

READ OVER THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS!



Year 6

Make time for reading
this summer!

A reading list is attached
with some possible options,
or choose a book of your own



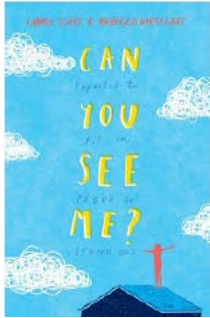
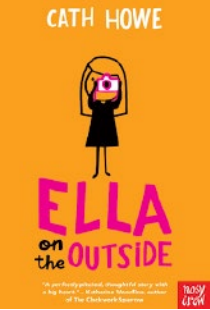
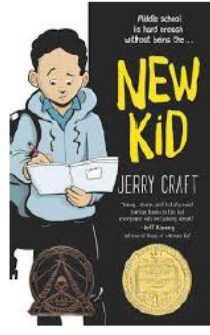
Write a review of a book
you have read—
prizes are up for grabs!

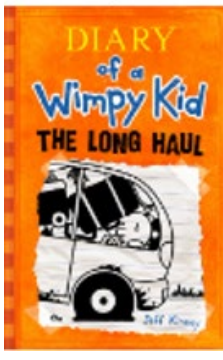
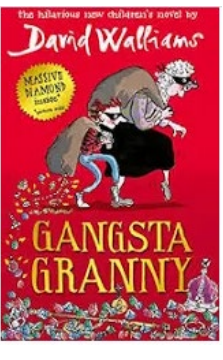
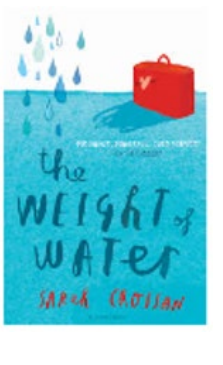


Please email your book review to a.williams@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk

Alternatively, you can bring your book review with you in September. I am based
in Q2, Kingston.

Mrs A Williams

Can You See Me? by Libby Scott & Rebecca Westcott		Genre: Realistic Fiction / Neurodiversity Synopsis: Tally is autistic and struggling with the pressures of fitting in. A dual narrative reveals her internal struggles alongside the expectations of school and peers. Themes: Autism, friendship, masking, inclusion, honesty.
Ella on the Outside by Cath Howe		Genre: Realistic Fiction / School Drama Synopsis: Ella wants to be liked at her new school, but holding secrets and trying to fit in comes at a cost. A gentle but powerful story of learning to be true to yourself. Themes: Belonging, trust, peer pressure, honesty.
Crater Lake by Jennifer Killick		Genre: Sci-fi / Horror / Adventure Synopsis: A school trip takes a terrifying turn when the students start acting strangely—and not everyone is human anymore. Funny, creepy, and full of heart. Themes: Courage, teamwork, survival, friendship under pressure.
New Kid by Jerry Craft		Genre: Graphic Novel / Realistic Fiction Synopsis: Jordan Banks is the new kid in a private school where he feels like he doesn't belong. Through comics and clever storytelling, he grapples with race, privilege, and identity. Themes: Racism, belonging, identity, creative expression, cultural awareness.
Everything All At Once by Steven Camden		Genre: Poetry / Realistic Fiction Synopsis: A poetic portrait of school life, capturing voices from across the year group. From crushes to school fights, each poem reveals the chaos, confusion, and connection of growing up. Themes: Teenage emotions, school culture, voice, community, change.

Private Peaceful Michael Morpurgo		Genre: Historical Fiction Synopsis: Set during World War I, this poignant novel follows young soldier Tommo Peaceful as he looks back on his childhood and the circumstances that led him to the trenches. Themes: War, brotherhood, courage, memory, injustice.
Diary of a Wimpy Kid (Book 9) Jeff Kinney		Genre: Humorous Fiction Synopsis: Greg Heffley chronicles his life in middle school in a series of humorous diary entries and cartoons, full of relatable awkward moments and misadventures. Themes: Friendship, fitting in, growing up, humour, resilience.
Gangsta Granny David Walliams		Genre: Humorous Fiction/ Adventure Synopsis: Ben thinks his granny is boring—until he discovers she's an international jewel thief! A funny and touching story that mixes humour with heart. Themes: Family, secrets, imagination, intergenerational bonds.
The Hunger Games Suzanne Collins		Genre: Dystopian Fiction Synopsis: In a future society, Katniss Everdeen volunteers to take her sister's place in a televised death match. A gripping story of survival and rebellion. Themes: Survival, inequality, sacrifice, resistance, media manipulation.
One Sarah Crossan		Genre: Verse novel Synopsis: Tippi and Grace are conjoined twins trying to live a normal teenage life. Told in verse, this is a powerful and emotional story of sisterhood and identity. Themes: Disability, identity, family, love, acceptance.