

# Reading – Year 2

There are many ways in which you can continue reading during the summer break.



# Raintree Online

➤ Raintree online allows you to read a variety of eBooks for free!

The website is [www.online.raintree.co.uk](http://www.online.raintree.co.uk)

➤ **Username:** UKfreeaccess

➤ **Password:** engage

**Log in to your school's account!**

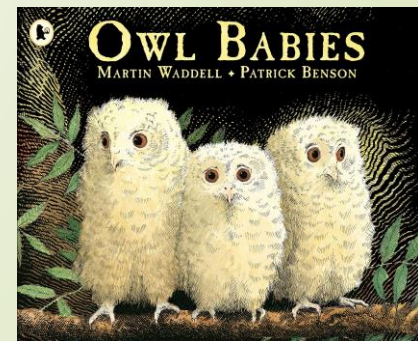
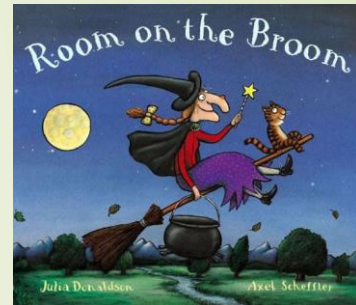
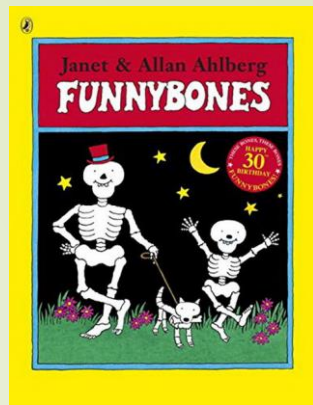
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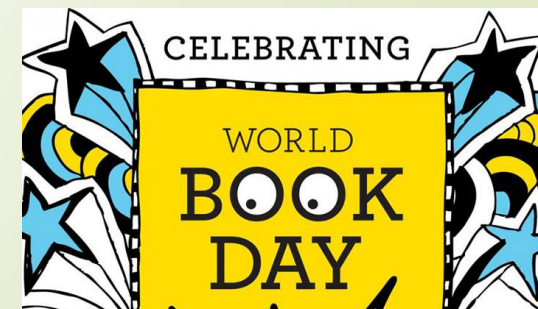
# Online Stories

- There are many online stories that you can watch:
- Owl babies <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2KmH-1zcGe8>
- Elmer <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vZINp-8zOgk>
- Handa's surprise <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UuMS5UQ1kyE>
- Rainbow fish <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ifXlc0Ql2kY>
- Tiger Who Came to Tea <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BXgW9UCgpc8>
- Room on the Broom <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cWB0goTWZic>
- Funnybones <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9O9ErtvJKEo>



# Audio Books

- There are a variety of audio books that you can listen to:
- [https://stories.audible.com/start-listen?ref=adbl\\_ent\\_anon\\_ds\\_hm\\_hb](https://stories.audible.com/start-listen?ref=adbl_ent_anon_ds_hm_hb)
- <https://www.worldbookday.com/world-of-stories/>
- <https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/have-some-fun/storybooks-and-games/>.



# Leicester Libraries Team

- ▶ Many great story books are being read by the Leicestershire Libraries Team. There are stories for children of all ages. My favourite is Rupa the Elephant!
- ▶ <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL36lj8AN28RYdiMONuZrUAeVlijTHkBHD>



# Summer Reading Challenge

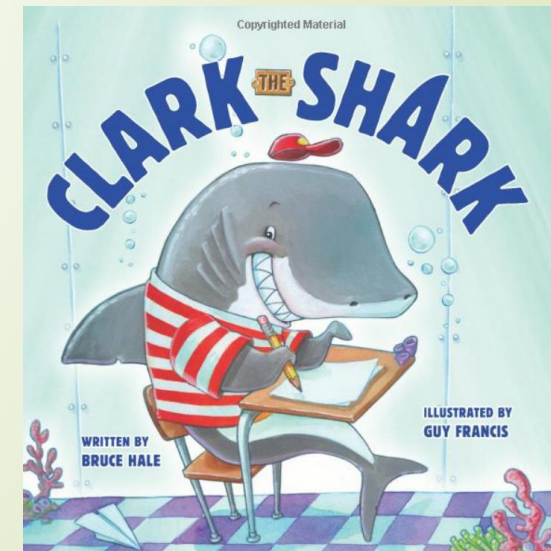


- ▶ This year, Silly Squad will celebrate funny books, happiness and laughter. You will be able to join the Silly Squad, an adventurous team of animals who love to have a laugh and get stuck in to all different kinds of funny books!
- ▶ Follow the link <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/> to register for the challenge. You will then be able to get rewards, play games and earn badges as you discover fantastic books to read this summer



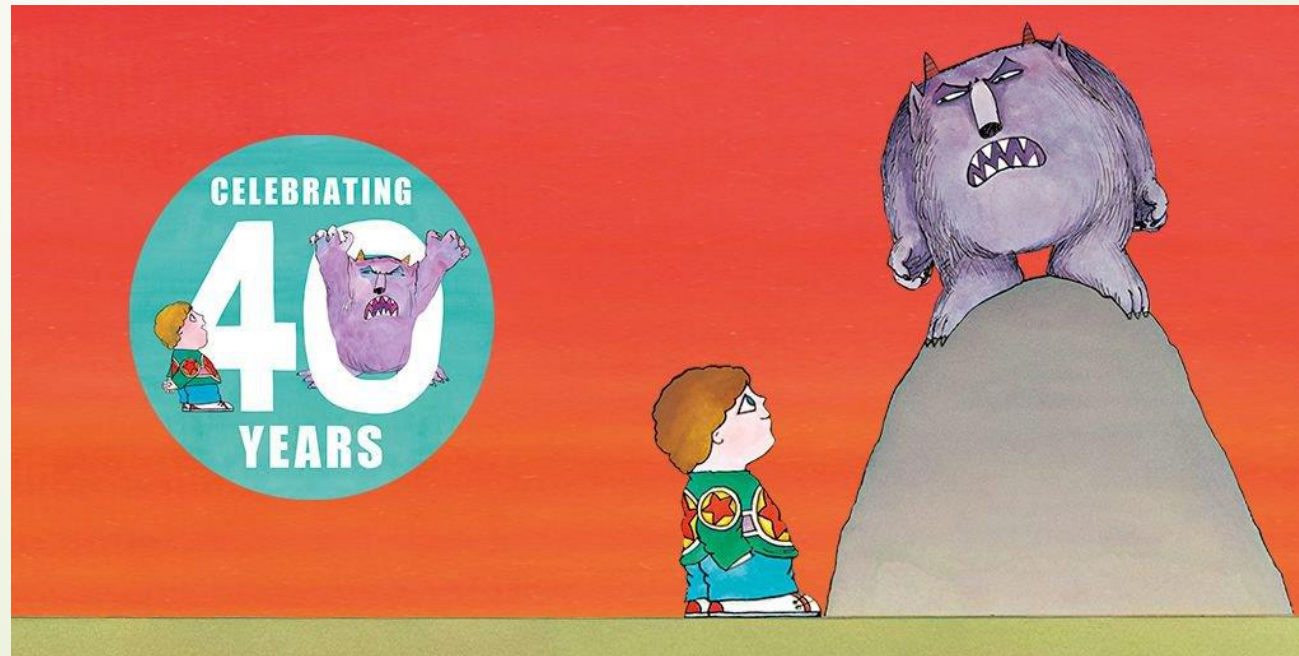
# Clark the Shark

- Below is a link to a wonderful story named 'Clark the Shark' read by Chris Pine.
- <https://www.storylineonline.net/books/clark-the-shark/>
- Listen along at home and have a go at answering these questions:
- Where does Clark the Shark live?
- Which school does he go?
- Why do you think Clark the Shark's friends did not want to be around him?
- Who helped Clark?
- What did Mrs Inkydink advise to Clark?
- How did Clark the Shark solve the problem?



# Not Now Bernard

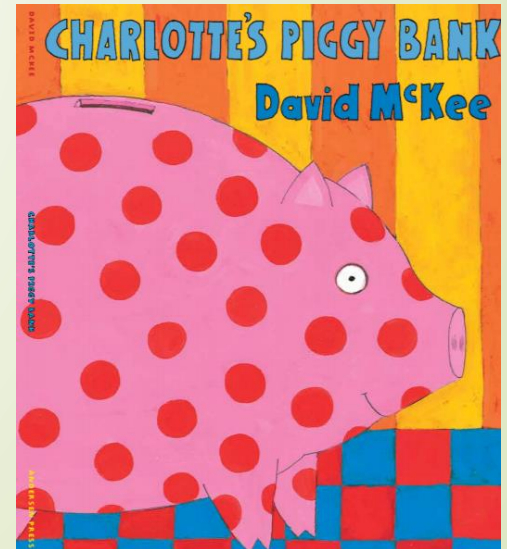
- ▶ You can watch 'Not Now Bernard' being performed by Ben Bailey Smith.  
<https://literacytrust.org.uk/family-zone/birth-4/not-now-bernard/>





# Charlotte's Piggy Bank

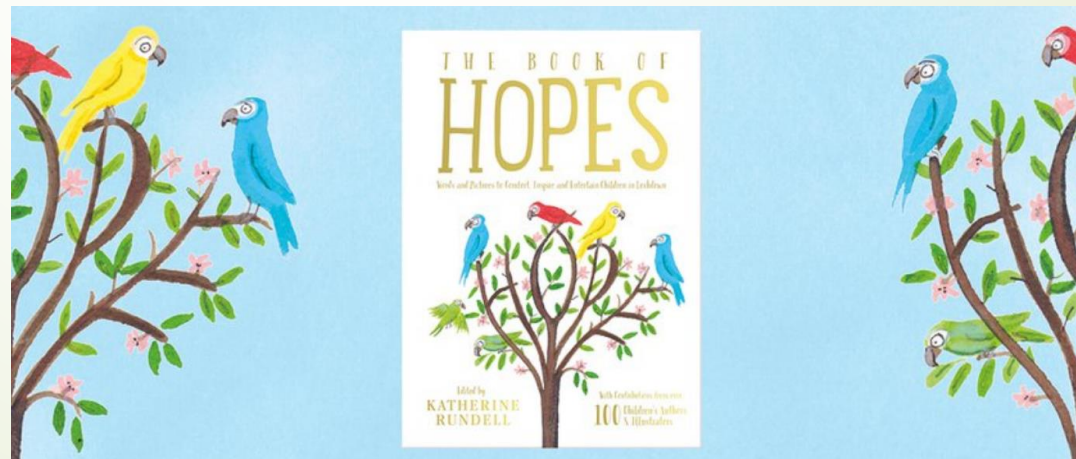
- ▶ David McKee has recently released a new book called [Charlotte's Piggy Bank](#) about a little girl who receives a new present from her aunt. This gift turns out to be rather special.
- ▶ You can read the book here:  
[https://cdn.literacytrust.org.uk/media/documents/FamilyZone\\_Charlottes\\_Piggy\\_Bank\\_by\\_David\\_McKee.pdf](https://cdn.literacytrust.org.uk/media/documents/FamilyZone_Charlottes_Piggy_Bank_by_David_McKee.pdf)



# The Book of Hopes

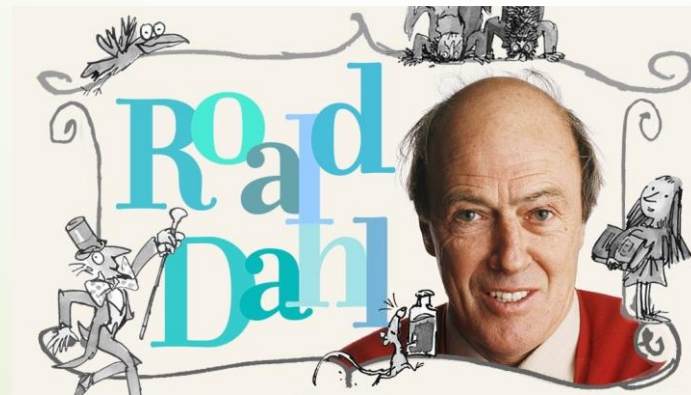
- The Book of Hopes is a wonderful online book! It contains chapters written by many well-known authors such as Michael Morpurgo and Anthony Horowitz. The aim of the text is to promote positivity and hope.

[https://issuu.com/bloomsburypublishing/docs/thebookofhopes\\_interactivepdf/1?ff](https://issuu.com/bloomsburypublishing/docs/thebookofhopes_interactivepdf/1?ff)



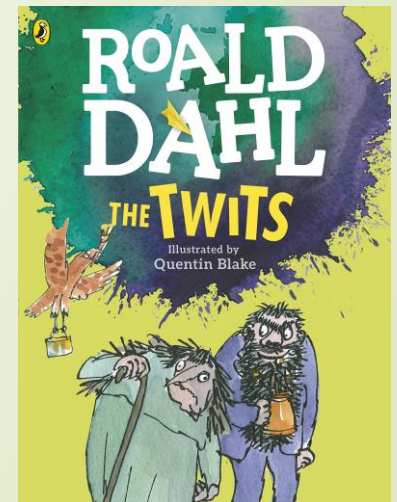
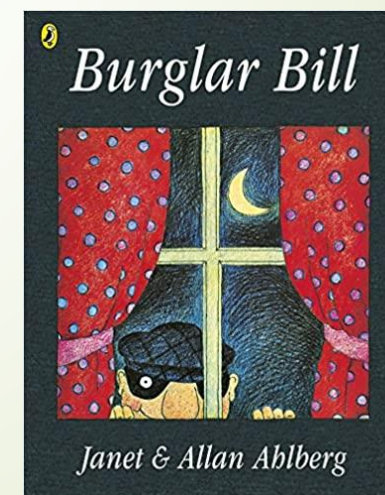
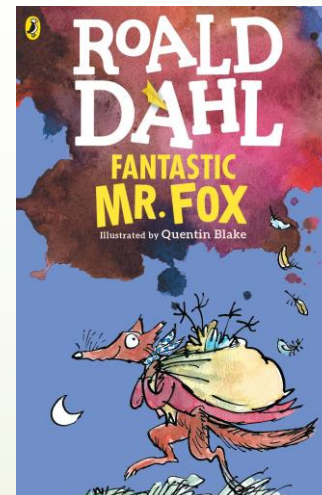
# Roald Dahl

- There is lots of great Roald Dahl work on the website below. You will find quizzes, extracts and interesting facts!
- <https://www.penguin.co.uk/search-results.html?tab=articles&q=Roald+Dahl>



# Online Stories

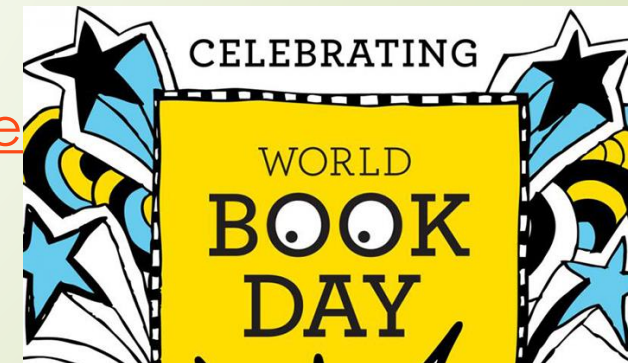
- Beauty and the Beast: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fkCPEujxTho>
- Sleeping Beauty: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oGLg5khGlis>
- The Twits: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EgppUh8ukZ8>
- Fantastic Mr Fox: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nJofxwa5bMo>
- Burglar Bill: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RkxUrazqyHA>



# Reading Extracts

These are my favourite reading extracts from the World Book Day website:

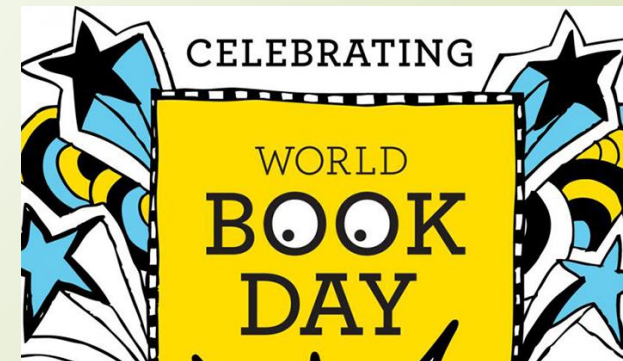
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# Reading Extracts – Challenge!

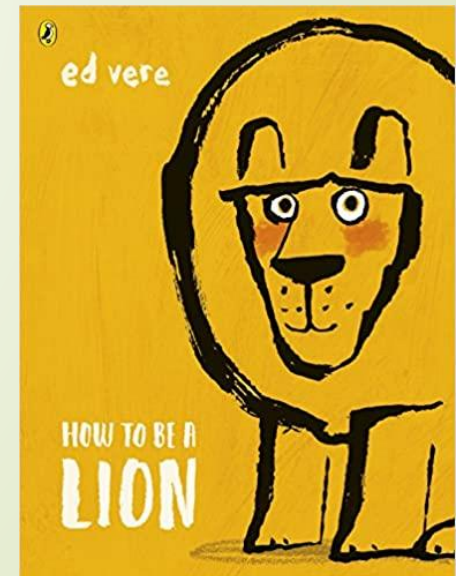
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- ▶ <https://www.worldbookday.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/Primary-Extract-Maxwell-Mutt.pdf>
- ▶ <https://www.worldbookday.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/Primary-Extract-Kidnapped.pdf>
- ▶ <https://www.worldbookday.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/05/Primary-Extract-Funny-Life-of-Teachers.pdf>



# Reading Challenges

- ▶ How to Be a Lion by Ed Vere is one of my favourite books! It has bright and colourful illustrations and lots of funny characters!
- ▶ Firstly, listen to the story being read by the author  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xVzc1gdLQn4>
- ▶ You could have a go at creating some amazing illustrations following Ed Vere's steps  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3kF3ZW5PrxI>.



# Reading Challenges

- In the video you can see Candy Gourlay create her own comic diary <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B6CPxOZwIGQ>
- You can have a go at creating your very own comic diary.







# Reading Challenges



- ▶ There are many amazing stories you can listen to on the Book Trust website: <https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/have-some-fun/storybooks-and-games/>.
- ▶ You can choose a story to listen to and change the ending of the book!

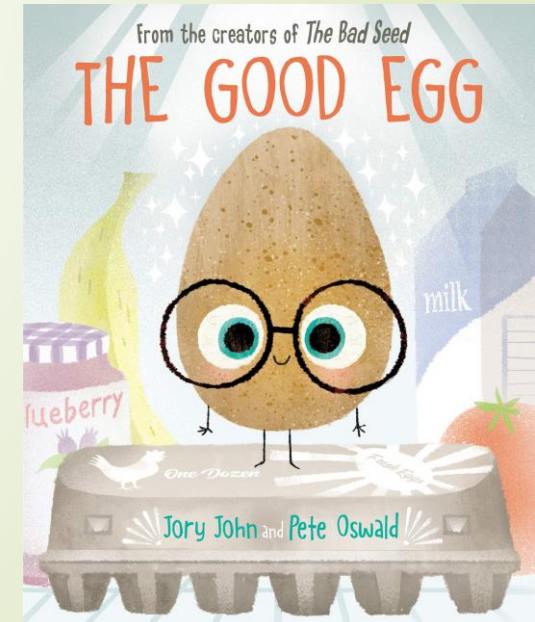
# Reading Challenges

- ▶ James Mayhew is a brilliant illustrator who uses collage to create wonderful images. Watch the video to see how he achieves this.  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZnVN2i790Kc>
- ▶ You can challenge yourself to create a collage just like James Mayhew.



# Reading Challenges

- ▶ The Good Egg by Jory John is a wonderful book about being kind, helpful and caring for others. Have a listen to the story here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KQTmetl7sxc>. The Good Egg shows how good he is by helping carry groceries, getting a cat down from a tree and even painting a house! Write down 5 ways in which you have been kind and caring like the good egg.



# Reading Challenges

- ▶ The Owl Who Was Afraid Of The Dark is a great book written by Jill Tomlinson. It shows us that we all need to be strong and brave. You can listen to the story being read here <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y1iST5Bdir8>.
- ▶ Have a go at drawing Plop the bird following the instructions in the video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n6-PavvNlkc>.

