
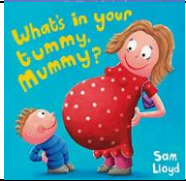
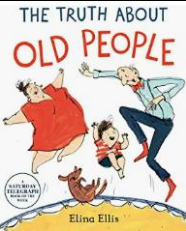
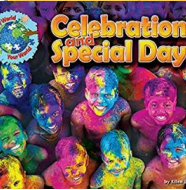
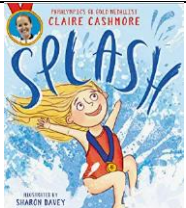


Reception Book Spine

Book	Title and author	Synopsis
	<p>Owl Babies by Martin Waddell</p>	<p>A tale of three baby owls called Sarah, Percy and Bill. They wake up one night in their tree to find that their mother has gone. They sit on a branch and wait wondering when their mother will return.</p>
	<p>The Gruffalo by Julia Donaldson</p>	<p>Walk further into the deep dark wood, and discover what happens when a quick-witted mouse comes face to face with an owl, a snake... and a hungry Gruffalo!</p>
	<p>Stickman by Julia Donaldson</p>	<p>'Stick Man lives in the family tree With his Stick Lady Love and their stick children three.' But it's dangerous being a Stick Man. A dog wants to play with him, a swan builds her nest with him. He even ends up on a fire! Will he ever get back to the family tree in time for Christmas?</p>
	<p>Zog by Julia Donaldson</p>	<p>Zog is the keenest dragon in school. He's also the most accident-prone! Luckily, a mysterious little girl always comes by and patches up his bumps and bruises. But will she be able to help him capture a princess?</p>
	<p>Cave Baby by Julia Donaldson</p>	<p>A hairy mammoth takes a cheeky little baby on a thrilling ride through a moonlit landscape populated by a sabre-toothed tiger, a leaping hare, a laughing hyena and even, just maybe, by a big brown bear . . . But where are they going? And what has it to do with the baby's scribbles on the cave wall?</p>
	<p>Handa's Surprise by Eileen Browne</p>	<p>Handa decides to take seven pieces of delicious fruit to her friend, Akeyo, who lives in the neighbouring village. But a series of sneaky animals steal something from Handa's basket as she travels. When Handa reaches Akeyo, will she have anything left to offer her friend?</p>

	<p>Mr Gumpy's Outing by John Burningham</p>	<p>One day Mr Gumpy decides to take a trip along the river in his boat. But the children, the rabbit, the cat, the pig and lots more friends decide to join him. What will happen when the animals start kicking, bleating, hopping and flapping?</p>
	<p>Rosie's Walk by Pat Hutchins</p>	<p>Children love the humour of this near-wordless story. One disaster after another befalls the poor fox while Rosie goes on her way, supremely unaware of the danger behind her.</p>
	<p>Six Dinner Sid by Inga Moore</p>	<p>Sid is a cat who is addicted to having six meals a day. Manipulative, persuasive and a charmer - he has wrapped everybody round his little paw. Each owner believes that Sid belongs to them . . . until the day he is found out!</p>
	<p>Mrs Armitage on Wheels by Quentin Blake</p>	<p>Mrs Armitage sets off for a quiet cycle with her faithful dog, Breakspear, but she just can't help thinking of different ways to improve her bicycle!</p>
	<p>Farmer Duck by Martin Waddell</p>	<p>The story of a hardworking duck, who has the very bad luck of living with a lazy farmer. The duck cooks and cleans, tends the fields and cares for the other animals on the farm all while the farmer lies in bed!</p>
	<p>Goodnight Moon by Margaret Wise Brown</p>	<p>In a great green room a little bunny is tucked up snugly and safely in bed and is getting ready to say goodnight to all the familiar things in his room, one by one.</p>

			<p>The Pirate Mums by Jodie Lancet-Grant</p>	<p>Billy's family is not what you'd call ordinary. His mums won't listen to NORMAL music. They love to sing sea shanties and dance jigs in the lounge. Billy wishes his family could be more like everyone else's. Until a swashbuckling adventure changes everything!</p>
			<p>What's in Your Tummy Mummy? by Sam Lloyd</p>	<p>What's in Your Tummy Mummy is a fun lift-the-flap book that answers a child's questions. This book provides a fun way to explain just what is going on in Mummy's tummy, and who the new mystery friend might be...</p>
			<p>The Truth About Old People by Elina Ellis</p>	<p>When you're small, everybody bigger than you seems really old. But does being older have to mean being boring, or slow, or quiet? NO! This book shows that the age you are makes no difference to how amazing you can be!</p>
			<p>Celebrations and Special Days by Ellen Lawrence</p>	<p>This book introduces children from many different countries and cultures. It explores the diversity of children's lives, but also celebrates and examines the ways in which children worldwide are very much alike.</p>
			<p>Splash by Claire Cashmore</p>	<p>Claire Cashmore, MBE and Paralympic gold medallist, was born without a left forearm – but she never let being different stand in the way of her big dreams. Splash is based on Claire's real-life experience of being really was scared of water ... until one day, everything changed!</p>