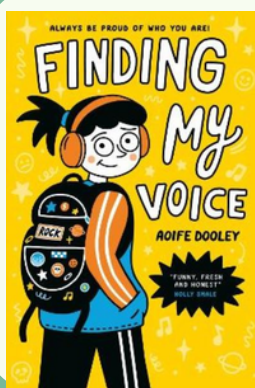


# June Reading News



Primary

## Finding My Voice by Aoife Dooley



Frankie is 12 and about to start a new school and is excited and nervous. Frankie recently found out that she is Autistic. She is worried that she will not fit in but then she forms a band.

In 'Finding My Voice' difference is celebrated. Life would be boring if we were all the same. Think about you and your friends – what is different and what is similar? This month is Pride month, and we should all be proud of and happy with ourselves and not worry what other people think of us. Celebrate who you are!

### What words would you use to describe your reading book?

This week we have funny, action-packed, magical, mystery, scary, mysterious, thrilling, amazing, and silly. When you have finished your book, think of just 3 words to describe it. Share these words with your friends and family. I would love to hear them too so if you see me let me know.



Thank you to our Year 5 Reading Ambassadors for these great book reviews.

**Hostage by Malorie Blackman**  
**Review by Millie, Caribbean**

This book is about a girl called Angela. She's not close with her dad but then when she is walking down the street, she sees a woman calling her name. Then it went dark. Angela couldn't see anything. She knew someone had taken her but luckily, she gets hold of the phone and calls the police. She gets out of the house but falls into a sort of pit. Will she ever get out?

I like this book since it's a book about mystery and I LOVE murder mystery and it's a quick read so you could read it in a week or two.

My favourite bits are when she pick locked the door with the paper clip and gum she had in her pocket.

I recommend this book to children over 9+ and that like dramatic endings.

Words to describe the book: Mystery, scary, hostage.



**Spellcasters by Crystal Sung**  
**Review by Semilore, Aegean**



This book is about four girls who inherited magic from their ancestors. They need to learn how to use it, to stop the Grayding from destroying everything!

I really like the book because although it's a fantasy book, the author still included bits that are true.

I love how the author used a bit of cultural words.

I recommend this book to anyone who likes fantasy!

Words to describe this book: magical.



**The 13 Storey Tree House by Andy Griffiths and Terry Denton**  
**Review by Thomas, Aegean**

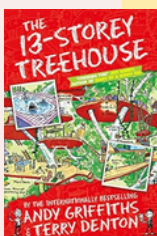
The book is about two boys who are writing a book but lots of distractions get in their way. Will they avoid the distractions and finish the book on time or not?

This is one of my favourite books so I wouldn't be surprised if other people enjoy it as much as me.

My favourite part was when they turned the cat into a canary because it was strange.

I would recommend the book to somebody who likes a funny but short story.

Words to describe the book: funny, mysterious, thrilling, amazing.



**Star Cat by James Turner and Yasmin Sheikh**

**Review by Joshua, Caspian**

The book is about an evil villain and a crew of space people.

I love this book because it is funny and cool.

My favourite part is when they land on the Pizza planet.

I would recommend this book to a comic book person who loves action and humour.

Words to describe the book: funny, action, silly





### Diary of a Roblox Pro – Dragon Pet Review by Samarth, Aegean

In this book one of his friends gets a really rare sloth. He wanted one but had to train Coda for a week, and later he got the really rare egg and when it hatched it was a dragon, and later on it was a disaster.

I think this book is action-packed because there is a lot of stuff going on.

My favourite bit is when Trip tries to get Ari's tag and then Ember comes out of nowhere.

I would recommend this book to friends and family.

Words to describe the book: funny and action-packed.



### Diary of a Roblox Pro – Monster Escape Review by Poppy, Caspian

Ari and his friend can't resist a challenge so they imprison their selves in a gruesome structure with a nasty monster pounding around. Can they escape?

I enjoyed this book because it had a lot of mystery.

I enjoyed the part when they were about to escape but the monster cruelly stopped them.

I would recommend this to 8-12 year olds especially if you enjoy Roblox.

Words to describe this book: action-packed and mystery.



### WORDSEARCH

The words this week are fruit and vegetables.

- apple
- cabbage
- fennel
- lemon
- parsnip
- potato
- vegetable

- aubergine
- carrot
- fruit
- mushroom
- pea
- strawberry

- broccoli
- cauliflower
- grape
- orange
- plum
- tomato

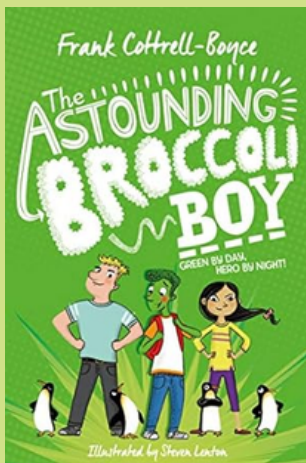
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# Books About Fruit and Vegetables

We know that we should eat lots of different fruit and vegetables to keep us healthy. Here are some facts that you might not know.

Berries carry their seeds on the inside so whilst this means strawberries are not berries, bananas are berries! Potatoes were the first vegetables to be grown in space. Durian fruit, which grows in Malaysia, Indonesia and Thailand, is the smelliest fruit. It smells of rotten eggs or sweaty socks.



Durian fruit. Smelly but tasty.

