**Recommended Reading List 6th Class Scoil Mhuire**

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| **Title** | **Author** | **Significant Information** |
| Alex Rider | Anthony Horowitz | A series of spy novels |
| Chronicles of Narnia | C.S. Lewis | Series. 6th Class recommend ‘The Lion, The Witch & The Wardrobe’ & ‘The Silver Chair’. |
| The Chocolate Box Girls Series | Cathy Cassidy | 7 books in series. |
| Looking Glass Girl |  |
| Driftwood |  |
| Scarlett |  |
| Dizzy |  |
| Indigo Blue |  |
| Sundae Girl |  |
| Lucky Star |  |
| Moone Boy Books | [Chris O'Dowd](https://www.panmacmillan.com/Authors/Chris-O-Dowd) and [Nick Vincent Murphy](https://www.panmacmillan.com/Authors/Nick-Vincent-Murphy) | Series. |
| Kingdom’s Dawn | Chuck Black | Series. Lead characters reflect biblical characters. |
| Inkspell | Cornelia Funke | Series. |
| Inkheart | Series. |
| Inkdeath | Series. |
| How to Train your Dragon | Cressida Cowell | Series. |
| Bird | Crystal Chan | 11+ years. A family coping with grief. |
| The Person Controller | David Baddiel |  |
|  | David Walliams | 6th Class recommend ‘Awful Auntie’, ‘The Midnight Gang’ & ‘Demon Dentist’ |
| Skulduggery Pleasant | Derek Landy | Series. Irish Author. Fantasy novels based on the adventures of a skeleton detective. 11+ years. |
| The Famous Five | Enid Blyton | Series. |
|  | Eoin Colfer | Recommended Author. |
| The Secret Garden | [Frances Hodgson Burnett](https://www.commonsensemedia.org/search/Frances%20Hodgson%20Burnett) |  |
| Horrid Henry | Francesca Simon | Series. |
| Out of Nowhere | Gerald Whelan | Set in a monastery. Mystery, Sci-fi, Suspense, a bit of horror. |
|  | Gerard Siggins | This author has several books about rugby & cricket. |
| Harry Potter Books | J.K. Rowling | Series. 6th Class recommend ‘The Cursed Child’. |
| Fantastic Beasts & Where to Find Them | Consists of a listing of magical beasts with a description for each. |
| Tales of Beedle the Bard | J.K. Rowling |  |
| The Lord of the Rings | J.R. Tolkien | 12+ years. |
| Lily Alone | Jacqueline Wilson |  |
| Wave Me Goodbye |  |
| Vicky Angel |  |
| Opal Plumstead |  |
| Hetty Feather |  |
| Sapphire Battersea |  |
| Emerald Star |  |
| Diamond |  |
| Little Stars |  |
| Clover Moon |  |
| The Maze Runner | James Dashner | Series. Science Fiction (12-17 years) |
| Diary of a Wimpy Kid | Jeff Kinney | Series. |
| Barry Loser | Jim Smith | Series. |
| The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas | John Boyne | Holocaust Novel. |
| Alice & Meghan Series | Judi Curtin | Series. |
| Eva | Judi Curtin | Series. |
| Shine | Kate Maryon |  |
| Bridge to Terabithia | Katherine Paterson |  |
| Because of Winn Dixie | Kaye DiCamillo |  |
| A Series of Unfortunate Events | Lemony Snicket | Series. |
| Alice Through the Looking Glass | Lewis Carroll | (Alice in Wonderland) |
| Tom Gates Books | Liz Pichon | Series. Similar to ‘I Am Not a Loser’ by Jim Smith. |
| Under the Hawthorn Tree | Marita Conlon McKenna | Historical Novel of Famine times. |
| A Girl Called Blue |  |
| Fields of Home | Historical Novel of Famine times. |
| Wildflower Girl | Historical Novel of Famine times. |
| Judy Moody | Megan McDonald |  |
| Gone | Michael Grant | Book Series. 12+ years. |
|  | Michael Morpurgo | 6th Class recommend ‘Born to Run’, ‘Private Peaceful’ & ‘Shadow’ |
| Wolf Brother | Michelle Paver | Series. Only Torak and his wolf cub can defeat the evil that strikes the land. |
| Wonder | R. J. Palacio | A child with facial deformities faces every day challenges as he attends school. |
| Dork Diaries | [Rachel Renee Russell](https://www.google.ie/search?safe=strict&q=Rachel+Ren%C3%A9e+Russell&stick=H4sIAAAAAAAAAOPgE-LSz9U3SMnJyjE3U4KxUzLStOSzk630k_Lzs_VzMktSixKLKuOLU4syU4utEktLMvKLANM4SBA7AAAA&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjzrN6GlN3XAhViDMAKHbeNBScQmxMItwMoATAb) | Series. |
| The Heroes of Olympus Books | Rick Riordan | Series. Themes of magic & fantasy |
| Percy Jackson | Series. |
|  | Roald Dahl | Anything by the author. |
| Secret Kingdom | Rosie Banks | Series. |
| The Hunger Games Books | Suzanne Collins | Series. Science Fiction (12-17 years) |
| Horrible Histories | Terry Deary |  |
| The Spiderwick Chronicles | [Tony DiTerlizzi](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tony_DiTerlizzi) and [Holly Black](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Holly_Black). | Series. |
| Dewey | Vicki Myron | The Small-Town Library Cat Who Touched the World. |