

Walsden St Peter's Year 6 Reading Spine

To ensure every child is exposed to good quality literature, we have developed our very own literature spine. These books have been chosen as recommended texts and we will try to introduce the children to as many of these books as possible throughout their time at Walsden St Peter's. The purpose of this literature spine is to ensure every child has the experience of storytelling and to help develop a love of reading in every child. This book list is also intended to help parents when choosing books for their children.



Creativity is our key to learning

Year 6

The Arrival – Shaun Tan

Skellig – David Almond

The Windsinger – William Nicholson

Scarlett Ibis – Gill Lewis

Trash – Andy Mulligan

Wolf Brother – Michelle Paver

The Garbage King – Elizabeth Laird

Private Peaceful – Michael Morpurgo

The Giver – Lois Lowry

Goodnight Mr Tom – Michelle Magorian

The Elephant Thief – Jane Kerr

Kick – Mitch Johnson

The Boy in the Tower – Polly

The Wolf Wilder – Katherine Rundell

The Arrival - Shaun Tan

Poetry

The Lost Words – Robert MacFarlane

The Oldest Girl in the World – Carol Ann Duffy

Overheard in a Tower block – Joseph Coelho

If: A Treasury of Poems for Almost Every Possibility – edited by Allie Esiri and Rachel Kelly

