

Appendix 1. Picture books by theme

Who are you?

Willis, J., & Ross, T. (2001). *Susan laughs*. London: Red Fox.

Browne, A. (1985). *Willy the champ*. London: Julia MacRae.

Carlson, N. (1990). *I like me!* London: Puffin.

What is your family like?

Browne, A. (1989). *The tunnel*. London: Julia MacRae Books.

Browne, A. (1986). *Piggybook*. London: Julia MacRae Books.

Browne, A. (1992). *Zoo*. London: Julia MacRae Books.

Browne, A. (2004). *Into the forest*. London: Walker Books.

Chichester Clark, E. (2001). *No more kissing!* London: Andersen Press.

Loverseed, A. (1998). *I think my mum's a witch*. London: Walker Books.

McKee, D. (1990). *Not now, Bernard*. London: Red Fox.

Roberts, D. (2003). *Dirty Bertie*. London: Little Tiger Press.

Sharratt, N. (2000). *Smart aunties*. London: Walker Books.

Waddell, M., & Eachus, J. (1994). *The big blue sea*. London: Walker Books Ltd.

Who would you choose for friends?

Allan, N. (1992). *The magic lavatory*. London: Red Fox.

Briggs, R. (1978). *The Snowman*. London: Hamish Hamilton.

Counsel, J., & Layton N. (2005). *But Martin!* London: Picture Corgi.

Müller, H. (1999). *Mr. Cool*. London: Cat's Whiskers.

Schreiber-Wicke, E., & Holland, C. (2000). *Ed loves Sarah loves Tim*. London: Cat's Whiskers.

What do you do in your spare time?

Anholt, L., & Moxley, S. (1999). *Stone girl, bone girl*. London: Doubleday.

Jeffers, O. (2007). *The incredible book eating boy*. London: HarperCollins.

What is your house like?

Briggs, R. (1978) *The Snowman*. London: Hamish Hamilton

Brown, R. (1992). *A dark, dark tale*. London: Random House.

Waddell, M., & Hartas, L. (1998). *Mimi and the dream house*. Cambridge, Massachusetts: Candlewick Press.

What do you like to eat?

Gray, K. & Sharratt, N. (2001.) *Eat your peas*. London: Red Fox.

What pets would you choose?

Burningham, J. (1994). *Courtney*. London: Jonathan Cape.

Day, A. (1997). *Good dog, Carl*. New York: Simon & Schuster.

Holzwarth, W. & Erlbruch, W. (1994). *The story of the little mole who knew it was none of his business*. London: Anova Books Ltd.

Kerr, J. (1968). *The tiger who came to tea*. London: Harper Collins.

Masurel, C., & Papparone, P. (2000). *Ten dogs in the window*. London: North-South Books.

Monks, L. (1998). *I wish I were a dog*. London: Methuen Children's Books.

Dodd, L. (1983). *Hairy Maclary from Donaldson's dairy*. Mallinson Rendel Publishers Limited.

Zion, G., & Bloy Graham, M. (2006). *Harry the dirty dog*. London: HarperCollins.

What can you do about your environment?

Baker, J. (1987). *Where the forest meets the sea*. London: Julia MacRae Books.

Where would you like to travel?

Buningham, J. (1973). *Mr. Gumpy's outing*. London: Jonathan Cape.

Hest, A., & Lynch, P. J. (1997). *When Jessie came across the sea*. London: Walker Books.

Hindley, J., & Benedict, W. (1995). *The big red bus*. London: Walker Books Ltd.

Puttock, S., & Lambert, S. (2000). *Coral goes swimming*. London: Hodder Children's Books.

Rosen, M., & Oxenbury, H. (1989). *We're going on a bear hunt*. New York: Simon & Schuster.

Schulevitz, U. (2008). *How I learned geography*. Farrar, Straus and Giroux

Journeys within

Browne, A. (1989). *The tunnel*. London: Julia MacRae Books.

Browne, A. (1990). *Changes*. London: Julia MacRae Books

Browne, A. (2004). *Into the forest*. London: Walker Books

Oram, H., & Brown, R. (1997). *The wise doll*. London: Andersen Press.

Sendak, M. (1963). *Where the wild things are*. London: HarperCollins Ltd.

Schulevitz, U. (1986). *The treasure*. Square Fish.

Mysterious encounters

Van Allsburg, C. (1979). *The garden of Abdul Gasazi*. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company.

Van Allsburg, C. (1981). *Jumanji*. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company.

Van Allsburg, C. (1985). *The Polar Express*. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company.

Van Allsburg, C. (1992). *The widow's broom*. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company.

Traditional tales retold

Browne, A. (1980). *Hansel and Gretel*. London: Julia MacRae Books.

French, F. (1986). *Snow White in New York*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Hughes, S. (2003). *Ella's big chance: A fairy tale retold*. London: The Bodley Head.

Munsch, R. N., & Martchenko, M. (1980). *The paper bag princess*. Toronto: Annick Press Ltd.

Oram, H., & Brown, R. (1997). *The wise doll*. London: Andersen Press.

Porter, S. (1989). *Little wolf and the giant*. London: Simon & Schuster Limited.

Robinson, H. & Sharratt, N. (2005). *Mixed-up fairy tales*. London: Hodder Children's Books.

Ross, T. (1993). *The boy who cried wolf*. London: Red Fox

Scieszka, J. & Smith, L. (1996). *The true story of the three little pigs*. New York: Puffin.

Trivizas, E., & Oxenbury, H. (1995). *The three little wolves and the big bad pig*. London: Mammoth.

Appendix 2. Useful Websites and Resources for Finding and Using Stories

The websites below may be helpful if you look for appropriate stories or videos of picture books and ways to use them. Some of them also include forums where teachers can exchange ideas and materials, or ask for advice. On many of these sites you are also likely to find further links to story-sites.

Storyline Online, <http://www.storylineonline.net/> the SAG Foundation (Screen Actors Guild Foundation) presents videos that feature well-known actors read award-winning picture books. Includes subtitles in English.

Storynory - Free Audio Stories for Kids: <http://www.storynory.com/> a collection of classical fairy tales, myths, Arthurian legends and other stories read aloud.

Resources for myths, folk and fairy tales from all over the world:

<http://www.storiestogrowby.com/choose.php>

<http://www.surlalunefairytales.com>

<http://www.pitt.edu/~dash/folktexts.html>

<http://en.childrenslibrary.org/>

Realbook News - <http://www.teachingenglish.org.uk/article/real-books> Picture book titles and ways to use them in your classes

Carol Hurst's Children's Literature Site: Books in the Classroom.com:

<http://www.carolhurst.com/> Books for children, ways to use them in the classroom, activities about particular subjects and curriculum areas, literature based units

Australian storytelling: <http://www.australianstorytelling.org.au/storymag.php>

Storytelling skills, resource bank of fables on:

<http://www.australianstorytelling.org.au/txt/fables.php>

The Storytelling Resource Centre: <http://www.thestorytelling-resource-centre.com/>

Storytelling skills, relying on a collection of folk tales, urban legends and scary stories including Halloween Ghost Stories.

ESL printables.com: http://www.eslprintables.com/speaking_worksheets/story_telling/

Printable worksheets for many levels designed by English language teachers, focused on skills development and communicative practice.

Newspaper and story lessons for ESL teachers

<http://www.eslflow.com/Newspaperstorylessonplans.html>

Literacy teaching ideas: Writing fiction

http://www.teachingideas.co.uk/english/contents_writingfiction.htm

Useful prompts and planning sheets to help children write stories, describe settings and encourage them to think about characters. Primarily for L1 development, so you may find them useful with late primary learners.

Literactive: <http://www.literactive.com/Home/index.asp>

Reading materials for very young learners (pre-school, kindergarten and grade 1), in particular for first language development, e-picture books and worksheets.