## Must read books before you leave AK

## 0-5yrs

The Tiger Who Came To Tea

Author: Judith Kerr

Where's Spot Author: Eric Hill Each Peach Pear Plum Author: Allan Ahlberg

The Very Hungry Caterpillar

Author: Eric Carle

The Elephant and the Bad

Baby

Author: Elfrida Vipont

Dogger

Author: Shirley Hughes

Lost and Found

Author: Oliver Jeffers Little Mouse's Big Book of

Fears

Author: Emily Gravett

I Will Not Ever Never Eat a

Tomato

Author: Lauren Child Room on the Broom

Author: Julia Donaldson

The Snowman

Author: Raymond Briggs
Ten Little Fingers and Ten

Little Toes

Author: Mem Fox

Dear Zoo

Author: Rod Campbell

Gorilla

Author: Anthony Browne
We're Going on a Bear Hunt

Author: Michael Rosen
Hairy Maclary from
Donaldson's Dairy
Author: Lynley Dodd
Not now, Bernard
Author: David McKee

Where the Wild Things Are Author: Maurice Sendak The Jolly Postman or Other

People's Letters

Author: Allan Ahlberg
I Want My Hat Back
Author: Jon Klassen
The Cat in the Hat
Author: Dr Seuss
Meg and Mog

Author: Helen Nicholl Would You Rather...

Author: John Burningham
Princess Smartypants
Author: Babette Cole
I Want My Potty!
Author: Tony Ross

## 6-8 yrs

Mister Magnolia

Author: Quentin Blake

The Queen's Nose

Author: Dick KingSmith

The True Story of the

Three Little Pigs

Author: Jon Scieszka

The Sheep-Pig

Author: Dick King-Smith

That Rabbit Belongs to

**Emily Brown** 

Author: Cressida Cowell

Clarice Bean. That's Me

Author: Lauren Child

Amazing Grace

Author: Mary Hoffman

Diary of a Wimpy Kid

Author: Jeff Kinney

The BFG

Author: Roald Dahl

A Bear Called Paddington

Author: Michael Bond

Asterix the Gaul

Author: Renné Goscinny

Finn Family Moomintroll

Author: Tove Jansson

Pippi Longstocking

Author: Astrid Lindgren

Horrid Henry

Author: Francesca Simon

Winnie-the-Pooh Author: A A Milne

The Story of Babar

Author: Jean De Brunhoff

Little House in the Big

Woods

Author: Laura Ingalls

Wilder

The Enchanted Wood

Author: Enid Blyton

My Naughty Little Sister

Author: Dorothy Edwards

Charlotte's Web

Author: E B White

Flat Stanley

Author: Jeff Brown

The Worst Witch

Author: Jill Murphy

The Milly-Molly-Mandy

Storybook

Author: Joyce Lankester

The Arrival

Author: Shaun Tan

## 9-11yrs

Flour Babies

Author: Anne Fine Private Peaceful Author: Sir Michael

Morpurgo

Journey to the River Sea Author: Eva Ibbotson

Millions

Author: Frank Cottrell

Matilda

Author: Roald Dahl

Once

Author: Morris Gleitzman
The Story of Tracy Beaker
Author: Jacqueline Wilson

Skellig

Author: David Almond

Artemis Fowl

Author: Eoin Colfer

Carrie's War

Author: Nina Bawden
Harry Potter and the
Philosopher's Stone
Author: J K Rowling
Goodnight Mister Tom
Author: Michelle Magorian

The Borrowers

Author: Mary Norton

The Hobbit

Author: JRR Tolkein Stig of the Dump Author: Clive King

The Adventures of Tintin

Author: Hergé

Swallows and Amazons
Author: Arthur Ransome

Ballet Shoes

Author: Noel Streatfeild

The Little Prince

Author: Antoine de Saint-

Exupery

The Lion, the Witch and the

Wardrobe

Author: C S Lewis

The Wolves of Willoughby

Chase

Author: Joan Aiken

The Witches

Author: Roald Dahl

Truckers

Author: Terry Pratchett

Holes

Author: Louis Sachar

A Monster Calls

Author: Patrick Ness From an idea by Siobhan Dowd