

The Mog Chronicle



UKRAINE CRISIS

Everyone in school was shocked to hear about the events in Ukraine. This edition of the Mog Chronicle focuses on what our community has been doing to help.

Leopold in Year 6 made badges to raise money to help Ukraine, EVIE GALBRAITH asked him why.

Leopold: "I have friends and family in both Ukraine and Russia, so I thought it was my duty to help".

EG: *"How much money did you raise?"*

Leopold: "£450"

EG: *"That's amazing! Where are you sending the money?"*

Leopold: "We will send it to the Red Cross in Ukraine, and our donation will be doubled".

EG: *"How much does it cost to make each ribbon?"*

Leopold: "It costs around £10 to buy the materials to make all the ribbons".

Leopold had a badge sale



Background to the Ukraine crisis: Research by Elsa and Evie

The USSR (Union of Soviet Socialist Republics) was classed as the biggest country in the world until it collapsed in 1991.

You might be wondering how such a big organisation fell apart, and what that has to do with the Ukraine/Russia crisis? Well we'll answer it all here.

At the end of World War 2, the USSR (Soviet) troops moved into one half of Berlin, while the Allies (UK, US and parts of Europe) moved into the other. Eventually they agreed that the USSR would administer East Germany, and the Allies would administer the West. To stop people from crossing from East to West Berlin, they built a wall going right down the middle of the city. People in Berlin were unhappy with this, and in 1989 an angry crowd smashed down the wall, changing Europe forever.

Two years later, the leader of the USSR Mikael Gorbachev was forced to resign and communist parties across Europe lost power. The USSR fell apart and Russian influence was reduced.

Some reports say that Vladimir Putin, the Russian president, has thought that Russia is no longer great and he wants to show the world how powerful the country is by invading Ukraine.

Countries which were in the USSR

Russia, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Belarus,
Ukraine, Moldova, Georgia, Armenia,
Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan,
Turkmenistan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan



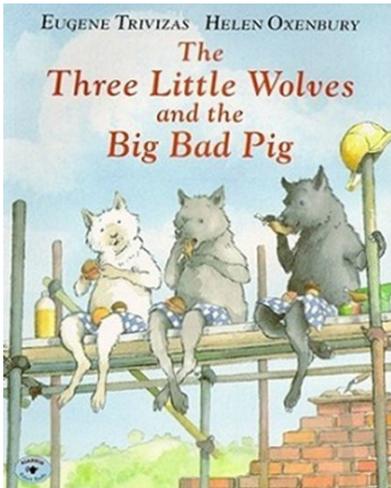
Soviet Union flag



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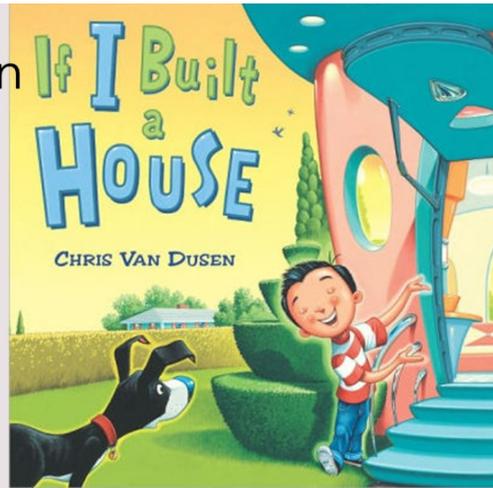
Year group book recommendations by Lula

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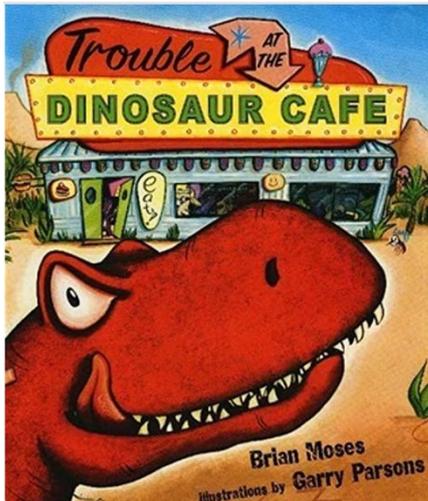


The three little wolves and the big bad pig: a thrilling twist on a classic tale

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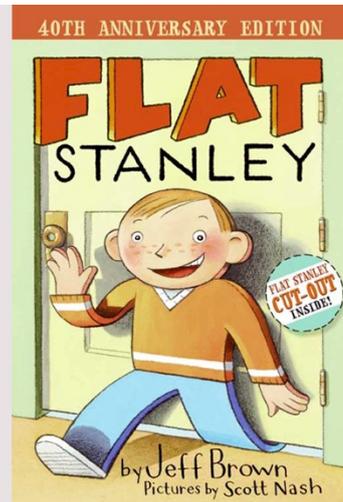


If I built a house: a fun tale anyone will enjoy

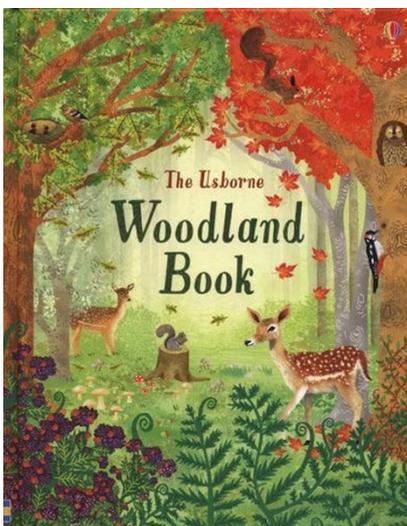


Trouble at the dinosaur café: a fun read with a bit of trouble

Year 1

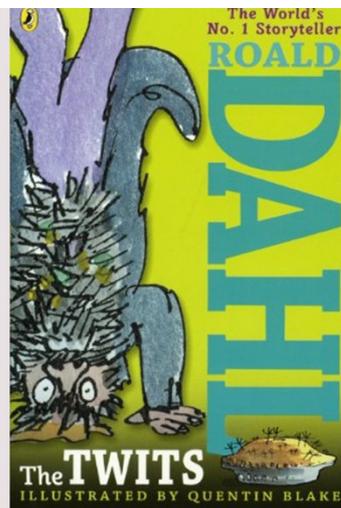


Flat stanley: a funny story all will enjoy



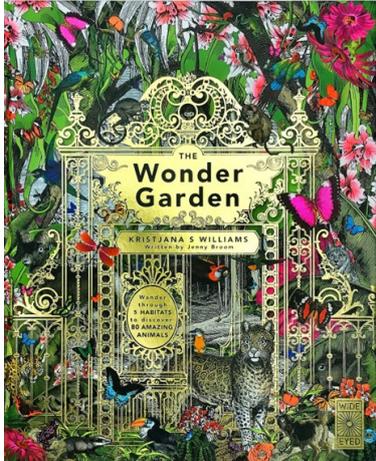
Woodland book :Wonderous illustrations and very descriptive

Year 2

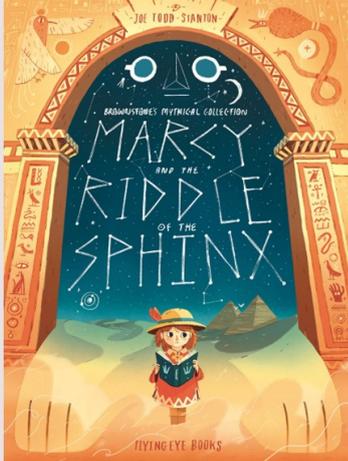


The twits: a fun tale for all to read

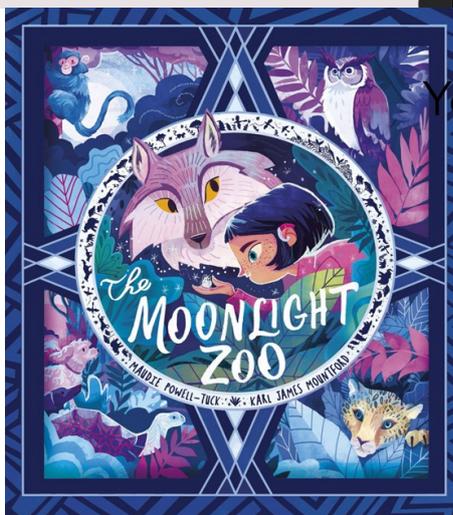
Year 3



The wonder garden: very educational but a beautiful read

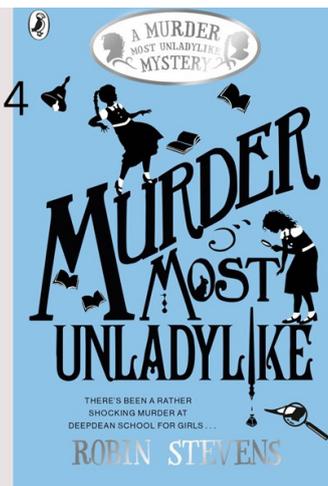


Marcy and the riddle of the sphinx: A gripping tale of mystery and adventure

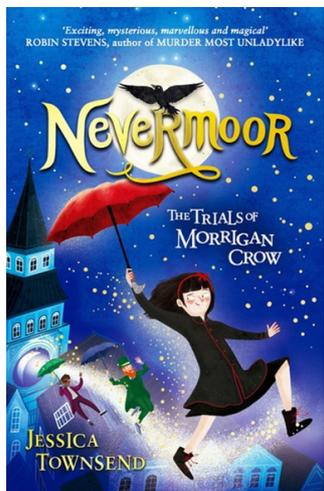


the midnight zoo :An adventure that just keeps changing

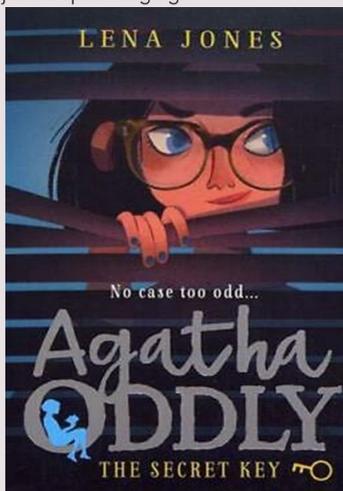
Year 4



Murder most unladylike: Constantly leaving you on murderous cliff hangers

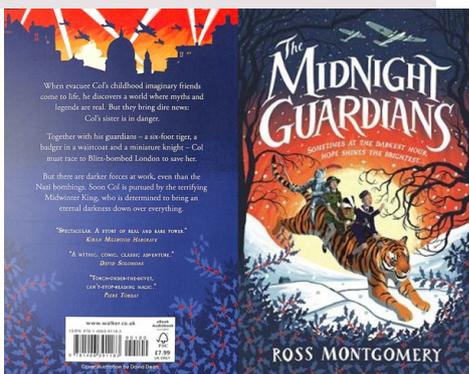


Nevermoor: a thrilling tale of adventure and magic, disaster and full of surprises

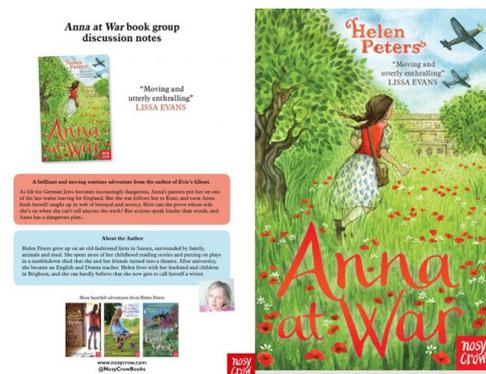


Agatha oddly: do you like mystery? Do you like adventure? If you do then this is the book for you.

Year 5 and 6



The midnight guardians : a moving tale as a family comes closer together to save another



Anna at war : this is an amazing book for people who like historical diary and like traveling into the past

Year 5 and 6

Easter games by Jakob



The easter game page



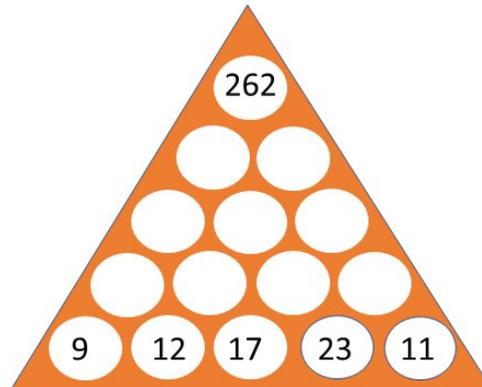
Easter Sudoku

It's like sudoku but instead of numbers there are symbols



Number pyramid



Word jumble

The letters and spaces are all mixed up. Sort them back into their original words!!!

racrto

gee atesrg

nybnu

gnirsp

estrae

Answers are in the next edition



Easter jokes



1. There's only one place where Christmas comes before Easter. Where is it?

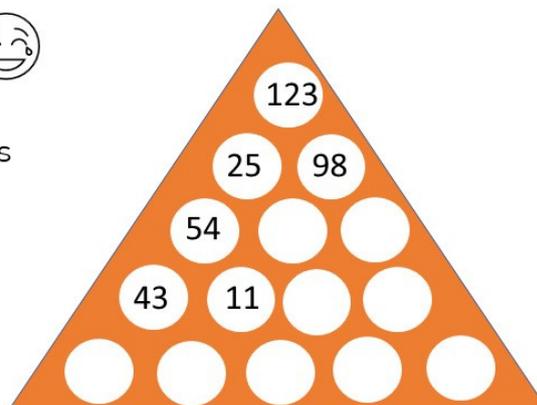
Answer: *The dictionary*

2. How do you send [Easter greetings](#)?

Answer: *By hare mail*

3. If a rooster laid an egg on the top of a hill, which direction would it roll down?

Answer: *It wouldn't—roosters don't lay eggs*





A story by Clarissa, Julie and Mimi

Hazel was on her way home when she saw something shining on the green grass. She picked it up carefully and realized it was £2! She ran all the way home to where her family awaited. She frantically knocked on the door, her mum answered. Hazel quickly said "Hi mum!", and her mum smiled and said "Hi hun". Hazel bolted into her home, and she asked her dad, "Hey dad, how much are lottery tickets?" Her dad replied, "I think they are £2. Why?" "Oh, no reason!" Hazel replied with a grin.

The next morning Hazel woke up at 7am sharp. She put her clothes on, then quietly crept down the stairs. She took a few pieces of bread, and tried not to make a sound as she opened the door. She put on her wooly hat and swung her backpack on her back. She ran outside, closed the door, then ran to the nearest supermarket. Once she got there she looked for the lottery tickets. She found one that gives a chance of winning £2 million! Her eyes gleamed as the ticket shined light, and she whispered to herself, "I hope I win!" She went to pay, and gave the £2 to the cashier.

When she got home she put down her bag and took off her coat. She scavenged the house to find something to scratch off the ticket with. All she found was a £1 coin. She signed, while catching her breath, "I'll just have to use this."

She scratched, and uncovered the numbers: 2, 6, 8, 9 and 7.

Hazel turned on the TV. It said, the lottery numbers today are 2, 6, 8, 9 and 7! The lucky winner will be awarded £2 million! Hazel jumped up and down, as she was full of joy. Rapidly, she ran up the stairs to wake up her mum and dad. "Mum, Dad! I won the lottery!" Her dad woke up with astonishment as her mum's jaw was wide open. Her sister came out of her room and gasped – "We won the lottery? YAY! How much did we get?" She asked with her eyes full of excitement. "Well," said Hazel, "We got... £2 million!"

The next morning Hazel got a call. She answered. It was the lottery company. They asked for her details so they could transfer the money to her parents' account. The minute the call ended, Hazel ran upstairs as fast as she could to her parents room. She asked her mum, "Now that we won the lottery, if its ok can we move to Paris? I mean, if we can afford it" And her mum and dad looked at her, they said "Well hun, it's a maybe, we'll think about it".

Hazel climbed into bed and stared at the ceiling until she fell asleep. The next morning Hazel was woken by her mum and dad shaking her, saying "OK we're moving to Paris!". Hazel jumped up with excitement, "Yay! Yay! Yay!" she screamed as she hugged her parents, Hazel started packing her belongings into boxes. She packed the whole day tirelessly until her room was empty. The next day, they got a private ferry and they went to Paris.



CHARMANDER

HE IS 11 YEARS OLD.

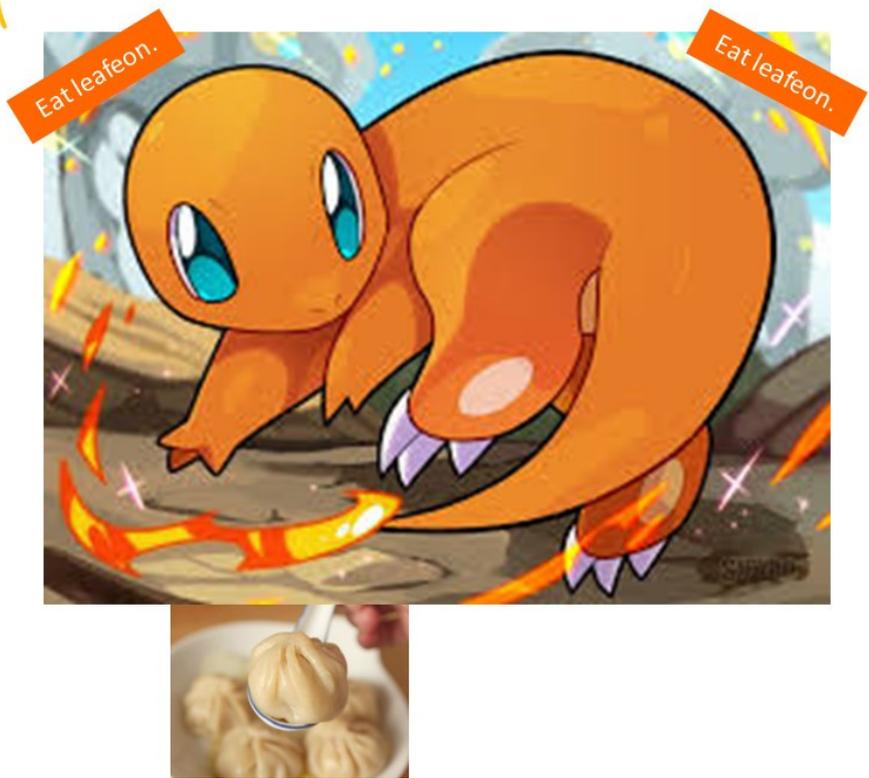
HIS YOUNGER BROTHER IS SQUIRTLE.

HE IS PART OF THE DEFINITELY NOT FLOOF CLUB.

HE TRIES TO EAT LEAFEON ALL THE TIME.

HIS FAVOURITE FOOD IS DUMPLINGS.

HIS HOBBY IS TNT-ING STUFF.



Amazing scientist who didn't wear a lab-coat, by Evie

Bessie Blount, American nurse, inventor and handwriting expert (1949-2009)

For world book day last term, we were encouraged to dress up as scientists who aren't your typical average man in a lab-coat and beard, and so I wrote about a lady who didn't work in a lab and definitely wasn't a grumpy old man.

At the age of seven Bessie's teacher rapped her knuckles because she wrote using her LEFT HAND. most people would just learn to write with their left hand ,but not Bessie, along with learning how to write left handed, she taught herself to write with her teeth and feet, if she couldn't write with her left hand, why would writing with her right hand be okay. Little did she knew that this would spark a career in medicine. Due to her ability at completing everyday tasks using any of her limbs, Blount began helping veterans, who had lost limbs in the war. She taught them to use their teeth and feet instead of hands, as well as creating numerous inventions designed for those who had lost limbs.

ONE OF THOSE WAS An electric self-feeding apparatus, which consisted of a tube that could transport individual pieces of food into the amputee's mouth.



Bessie Blount

Year group topics for summer term and what learning you can do at home

Reception: GROWING

You could grow your own plants

Year One: LONDON LANDMARKS

You could research your local area or visit a landmark ie. Big Ben

Year Two: Hidden Heroes

Think about someone you know who is a hero and write about them

Year 3: Stone age

Create a cave painting

Year 4: The Kingdom of Benin

Research what it was like and why the kingdom fell apart

Year 5/6: Titanic

Create a fact file





PET WORD SEARCH EASY



R	A	B	B	I	T
T	A	C	D	E	A
B	I	R	D	O	Y
S	N	A	K	E	G
F	R	O	G	T	A

WORDS TO LOOK FOR

RABBIT CAT DOG SNAKE BIRD
FROG



PET WORD SEARCH HARD

Word searches by Calvin

DO IF YOU DARE



DOG RABBIT CAT BIRD
FROG SNAKE
SLOTH CHICHEN
RAT

R	A	T	D	E	D	T	A	I	L	T	S
C	A	T	L	O	S	L	O	T	H	W	I
U	F	B	E	N	Y	C	I	H	C	W	L
N	E	H	C	I	H	C	B	I	R	D	O
T	I	B	B	A	T	F	F	A	T	A	R
E	K	A	N	S	F	R	O	G	A	D	H

And Mr Manfred says,
don't forget...

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DOULINGO

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Ooh! You got Duolingo!

Yup. And I Am learning so fast.



More fundraising

JKPS school council organised a fundraising day on Friday 1 April; the Mog Chronicle team asked Miss Sara how they did it

What have you done to help Ukraine?

Miss Sara: "Lots of children on the school council wanted to organise a fundraising event. We had too many ideas! So we had to organise which year group did what.

Where will the money go?

Miss Sara: "The school council voted on a suggestion put forward by Sophie Pell in Year 3 that the money should go to Medicines Sans Frontieres, which helps people in crisis with medical care.

Do you know anyone that has been affected by the crisis in Ukraine?

Miss Sara: "I don't know anyone personally there, but I do know people from neighbouring countries. For example, Miss Anja (TA in Year one) is from Poland, and with her husband they organised a collection of clothes and goods to send to help people in need in Ukraine.

What is the best thing you can do to help?

Miss Sara: "Research what people need. Find a charity which is working in Ukraine and find out what they are looking for".

Interview by Evie and Elsa

On Friday 1 April each school year group sold food to raise money

Reception POPCORN

Year Two
FRUIT

Year One
biscuits

Year 3
cake

Year 4
LEMONADE

Year 5/6 ICE
LOLLIES

**The school raised
£864 for Medicines
Sans Frontieres!**



The Ukrainian flag