



# Heath Primary School

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## December 2021

### Reading Newsletter

Welcome to our Heath Reading Newsletter. This reading newsletter contains links to useful materials, news, offers book recommendations and updates about what is happening in school.  
As always, your support, advice and suggestions are welcomed and hugely appreciated.  
Mrs Brough and Miss Spall (*English Team*)

#### Reading Club



In the autumn term, Reading club took on the important job of choosing the winner of the Royal Society Young People's Book Prize 2021. During Book Club sessions, our pupils read and reviewed 6 science books and took into consideration the ease of reading, interest, look and feel and inspiration. The most important job was selecting a winner based on individual reviews and group discussions.



### Book Sale

Great news, we have teamed up with a local bookshop and on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> December we will be selling a great selection of books aimed at all key stages. These books are new and will be sold at a discounted rate of £2.50 each and school will also receive some of these titles. These will make fantastic Christmas presents, please come along and support if you can. Books will be available for sale in the hall, entry from Slack Lane gate, at 3:30pm for our EYFS/KS1/LKS2 parents. Doors will re-open at 4:30pm, in time for the Carol Concert, for our UKS2 parents. We're looking forward to seeing you!

### News

At Heath we are actively looking at ways to promote reading for pleasure. One of our pupils' suggestion was to bring a book into the #Take10toRead assembly and read together. It was great seeing the variety of genres and quality of texts across our school. Staff and pupils enjoyed reading together!

We are very happy to announce that our EYFS team launched our Nursery library, which is now based in the entrance of the two year olds area. This will hopefully mean that our pupils will continue to enjoy taking books home.



**Here are the books our Reading Ambassadors are recommending:**

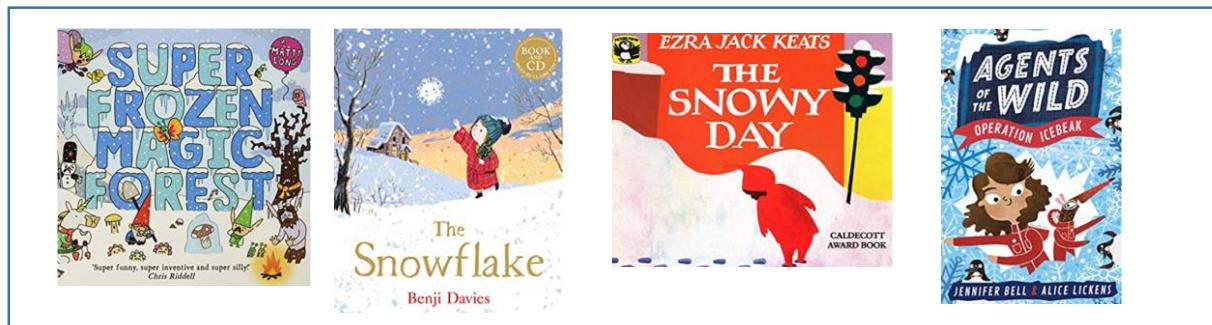
Rafe	Evie	Myla
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**December Book Recommendations:**

Each month, BookTrust review lots of books for children. Here are the ones that they loved in December. They are organised into age ranges with a brief description for each title.

<https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/our-recommendations/best-new-books/>

**Winter goodies...**



**Thank you**



Thank you to our school community for supporting our recent fundraising initiative, all classrooms at Heath now have their own reading crates with a selection of high quality books, which our pupils have helped choose.

