

## Storybooks and picturebooks for Young World 1 and 2



### You will find lots of teaching ideas in:

- Ellis, Gail & Brewster, Jean (2002). *Tell it Again! The New Storytelling Handbook for Primary Teachers*. Harlow: Penguin. ISBN 0-582-44774-7.
- Fuchs, R. ed. (2019). *I'm Going to Tell You a Story*. Bern: hep Verlag. 978-3035514308
- Murao, Sandie (2003): *Realbooks in the Primary Classroom*. London: Scholastic. ISBN 1-900702 19 3.

### Check out these websites for more books and material:

- Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler: <https://axelscheffler.com/books>
- Winnie the Witch (series): <https://www.winnieandwilbur.com/>
- Eric Carle: <https://eric-carle.com/books/english-language/>

And on youtube, you'll find lots of storybooks being told in various formats.

**On this website, teachers from five different primary schools in Southampton read a storybook out loud in order to reach the children also during phases of distance learning:**

- <https://www.thepartnershiplearningplatform.co.uk/picture-books/>

You might discover other suitable storybooks there, too.

Some of the storybooks listed below are of a higher language level than the average kid would be at that time of the year, but of course you can adapt the language. And as most of the time, the pictures really express the action, the kids can understand a lot through just by looking at this visual support. Most of these storybooks can be found in the Mediothek of PH Zug.

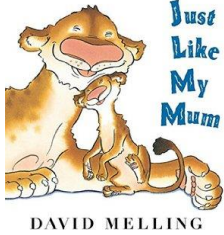
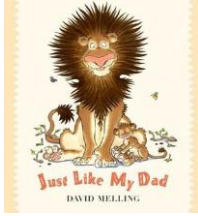
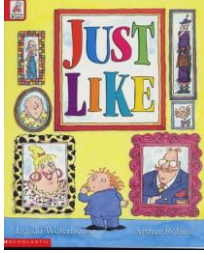
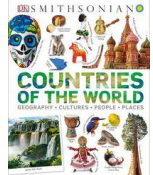
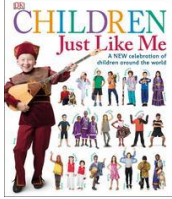
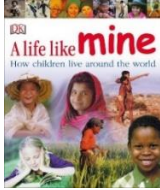
It would be great to hear about your experiences with some of these storybooks or to hear about other storybooks which you can recommend to other teachers so that I can add them to this list. Just send me an email: [sylvia.nadig@phzg.ch](mailto:sylvia.nadig@phzg.ch). Thanks.

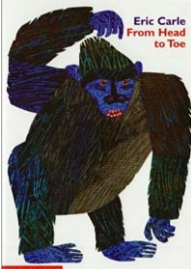
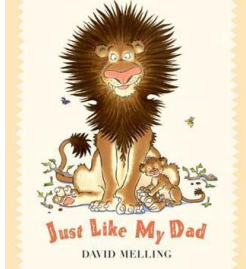
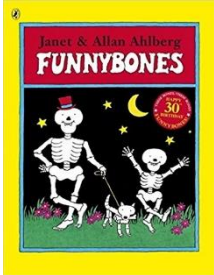
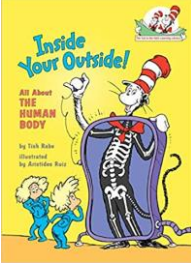
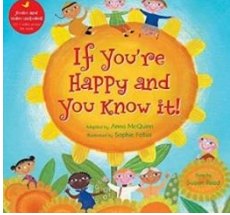
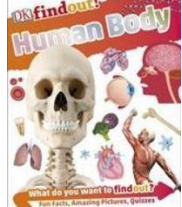
Have fun enriching the course book once in a while with a storybook 😊

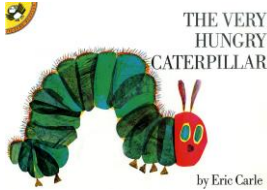
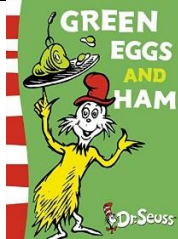
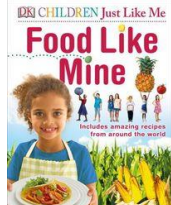
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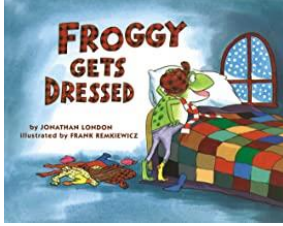
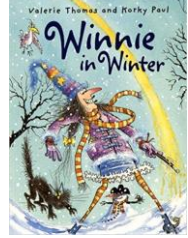
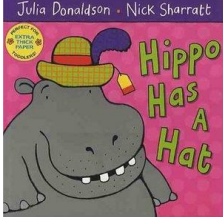
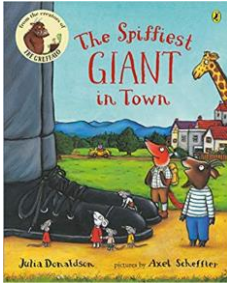
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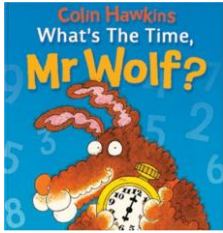
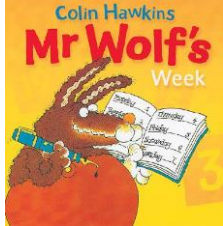
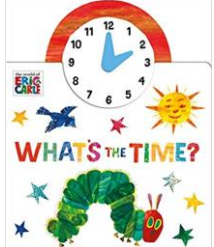
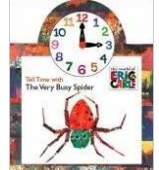
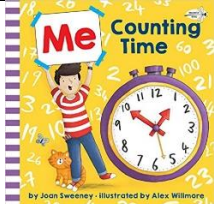
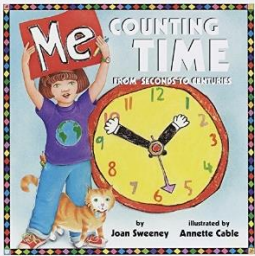
## Storybooks and picturebooks which fit the units of Young World 1

1. You and me	Coverpage
<p><b>Just Like My Mum</b> by David Melling</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wfmZPEdo_dY">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wfmZPEdo_dY</a></p>	 <p>DAVID MELLING</p>
<p><b>Just Like My Dad</b> by David Melling</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Udw9FpQpOe8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Udw9FpQpOe8</a></p>	 <p>DAVID MELLING</p>
<p><b>Just Like</b> by Lynda Waterhouse &amp; Arthur Robins</p> <p>Teaching ideas and photocopiable material in: Murao, Sandie (2003): <i>Realbooks in the Primary Classroom</i>. London: Scholastic.</p>	
<p><b>Countries of the World: Our World in Pictures</b> (DK Publishing)</p>	
<p><b>Children Just Like Me: A New Celebration of Children Around the World</b> (DK Publishing)</p>	
<p><b>A Life Like Mine: How Children Live Around the World</b> (DK Publishing)</p>	


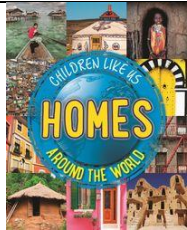
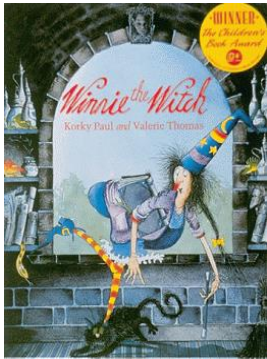
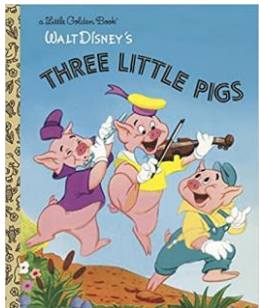
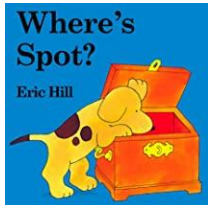
2. My body	Coverpage
<p><b>From Head to Toe</b> by Eric Carle</p>	
<p><b>Just Like My Dad</b> by David Melling</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Udw9FpQpOe8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Udw9FpQpOe8</a></p>	
<p><b>Funnybones</b> by Allan and Janet Ahlberg</p> <p>For this storybook you find ideas in Ellis &amp; Brewster: Tell it Again! ! <i>The New Storytelling Handbook for Primary Teachers</i>. Harlow: Penguin. ISBN 0-582-44774-7.</p>	
<p>For native speakers:</p> <p><b>Inside Your Outside!</b> <b>All About the Human Body</b> by Tish rabe &amp; Aristides Ruiz</p>	
<p><b>If You're Happy and You Know it</b> by Anna McQuinn</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=71hqRT9U0wg">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=71hqRT9U0wg</a></p>	
<p><b>DK find out! Human Body</b> (DK publishing)</p>	

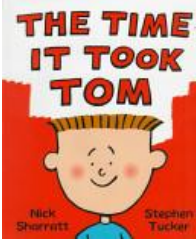
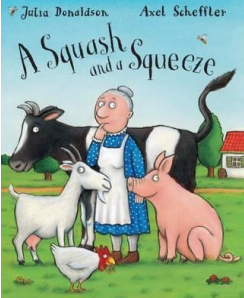
3. Apples and crisps	Coverpage
<p><b>The Very Hungry Caterpillar</b> by Eric Carle</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NQK-Sm1YY">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NQK-Sm1YY</a></p> <p>Lots of teaching ideas and photocopiable material in: Rebenstorff, Heidrun (2006): <i>The Strange Adventure of Mr. Caterpillar: Englischs Literaturprojekt</i>. Kempen: BVK.</p> <p>More ideas and material in Ellis, Gail &amp; Brewster, Jean (2002). <i>Tell it Again! The New Storytelling Handbook for Primary Teachers</i>. Harlow: Penguin. ISBN 0-582-44774-7.</p>	
<p><b>Green Eggs and Ham</b> by Dr. Seuss</p>	
<p><b>The Hungry Dragon</b> (British Council)</p> <p><a href="http://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/short-stories/the-hungry-dragon">http://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/short-stories/the-hungry-dragon</a></p>	
<p><b>Children Just Like Me: Food Like Mine</b> (DK Publishing)</p>	

4. Through the year	Coverpage
<p><b>We're going on a Bear Hunt</b> by Micheal Rosen &amp; Helen Oxenbury</p> <p>ISBN 978-1-4063-2392-4 (Edition with CD)</p> <p>Great video of the author Michael Rosen telling the story: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ogyl6ykDwds">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ogyl6ykDwds</a></p>	
<p><b>Froggy Gets Dressed</b> by Jonathan London</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UveFBZ6Nn-c">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UveFBZ6Nn-c</a></p> <p>Teaching ideas in: Fuchs, R. ed. (2019). <i>I'm Going to Tell You a Story</i>. Bern: hep Verlag.</p>	
<p><b>Winnie in Winter</b> by Valerie Thomas &amp; Korky Paul</p> <p>ISBN 0-19-43922-9 (Edition for learners of English) ISBN 978-0-19-272670-4 (Edition with CD)</p>	
<p><b>Hippo Has a Hat</b> by Julia Donaldson and Nick Sharratt</p>	
<p><b>The Smartest Giant in Town</b> by Julia Donaldson &amp; Axel Scheffler</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NAxDRYhsBSc">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NAxDRYhsBSc</a> <a href="https://axelscheffler.com/books-with-julia-donaldson/smartest-giant-in-town">https://axelscheffler.com/books-with-julia-donaldson/smartest-giant-in-town</a></p> <p>Lots of teaching ideas and photocopiable material in: Rebenstorff, Heidrun (2014): <i>The Smartest Giant in Town: Englisch</i>. Kempfen: BVK.</p>	
<p><b>The Naked King – Fairy Tale</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G5lhnnWzXEs">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G5lhnnWzXEs</a></p>	

5. Around the clock	Coverpage
<p><b>What's The Time Mr Wolf?</b>  <i>by Colin Hawkins</i></p> <p>Song that goes with it:            What's the time, Mr. Wolf? from English Essentials 1 by Allison Clark</p>	
<p><b>Mr Wolf's Week</b>  <i>by Colin Hawkins</i></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ihm4Sl8ITow">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ihm4Sl8ITow</a></p>	
<p><b>What's the Time?</b>  <i>by Eric Carle</i></p>	
<p><b>Tell the Time with the Very Busy Spider</b>  <i>by Eric Carle</i></p>	
<p><b>Me Counting Time</b>  <i>by Joan Sweeney and Annette Cable</i></p>	
<p><b>Me Counting Time: From Seconds to Centuries</b>  <i>by Joan Sweeney and Annette Cable</i></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y-6MqaGkl5M">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y-6MqaGkl5M</a></p>	

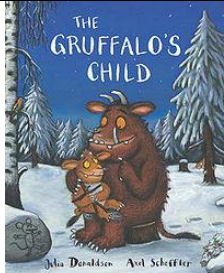
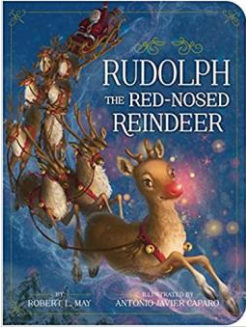



6. The house	Coverpage
<p><b>Lonely Planet Kids: A Place Called Home 1: Look Inside Houses Around the World</b> <i>by Kate Baker</i></p>	
<p><b>Children Like Us: Homes Around the World</b> <i>by Moira Butterfield</i></p>	
<p><b>Winnie the Witch (1st book)</b> <i>by Valerie Thomas &amp; Korky Paul</i></p> <p>ISBN 978-0-19-431904-1 (Edition for learners of English) ISBN 0-19-272683-8 (Edition with CD) ISBN 0-19-272358-8 (Big book Oxford U.P. 1998)</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XAwYNJH4D20">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XAwYNJH4D20</a></p> <p>Winnie the Witch Song with English subs: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0KvDF4F5GYw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0KvDF4F5GYw</a></p>	
<p><b>The Three Little Pigs</b> <i>by Walt Disney</i></p> <p>ISBN 978-0736423120</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ShE27Hst_NM">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ShE27Hst_NM</a> <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5n0wnAQjIVY">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5n0wnAQjIVY</a></p>	
<p><b>Where's Spot?</b> <i>by Eric Hill</i></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-gMQZpFUpW0">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-gMQZpFUpW0</a></p>	

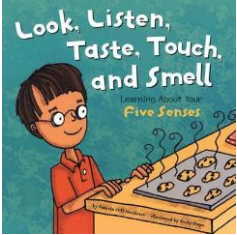
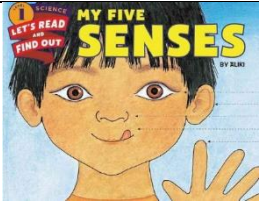
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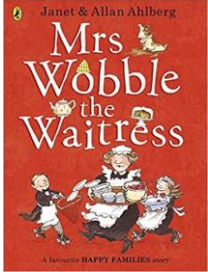
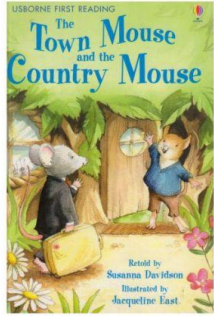
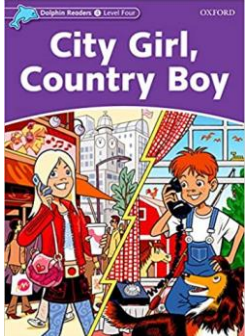
<i>Special: Happy Birthday</i>	<i>Coverpage</i>
<p><b>Happy Birthday, Winnie</b> by Valerie Thomas and Korky Paul</p>	
<p><b>The Secret Birthday Messages</b> by Eric Carle</p>	<p>The Secret Birthday Message By Eric Carle</p> 
<p><b>Happy Birthday from the Very Hungry Caterpillar</b> by Eric Carle</p>	

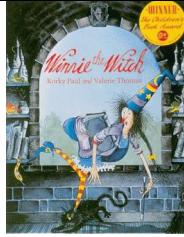
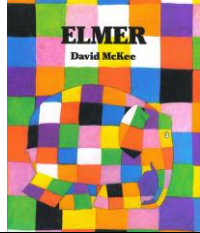
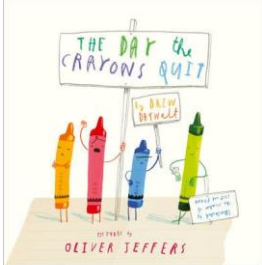
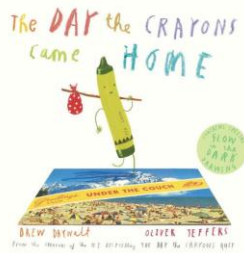


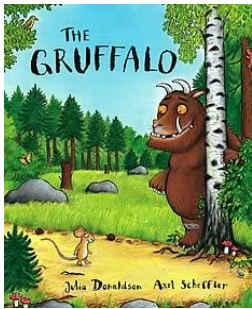
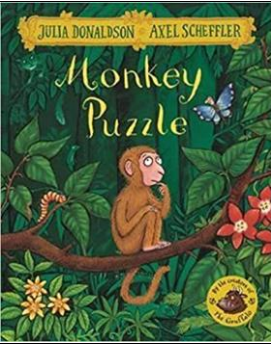
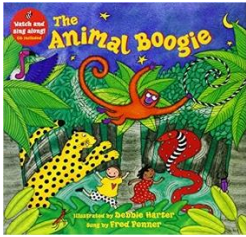
Special: Christmas	Coverpage
<p><b>The Gruffalo's Child</b> by Julia Donaldson, Axel Scheffler</p>	
<p>For native speakers: the original version of:</p> <p><b>Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer</b> by Robert L. May and Antonio Javier Caparo</p> <p>ISBN 978-1534400276</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AOT40_aqBKc">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AOT40_aqBKc</a></p> <p>978-0394826981</p>	
<p><b>Santa's Little Helper</b> (British Council)</p> <p><a href="http://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/short-stories/santas-little-helper">http://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/short-stories/santas-little-helper</a></p>	
<p><b>Merry Christmas from the very hungry caterpillar</b> by Eric Carle</p>	
<p><b>My favourite day- Christmas</b> (British Council)</p> <p><a href="http://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/short-stories/my-favourite-day-christmas">http://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/short-stories/my-favourite-day-christmas</a></p>	

## Storybooks and picture books that fit the units of Young World 2

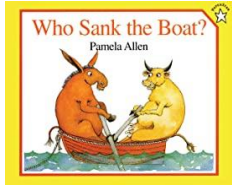

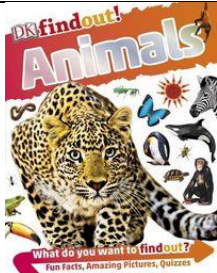
1. Five sensational senses	Coverpage
<p><b>Look, Listen, Taste, Touch, and Smell</b> <i>by Pamela Nettleton</i></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GNqe-6QAew0">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GNqe-6QAew0</a></p>	
<p><b>My Five Senses</b> <i>by Alike</i></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8FW2jQqweOg&amp;t=35s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8FW2jQqweOg&amp;t=35s</a></p>	

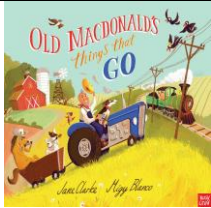
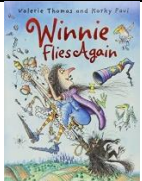
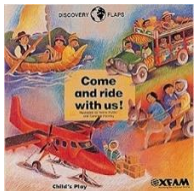
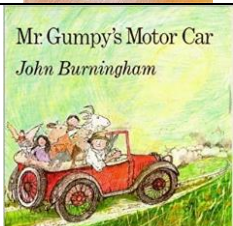
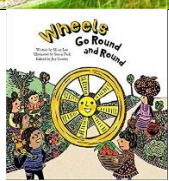
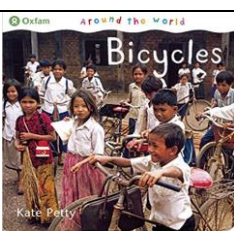
2. A town like mine	Coverpage
<p><b>Mrs Wobble the Waitress</b>  <i>by A. Ahlberg and J. Ahlberg</i></p> <p>ISBN 978-0723275596</p> <p>Animated version by Tom Armstrong:  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B9Rex2w_NVE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B9Rex2w_NVE</a></p>	
<p><b>Town Mouse and Country Mouse</b>  <i>by Susanna Davidson, Usborne First Reading</i></p> <p><a href="https://www.dailymotion.com/video/x6p1ttk">https://www.dailymotion.com/video/x6p1ttk</a></p>	
<p><b>City Girl, Country Boy</b>  <i>by Fiona Kenshole</i></p> <p>Oxford Dolphin Readers Level 4</p>	

3. A world of colour	Coverpage
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<p><b>Elmer</b>  <i>by David Mc Kee</i></p>	
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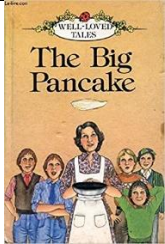
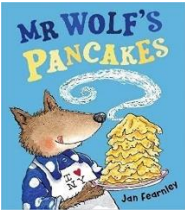
4. Exploring nature	Coverpage
<p><b>The Gruffalo</b> by Julia Donaldson &amp; Axel Scheffler</p> <p>ISBN: 978-1-5098-1512-8 (Edition with CD)</p> <p><a href="http://www.gruffalo.com">www.gruffalo.com</a></p> <p>Movie: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s8sUPpPc8Ws">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s8sUPpPc8Ws</a></p> <p>Read page by page, with parts of the pages shown as they are mentioned <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ADqon006eRY">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ADqon006eRY</a></p> <p>Professional performance of the Gruffalo <a href="http://www.tallstories.org.uk/the-gruffalo">http://www.tallstories.org.uk/the-gruffalo</a></p> <p>The Gruffalo Song : <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5ZfEIX2lhII">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5ZfEIX2lhII</a></p> <p>Printable worksheets: <a href="http://www.eslprintables.com/reading_worksheets/tales_and_stories/the_gruffalo/">http://www.eslprintables.com/reading_worksheets/tales_and_stories/the_gruffalo/</a></p> <p>Lots of teaching ideas and photocopiable material in: Rebenstorff, Heidrun (2016): <i>The Gruffalo: Englisch Literaturprojekt</i>. Kempen: BVK.</p>	
<p><b>Monkey Puzzle</b> by Julia Donaldson &amp; Axel Scheffler</p> <p>The musical version of the storybook: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iln8sjN1pgw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iln8sjN1pgw</a></p>	
<p><b>The Animal Boogie</b> by Debbie Harter and Fred Penner</p> <p>The whole book is one big song: ISBN 9781-84686-620-3 (edition on CD)</p>	

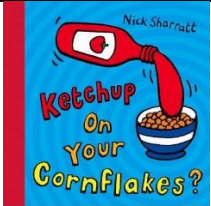
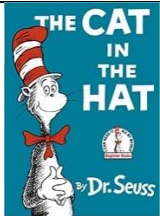



<b>Who Sank the Boat</b> <i>by Pamela Allen</i>	
<b>My Very First Book of Animal Homes</b> <i>by Eric Carle</i>	
<b>DK find out! Animals</b> <i>(DK publishing)</i>	

5. Are we there yet?	Coverpage
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<p><b>Winnie Flies Again</b>  <i>by Valeria Thomas and Korky Paul</i></p>	
<p><b>Come and Ride With Us!</b>  <i>by Annie Kubler and Caroline Formby</i></p>	
<p><b>Mr Grumpy's Motor Car</b>  <i>by John Burningham</i></p>	
<p><b>Wheels Go Round and Round</b>  <i>by Mi-Ae Lee and Soo-Ji Park</i></p> <p>ISBN 978-1925186598</p>	
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<p><b>A Very Brave Witch</b> by Alison McGhee &amp; Harry Bliss</p>	
<p><b>Winnie's Haunted House</b> by Valerie Thomas &amp; Korky Paul</p>	

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<p><b>Mr Wolf's Pancake</b> by Jan Fearnley</p> <p>ISBN 978-1405288583</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CXQDqHp-xM">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CXQDqHp-xM</a></p>	

<i>Other books</i>	<i>Coverpage</i>
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<p><b>The Cat in the Hat</b> by Dr. Seuss</p> <p>ISBN 978-0394800011</p>	
<p><b>Any Winnie the Witch book</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.winnieandwilbur.com/">https://www.winnieandwilbur.com/</a></p>	
<p><b>Stuck</b> by Oliver Jeffers</p> <p><a href="http://www.oliverjeffersworld.com/">http://www.oliverjeffersworld.com/</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.zebis.ch/unterrichtsmaterial/picture-book-stuck">https://www.zebis.ch/unterrichtsmaterial/picture-book-stuck</a> = teaching ideas and material uploaded by Silvia Frank</p>	