

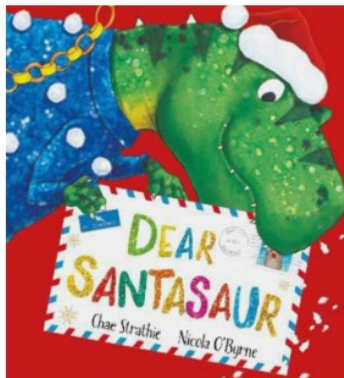
Whitegate Primary School

Autumn 2 2024 Reading Newsletter

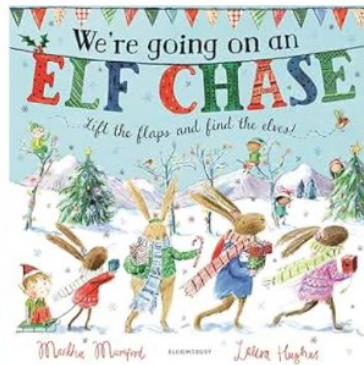


We cannot believe it is Christmas soon and the holidays are nearly upon us! Please enjoy reading this half term's reading letter for some reading inspiration.

Our Winter Recommendations



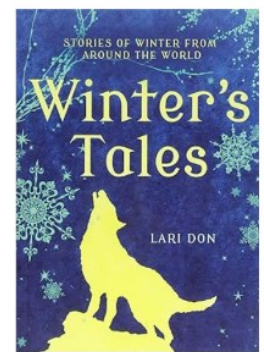
C. Strathie and N. O'Byrne
(Ages 3—4)



M. Mumford and L. Hughes
(Ages 5—8)



Drew Daywalt (Ages 5—8)



Lari Don (Ages 7—11)

Please let us know if you enjoy reading any of our recommendations. Also, do you have any winter themed books that you love to read? We would love to hear about them!



This year the Reading Agency are running a 'winter mini challenge' If you completed the Summer Reading Challenge it would be great to add another reading badge to you belt! If you're new to the reading challenges, you'll have great fun reading! We'd love to hear from anyone who completes the challenge in the new year. Check out the link below for further information.

<https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/news/general/winter-mini-challenge-2023-nearly-here>

Recommended Website:

This is a great website to support getting children into reading.



Lunchtime Reading Club

Monday's not many people's favourite day of the week but the members of the Monday Lunchtime Reading Club are aiming to change that! We've all enjoyed snuggling down with a good book or three every Monday lunchtime over this term. We've been swapping books, making recommendations and even reading to each other. As you can see from the photos below, we've been having a great time! Please encourage your child to pay us a little visit one Monday so we can help them to find their next adventure!



Mystery Reader Reminder

We have been running Mystery Reader for a while now in our EYFS and KS1 classes and it is a wonderful way for parents and carers to be more involved in their child's reading journey. Parents and carers are invited into their child's classroom to read to the whole class. This can be a favourite book of yours or your child's from home. As the name suggests, the arrangement is kept top secret so that it is a wonderful surprise for the children when it is someone that they know, who walks through the door! If this is something you would like to do, please get in touch with your child's class teacher by writing in their home-school contact book to arrange a time to come in and read. It would be great to have some parents taking part in the new year!