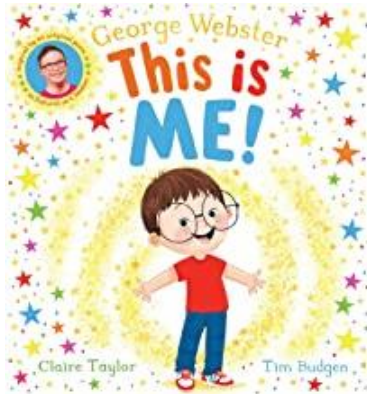


## Brilliant picture books to share



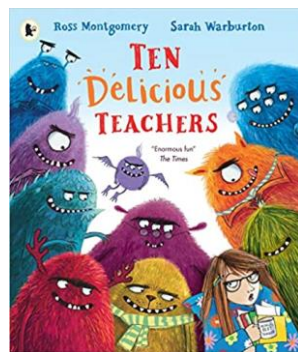
'Our differences make us special. We don't all have to be the same. Imagine how boring the world would be if everyone had the same name.'

George Webster introduces us to a variety of friends who have differences and challenges that show us being unique is something to be admired and celebrated.

Noor loves her mum and all the other hijabi women in her family, but wonders why do they wear headscarves? Is it so they can hide snacks for later? Or because they're a super spy and hiding their secret identity? Noor asks her busy family for the answer but everyone is rushing and not able to answer until her Ammu comes to her aid.



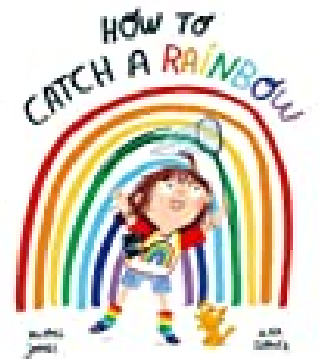
My class really enjoyed this book.



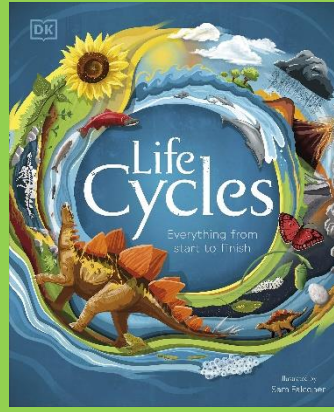
Ten very foolish teachers have missed the last bus home. But -look a shortcut through the forest! They will be back in time for tea! What can go wrong? Lurking in the woods is a horde of mischievous, goofy creatures and they are just waiting.

A lovely story about determination and the wonder of rainbows.

Freya loves rainbows and decides to catch one. Unfortunately it isn't as easy as she thought and she has to keep trying and use her imagination and creativity to make her wish come true.



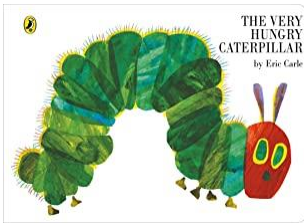
A beautifully illustrated and informative book covering lifecycles from butterflies to volcanos. A great book for the family to share and keep. Usefully for both young ones, older children and adults. I never knew the life cycle of a venus fly trap!



## Non Fiction

Great reads to expand minds

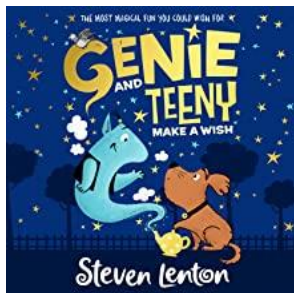
## Oldie but Goodie



Eric Carle's classic shows the lifecycle of a butterfly in an interactive way with gorgeous illustrations.

## Books for moving on

Mira CAN'T WAIT to start Unicorn School. But when Mira arrives on her first day all the unicorns are gone . . . except Dave! Dave isn't quite the sparkly magical unicorn Mira was expecting to find at the end of the rainbow – he's more grumpy than glittery, more interested in lunch than magical quests and he always runs off when Mira tries to ride him – but Mira's not going to let that get her down. This is first in the series of mad cap adventures for Mira and Dave.



When Grant the Genie is cast out of Genie World, he lands on Earth with a big fat bump! Without a lamp to call home, he has to settle for an old cracked tea pot instead. Grant is very lonely until he meets the puppy Teeny. Then Grant and Teeny are kidnapped by the evil purple loving Lavinia Lavender and find themselves A rollercoaster series with cool illustrations and book 1 teaches you how to draw your own Genie.

## **Aspirational Read**

This is in my top 5 reads for lower KS2 I absolutely LOVE it. A madcap adventure for Dad as he attempts to purchase milk for his children's breakfast. Full of aliens, pirates, Mayans and more with fantastic illustrations from Chris Biddulph throughout. This is a rip roaring ride that kids will enjoy every minute of. It also gives them an early opportunity to delve into the work of the fabulous Neil Gaiman.

