

Year 2 – Recommended Reading List

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There's a Rang -Tan in My Bedroom in My Bedroom Preston-Gannon	A stunning picture book about a little girl who discovers a mischievous orangutan on the loose in her bedroom. The Rang-Tan explains that there are humans running wild in her rainforest, burning down trees so they can grow palm oil to put in products. The little girl knows what she has to do: help save the orangutans!
THE GREAT KAPOK TREE Ty Lynax Chry	This is a colourful and engaging picture book that captures the spirit of the rainforest through its beautifully detailed illustrations.
ONE DAY ON OUR BLUE PLANET IN THE RAINFOREST	This beautifully illustrated picture book charts the wildlife in the rainforest across the course of a whole day.
RAINFOREST	A chronological journey from the first roots grown by newly evolved plants and trees to the modern-day. As humans arrive in the lush habitat and change the rainforest and its inhabitants forever
THE RAINFOREST BOOK	Step inside the fascinating world of tropical rainforests where you'll encounter an enormous variety of flora and fauna!

michael morpuizo Running Wild	This novel, by the popular children's author Michael Morpurgo, is set in the Indonesian Rainforest. It tells the story of Will, who is left fighting for survival in the rainforest with an enchanting elephant called Oona.
WHERE THE FOREST MEETS THE SEA. by kannie Baker	If you are looking for a book to stimulate discussion and debate about the effects human beings can have on the natural world, this if the one for you.
THE SECRET EXPLORERS ARE RAINFOREST RANGERS	In this fact-filled story, we follow rainforest expert Ollie on an exciting mission to rescue a lost baby orangutan in the steamy rainforest of Borneo. Packed with lots of information on animal and plant life, this epic adventure book gives them a thrilling introduction to nature.
UNFOLDING JOURNEYS AMAZON ADVENTURE Programme for maring and mar	This visually appealing book unfolds as you read it into a 16-panel long wall frieze. The journey map is packed with illustrations, icons, labels and facts. On the reverse of the frieze, there are paragraphs of further information about different points of interest from the journey, including rainforest animals and tribal villages.

EVERYTHING VOLCANOES AND EART A GUAKES	This non-fiction text is full of high quality photographs and incredible facts that will build a picture of just how powerful volcanoes and earthquakes can really be.
	Open this book and step into the fiery world of volcanoes! Find out why they erupt, what scientists can learn from them and which animals call them home.
VOLCANOES DISCOVER A WORLD OF INFORMATION	Learn about volcanoes and find out how they form, where they are most likely to be and how scientists study them through diagrams and case studies.
RATTY'S BIG ADVENTURE LARA HANTHORNE	In this beautifully illustrated picture book, a mysterious creature from a secluded volcano crater explores the outside world for the very first time

States-	In 51 charmingly illustrated infographic maps, explore every state of the USA.
NATIONAL PARKS of the U.S.A.	Take a tour of America's great outdoors and discover the beauty and diversity of its most iconic and majestic national parks.
THE USA	This series introduces young readers to different continents and countries around the world, highlighting the differences and similarities between them. Clear, friendly text and big photos make these books a great starting point for learning about geography in general, and countries in particular.