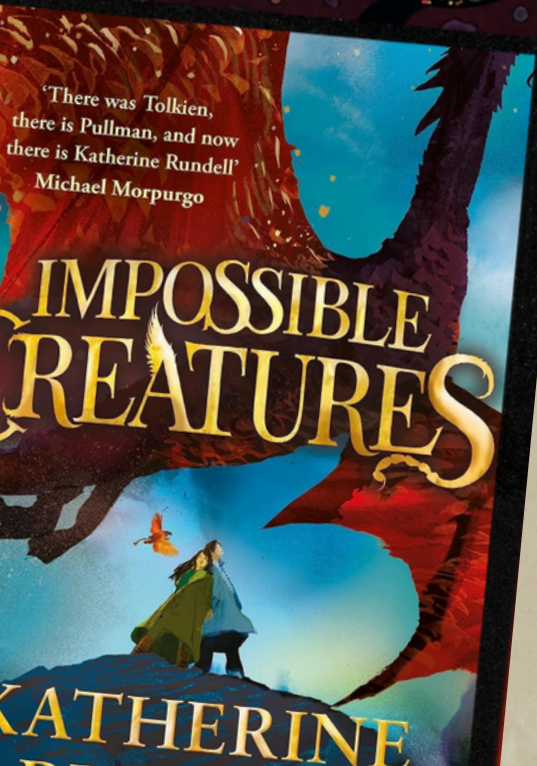
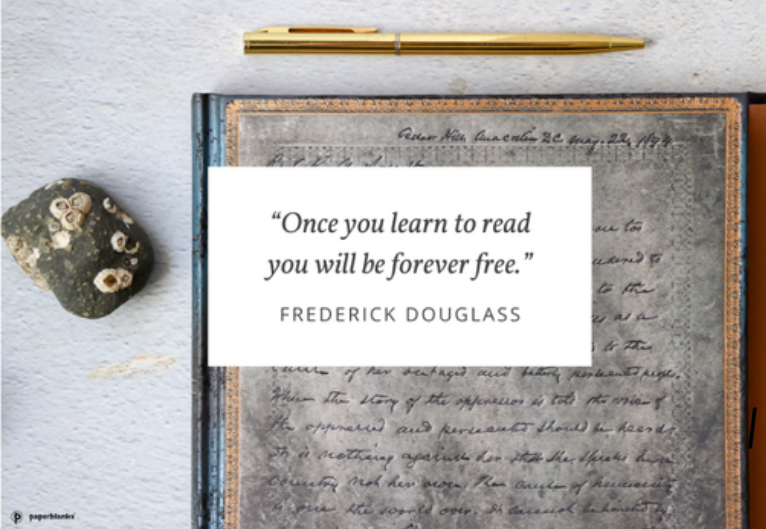


Book Journey

September 2024

The power to be found
between the pages of a book is
formidable, indeed





"Once you learn to read
you will be forever free."

FREDERICK DOUGLASS

THIS MONTH'S NEWS...

Welcome back!

I have to say that this Summer flew by and here we are, back in school ready to tackle a new year. Hopefully, reading played a part in everyone's summer break. Congratulations to Harrison, Eleanor, Evelyn, Ronnie, Annabelle, Amelia, Masie, Harrison, Clark and Parker for completing the summer reading challenge! With a new year, comes the prospect of a raft of new books. Mrs Blewett has been reorganising our library and the teachers have some exciting texts to share with their new classes.

We are looking forward to a new team of Librarians and Reading Ambassadors to continue to foster a love of reading across the school and to ensure that our barrow of books is wheeled out every break time for all to enjoy!

Book club will continue in each class and parents will be invited in to share books with their children.

Ivington Primary School

WHERE LEARNING TO
READ BECOMES READING
TO LEARN



BENEATH

BY

CORI DOERRFELD

Read aloud for our
younger children in
Nursery and
Reception



Little Finn is in a horrible mood, curled up under a quilt and refusing to come out. Grandpa wants to help but, 'You won't understand', says Finn. But he does agree to go for a walk, albeit still hidden under the quilt. Don't worry says Grandpa, 'I'll remember to think about what's beneath.'

A book about loss, love and recovery...

Click this link to read more about this book.

<https://www.lovereadings4kids.co.uk/book/9781915252784/isbn/Beneath-by-Cori-Doerrfeld.html>



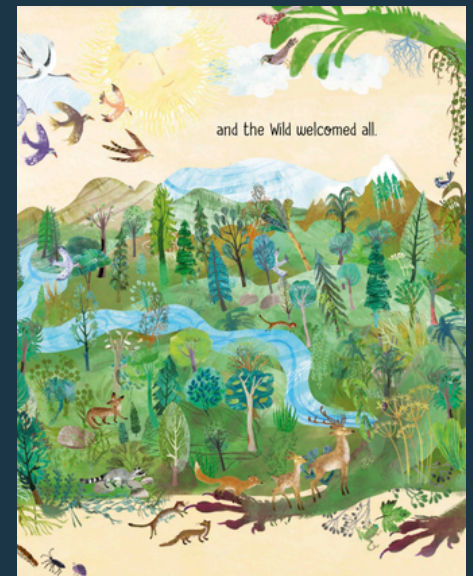
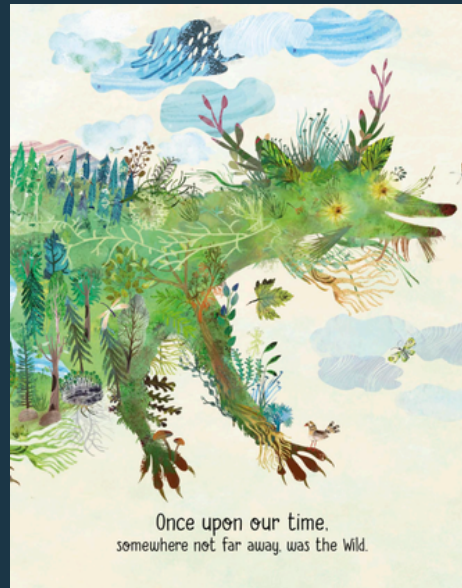
Another one for our
younger readers...
but even our older
children will enjoy
the beautiful
illustrations in this
book.



THE WILD

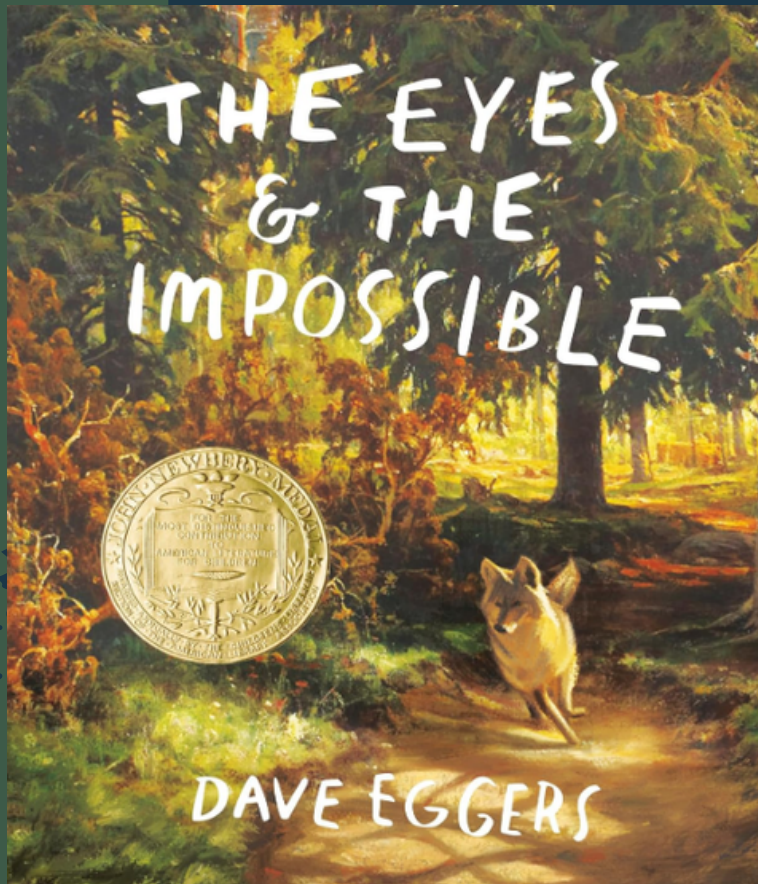
BY YUVAL ZOMMER

Once upon a time, somewhere not far away, was the Wild. The Wild was huge and giving, and everything from insects, to birds, to humans made their home in it. At first, people lived lightly and took what they needed, but when they started to take more, the Wild suffered.



THE EYES AND THE IMPOSSIBLE

At the start of this book is an explanation - an unusual start to a children's book. However, it adds to the mystery of this text and definitely made me want to read on. Animal lovers will devour this book and again, the illustrations near the start will hook you from the very beginning.



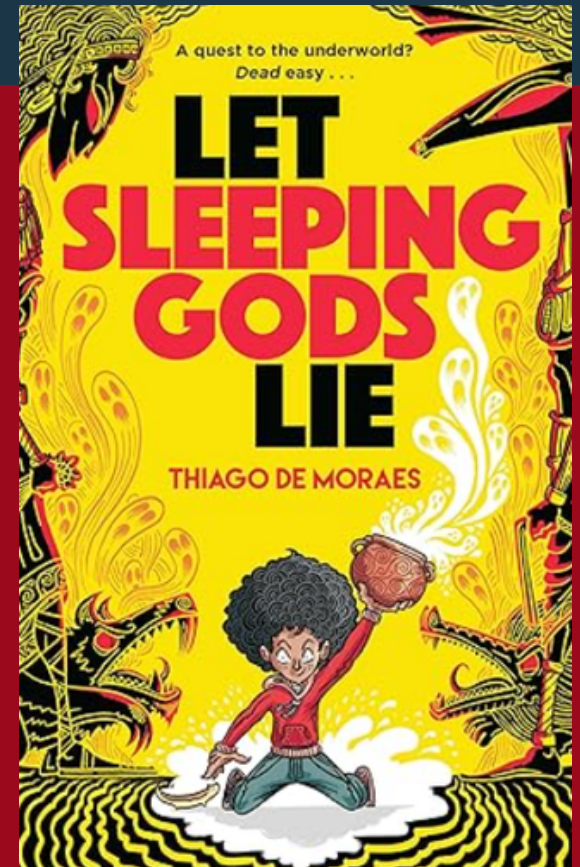
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Johannes is a free dog, a fast dog - such a fast dog! He lives in an urban park by the sea, and every day, he runs through the park, seeing all, missing nothing, and reporting what he sees to the park's three ancient Bison, the Keepers of the Equilibrium.

'Saving the world is not all it's cracked up to be. It's pretty rubbish, actually'

...an intoxicating mix of fascinating mythological and cultural detail (with bonus explanatory notes about the new Underworld gods in the Appendix)



As opening lines go, the one at top here has to one of the all time best! A great book for our 9+ readers in school who enjoy stories about Mythology.

If you haven't discovered Katherine Rundell, her books never fail to engage and excite so I have no doubt that this new title will be just the same. Add to this the fact that there is a fold out map at the back and I am sold! Perfect for our children in Rowan Class



'Christopher is stunned when he discovers a passage to the Archipelago: a cluster of magical islands where all the creatures of myth still live and breed and thrive in their thousands.'



Books are a uniquely
portable magic.



Stephen King
On Writing

*Thanks for joining
me*

ON MY BOOK JOURNEY

If you have a book to recommend, do let me or one of our librarians know and I will endeavour to include it in my next instalment. In the meantime, keep reading and I hope you have enjoyed the books I have shared with you this time.....**don't forget to come and tell me if you buy one of the books in this newsletter or add it to your Christmas list -I would love to know!**

Mrs Smith

