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Dear Parents,

At our recent parent workshop about supporting your child to read, we were asked to recommend some stories that we enjoyed.

**Our favourite traditional tales are:**

- Goldilocks and the Three Bears
- The Three Little Pigs
- Jack and the Beanstalk
- The Gingerbread Man
- The Three Billy Goats Gruff

**Here are a few of the stories we like reading and the children like listening too:**

All are lovely books but some are aimed at younger children (our 2-year-olds) and some aimed at older ones (our 3-4 year olds).

<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>
Owl Babies	Martin waddell
Mixed	Arree Chung
The Hungry Caterpillar	Eric Carle
From Head to Toe	Eric Carle
The Very Busy Spider	Eric Carle
Oh Dear	Rod Campbell
It's Mine	Rod Campbell
SuperTato (the whole series)	Sue Hendra and Paul Linnet
Rosie's Walk	Pat Hutchins
Lima's Red Hot Chilli Pepper	David Mills
The Paperbag Princess	Rober Munsch
George and the Dragon	Christopher Wormell
We're Going on a Bear Hunt	Micheal Rosen

The Way Back Home	Oliver Jeffers
The Dot	Peter H. Reynolds
Julian is a Mermaid	Jessica Love
The Gruffalo	Julia Donlson
Oliver's Vegetables	Alison Bartlett and Vivian Fren
The Crocodile Who Didn't Like Water	Gemma Merino
There's a Shark in the Park	Nick Sharratt
Naughty Bus	Jan Oke and Jerry Oke
The Tiger who came for Tea	Judith Kerr
The Night Pirates	Peter Harris
Monkey and Me	Emily Gravett
Where's Spot?	Eric Hill
Alien's Love Underpants	Clare Freedman
There's a Dragon in My Book	Tom Fletcher
Hug	Jez Alborough
Where's My Teddy?	Jez Alborough
The Little Mouse, the Red Ripe Strawberry and the Big Hungry Bear	Audrey Wood and Don Wood
The Invisible String	Patrice Karst
Ravi's Roar (this is part of a series called Big Bright Feelings – they are great for talking to children about their feelings).	Tom Percival
The Night Pirates	Peter Harris
Gigantosaurus	Jonny Duddle

If you need more ideas you can check these websites out too:

[Book Trust - https://www.booktrust.org.uk/](https://www.booktrust.org.uk/)

[Read this Twice - https://www.readthistwice.com/lists/best-books-for-3-year-olds](https://www.readthistwice.com/lists/best-books-for-3-year-olds)

[Centre for Literacy in Primary Education - https://clpe.org.uk/](https://clpe.org.uk/)

Remember you can borrow books from our lending library, it is currently open from 8.30 to 9am every Friday Morning. If you can volunteer so it can be open at other times during the week please let the office know.

From

Tunstall Nursery Team