the fine prize cow, it's the quietest animal of all who saves the day! The rhythmic verse and animal noises make this book a joy to share. A heroine perfect for shy children everywhere.

pub. Macmillan Children's Books

ISBN 9780230706507

Key Stage 2



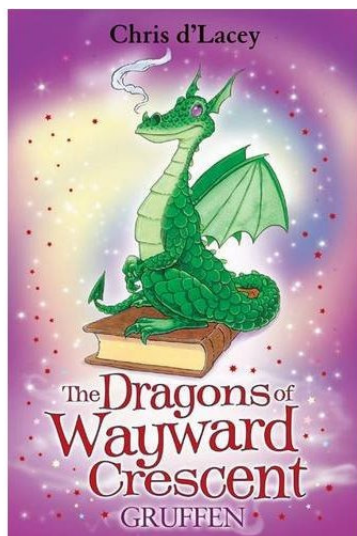
The Wrong End of the Dog By Philip Ardagh

All hail Grubtown – where mayhem rules the day and exceptional silliness is the way of life!

When a famous film star visits Grubtown for the world premiere of her latest movie, Mayor Flabby Gomez couldn't be more excited. But, as usual, nothing goes to plan. Miss Hipbone's dog, Snooks, is snatched by a low-flying pelican, and it's a race against time to find him. An exciting rescue attempt ensues, involving all of Grubtown's usual ragbag of bumbling buffoons.

pub. Faber

ISBN 9780571247929



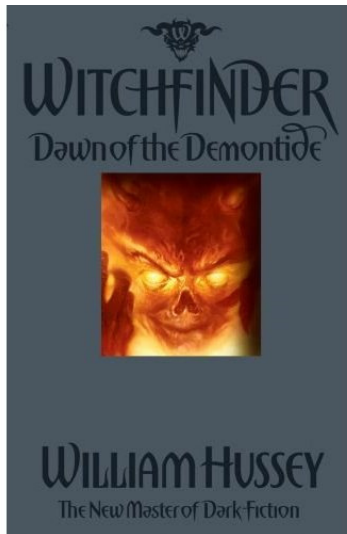
The Dragons of Wayward Crescent: Gruffen by Chris d'Lacey

When Lucy Pennykettle suspects there's a monster in her bedroom, her mum knows exactly what to do. She makes a guard dragon – Gruffen – to look after Lucy. But soon Gruffen realises there's a mystery behind the monster...

pub. Orchard Books, Hachette

ISBN 9781846166099

Key Stage 3



Witchfinder: Dawn of the Demontide by William Hussey

Jake Harker is an outsider – a loser whose nose is always buried in a horror comic. That is until the horror stops being fiction and the Pale Man and his demon Mr Pinch stop Jake on a dark, deserted road. That night, under a tree called The Demon's Dance, Jake will learn the true meaning of terror... Witchfinder is a breathlessly paced supernatural adventure story with a killer twist. Staged against the backdrop of an epic battle between good and evil, it asks questions about courage, loyalty and the nature of identity.

pub. Oxford Children's Books

ISBN 9780192731906

Company of Angels by Lili Wilkinson

Stephan has arrow-blue eyes and a secret smile. He says that children can save the Holy Land from the monstrous Saracen. And Gabriel believes him.

Together they gather an army of children and begin a gruelling march over the Alps to Genoa, where Stephan claims the ocean will part before them. But as disaster and tragedy strike, Gabriel begins to doubt. Is Stephan truly a Holy prophet? How long can Gabriel survive on faith alone?

A compelling historical adventure.

pub. Catnip

ISBN 9781846471049