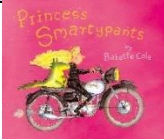
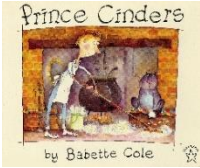
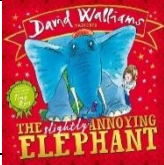
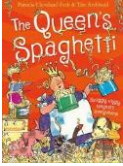


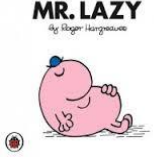


Storybooks and picturebooks for Young World 3 and 4



It's not as easy to find age-appropriate storybooks for 5th and 6th graders as it is for 3rd and 4th graders. But luckily there are some! 😊 In particular Babette Cole has created some hilarious books which that age group really enjoys, because they make fun of the fairy-tale stereotypes. Below, you find some recommendations of books for 5th and 6th graders which are not connected to any units of the coursebook Young World 3 and 4. Most of these storybooks can be found in the Mediothek of PH Zug.

Great storybooks which are not linked to a particular unit, suitable for 5 th and 6 th graders	Coverpage
Princess Smartypants <i>by Babette Cole</i>	
Prince Cinders <i>by Babette Cole</i>	
The Slightly Annoying Elephant <i>by David Walliams</i>	
The Queen's Spaghetti <i>by Patricia Cleveland-Peck and Tim Archbold</i>	
Sir Charlie Stinky Socks and the Really Dreadful Spell <i>by Kristina Stephenson</i>	
Beware of Boys <i>by Tony Blundell</i>	
Mr. Man and Little Miss by Roger Hargreaves (viele Filme auf youtube) http://www.literacytrust.org.uk/assets/0002/0325/Mr Men competition resources complete set.pdf	

Check out these websites for more books and material:

- Babette Cole: <https://babette-cole.com/>
- Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler: <https://axelscheffler.com/books>
- Winnie the Witch (series): <https://www.winnieandwilbur.com/>

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.

And on youtube, there are 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.

The Mediothek of the PH Zug and the Didaktisches Zentrum Zug have quite a lot of these storybooks.

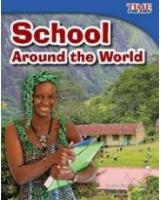
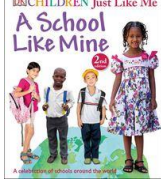
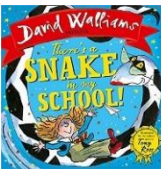
It would be great to hear about your experiences with some of these storybooks or to get some hints from you about other storybooks which you can recommend to other teachers so that I can add them to this list. Just send me an email: sylvia.nadig@phzg.ch. Thanks.

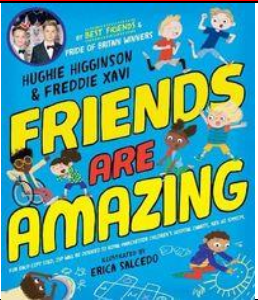
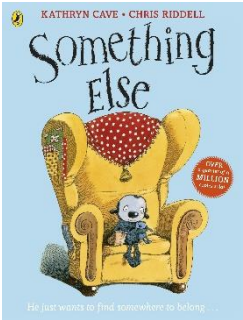
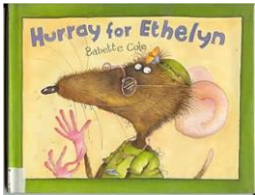
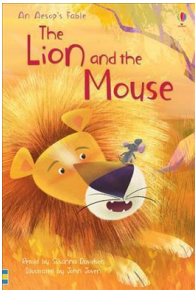
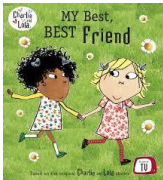
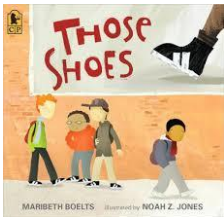
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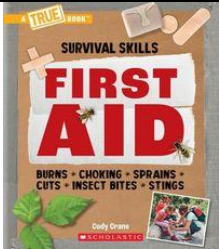
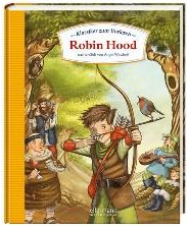
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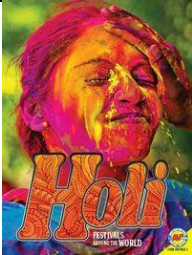
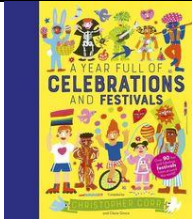
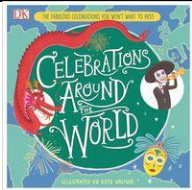

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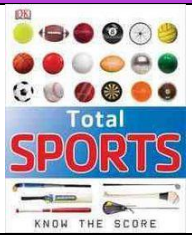
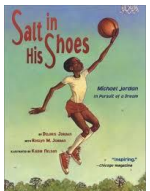
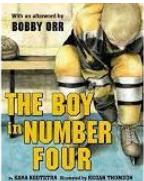
Storybooks and picturebooks which fit the units of Young World 3

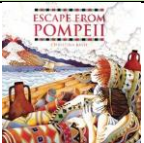
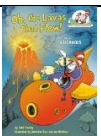
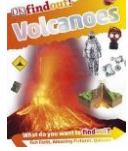
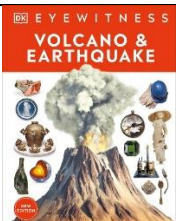
1. Schools around the world	Coverpage
<p>Schools Around the World by Dona Herweck Rice</p>	
<p>Children Just like me: A School like mine (DK Publishing)</p>	
<p>There's a Snake in our School by David Walliams</p>	

2. Friendship	Coverpage
<p>Friends Are Amazing <i>By Huggie Higginson and Freddie Xavi</i></p> <p>ISBN 978-0-7023-1883-2</p>	
<p>Something Else <i>by Kathryn Cave and Chris Riddell</i></p> <p>ISBN 0-582-44774-7</p> <p>Lots of ideas and material in Ellis, Gail & Brewster, Jean (2002). <i>Tell it Again! The New Storytelling Handbook for Primary Teachers</i>. Harlow: Penguin.</p>	
<p>Hurray for Ethelyn <i>by Babette Cole</i></p>	
<p>The Lion and the Mouse <i>by Susanna Davidson</i></p> <p>ISBN 978-1-4749-5655-0</p> <p>https://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/short-stories/the-lion-and-the-mouse</p>	
<p>Charlie and Lola: My Best Best Friend <i>by Lauren Child</i></p>	
<p>Those Shoes <i>by Marybeth Boelts and Noah Z. Jones</i></p>	


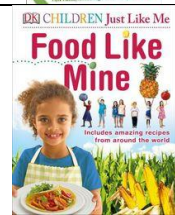

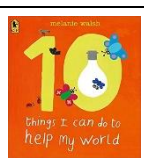

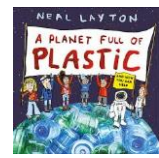
3. Help!	Coverpage
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<p>Robin Hood https://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/short-stories/robin-hood</p>	

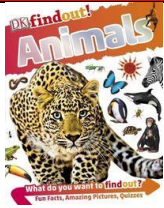
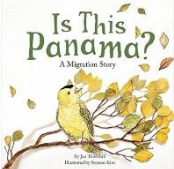
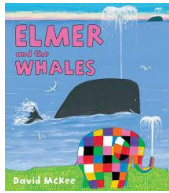


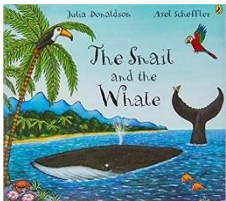
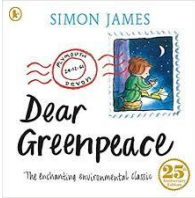
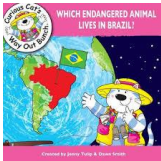
4. Festivals	
<p>Holi by Grace Jones</p>	
<p>A year full of festivals and celebrations by Claire Grace</p>	
<p>Celebrations Around the World: The Fabulous Celebrations You Won't Want to Miss by Katie Halford</p>	
<p>Children Just Like Me: Celebrations. Festivals, Carnivals and Feast Days from around the World by B. & A. Kindersley</p>	


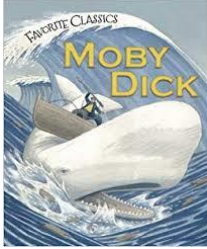
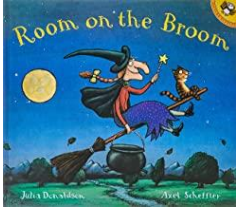
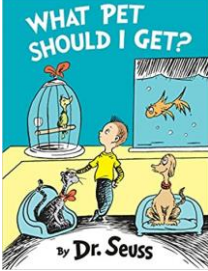
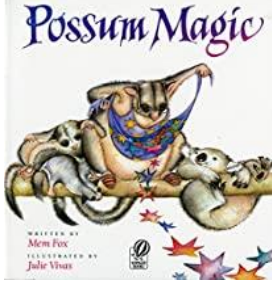
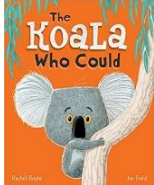
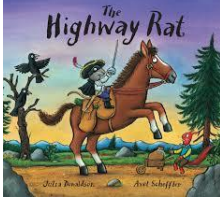
5. Sports and games		Coverpage
Total Sports <i>(DK Publishing)</i>		
Goal! <i>by Mina Javaherbin & A. G. Ford</i>		
Salt in His Shoes: Michael Jordan in Pursuit of a Dream <i>by Deloris Jordan, Roslyn M. Jordan and Kadir Nelson</i>		
The Boy in Number Four <i>by Kara Kootstra and Regan Thomson</i>		

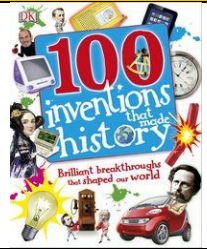
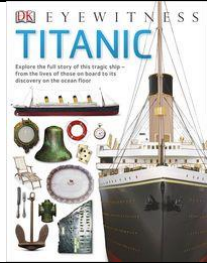
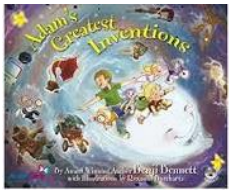

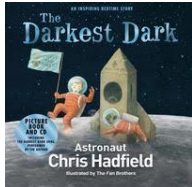

Special: Living planet		
Escape from Pompeii <i>by Christina Balit</i>		
Oh, the Lavas that Flow! All about Volcanoes <i>by Todd Tarpley</i>		
DK find out! Volcanoes <i>(DK publishing)</i>		
DK Eyewitness: Volcano and Earthquake <i>(DK publishing)</i>		

Storybooks and picture books which fit the units of Young World 4

1. The way we live	Coverpage
The following books don't contain really a story, but lots of interesting facts:	
DK find out! Rubbish (DK publishing)	
Children Just Like Me: Food Like Mine (DK Publishing)	
Greta and the Giants by Zoe Tucker and Zoe Persico https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GcCgn7QTAXw	
10 Things I Can Do to Help My World by Melanie Walsh	
The Great Big Green Book by Mary Hoffmann and Ros Asquith	
A Planet Full of Plastic and How You Can Help by Neal Layton	
Usborne Lift-the-flap: Questions and Answers about Plastic by Katie Daynes and Marie-Eve Tremblay	

2. Fascinating animal facts	Coverpage
<p>DK find out! Animals (DK publishing)</p>	
<p>Is This Panama? A Migration Story by Jan Thornhill and Soyeon Kim</p>	
<p>Elmer and the Whales by David McKee</p>	
<p>Commotion in the Ocean by Giles Andreae and David Wojtowycz</p>	
<p>The Unexpected Visitor by Jessica Courtney-Tickle</p>	
<p>The Snail and the Whale by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler</p> <p>Teaching ideas in: Fuchs, R. ed. (2019). <i>I'm Going to Tell You a Story</i>. Bern: hep Verlag.</p>	
<p>Dear Greenpeace by Simon James</p> <p>About whales</p>	
<p>Which Endangered Animal Lives in Brazil? by Julia Donaldson</p>	

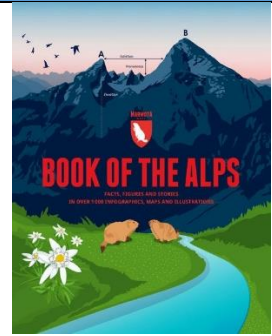
<p>Lost and Found by Oliver Jeffers</p>	
<p>For native speakers:</p> <p>Moby Dick retold by Sasha Morton, ill. by Alfredo Belli</p> <p><i>Favourite Classics Series, Ticktock Books</i></p>	
<p>Room on the Broom by Julia Donaldson & Axel Scheffler</p> <p>https://roomonthebroom.com/</p>	
<p>What Pet Should I Get? by Dr. Seuss</p>	
<p>Possum Magic by Mem Fox and Julie Vivas</p> <p>An Australian classic with various typical Australian animals</p>	
<p>The Koala Who Could by Jim Field</p>	
<p>The Highway Rat by Julia Donaldson & Axel Scheffler, 802.13</p>	

3. Yesterday and today	Coverpage
100 Inventions that Made History <i>(DK publishing)</i>	
DK Eyewitness: Titanic <i>(DK publishing)</i>	
Adam's Greatest Inventions <i>by Benji Bennett and Roxanne Burchartz</i>	
Jackrabbit McCabe and the Electric Telegraph <i>by Lucy Margaret Rozier and Leo Espinosa</i>	
The Darkest Dark <i>by Chris Hadfield and the Fan Brothers</i>	
Isaac Newton (British Council) https://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/short-stories/isaac-newton	

4. The call of the Alps

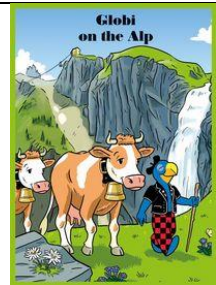
Book of the Alps: Facts, Figures and Stories in over 1000 Infographics, Maps and Illustrations

by Tobias Weaver, Björn Quiver & Stefan Mirror



Globi on the Alp

by Jürg Lendenmann



Heidi

by Johanna Spyri, retold by Jeanne Willis, illustrated by Briony May Smith



5. The story of chocolate	Coverpage
<p>Curious George Goes to a Chocolate Factory <i>by Margret Rey and H.A. Rey</i></p>	
<p>Mr Bunny's Chocolate Factory <i>by Elys Dolan</i></p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X9A1UkCq8PQ</p>	
<p>Chocolate, Chocolate, Everywhere! The Chocolate Fountain <i>by Paul Mason & Russ Daff</i> Macmillan Children's Readers</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DhuEHlpq13k</p>	
<p>Charlie and the Chocolate Factory <i>by Roald Dahl</i> Pearson English Kids Readers Level 5</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OMFQtY6655E</p> <p>Trailer to the movie: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OFVGCUIXJIs</p>	