

Activity Guidance

Instructions:

Set readings goals, e.g. reading a chapter or page by a certain day. Aim to schedule time for reading the book into your child's weekly plan. Plan a regular meeting time for the whole household. Try to make this time special by sitting together at the end of the day.

Suggested questions and talking points:

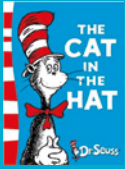
What is the main plot of the book?

Who is your favourite character? Why?

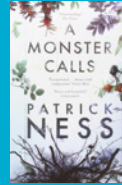
Would you recommend this book to someone? Why?

What has been your favourite scene /event so far?

A few suggestions...



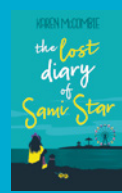
The Cat in the Hat by Dr Seuss
- Perfect for age 3+



A Monster Calls by Patrick Ness – Perfect for age 10+



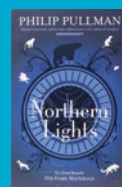
Winnie-the-Pooh by A A Milne,
illustrated by E H Shepherd -
Perfect for age 4+



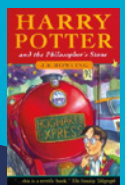
The Lost Diary of Sami Star by
Karen McCombie – Perfect for
age 10+



The BFG by Roald Dahl,
illustrated by Quentin Blake -
Perfect for age 6+



Northern Lights [from His
Dark Materials trilogy] by
Philip Pullman - Perfect for
age 10+



Harry Potter and the
Philosopher's Stone by J K
Rowling - Perfect for age 8+



The Lord of the Rings: The
Fellowship of the Ring by
J R R Tolkien - Perfect for
age 11+



Cookie (and the Most
Annoying Boy in the World)
By Konnie Huq – Perfect for
age 8+



High-Rise Mystery by Sharna
Jackson – Perfect for age 11+



Wonder by R.J. Palacio –
Perfect for age 9+



The Hunger Games by
Suzanne Collins - Perfect for
age 13+

At Home Book Club

Have a go at making a special book club for you and the people you live with.

Step 1: Choose a book that you'll all enjoy.

Step 2: Decide whether you are going to read together or on your own.

Step 3: Have regular book club meetings where you chat about the book.

You might want to keep a record of your chosen books and the times you meet in the record table below, or in a notebook/on a piece of paper.

Book choice	Meeting day and comments
E.g. Alice in Wonderland	Tuesday - we all really like the Cheshire Cat character!