SUMMER

READING

BINGO

READ BOOKS | WIN PRIZES
Be EXTRAORDINARY with Matilda
Welcome to Toppsta’s Summer Reading Bingo!

The summer holidays are the perfect time to sit back, relax and enjoy a good book. With more than 45,000 children’s book reviews over on our website, from real readers just like you, we’ve created a fun bingo game to kick-start your reading, suggested some cool new books to try and have £100 worth of Smiggle vouchers to be won!

The competition works like this:

- Download and print your Toppsta Summer Reading Bingo pack
- Find the Bingo Card page and discover your challenges
- Read SIX books in these categories:
  - A picture book
  - A funny book
  - An illustrated book
  - A book about adventure or magic
  - A non-fiction or reference book
  - A gripping story

- We have included some book recommendations in the pack – these are books we think you’ll really enjoy but you are free to read any books which fit into these categories. Younger readers may also choose to read picture books in all categories.

- And then you have some other fun things to tick off too like...
  - Read a book in the dark with a torch
  - Read on a Wednesday
  - Read in a den

- Once you have crossed off all the boxes, write down the name of each book you have read on the lines provided and either email it to info@toppsta.com, tag us on Twitter (@toppsta) using the hashtag #ToppstaKidsBingo or send a copy to:

  Toppsta (PO Box 272)
  266 Banbury Road
  Oxford OX2 7DL

- Every complete entry will be entered into a competition to win a Smiggle voucher! We will pick two winners who will each win a £50 Smiggle voucher and must be aged between 4 and 16 years old. Competition is open to residents in the UK & IE only. No cash alternative and the judge’s decision is final. All entries must be received by Monday 9th September 2019 and winners will be contacted by 16th September 2019.

- We also have two fun additional bingo cards for Roald Dahl and Dork Diaries books. Have you read them all? Test your knowledge and beat your friends!
# Summer Reading BINGO

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<th>Read a picture book</th>
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<td>Read a funny book</td>
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<td>Read a page aloud to someone else</td>
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<td>Read somewhere you’ve never read before</td>
<td>Read a comic, a newspaper or a magazine</td>
<td>Read sitting next to someone who is also reading</td>
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<td>Read in a comfy chair</td>
<td>Read an illustrated story</td>
<td>Read sitting next to someone who is also reading</td>
<td>Read on a Monday, a Wednesday or a Friday</td>
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I read this illustrated story: ........................................................................

I read this non-fiction/reference book: ........................................................

I read this funny book: ........................................................................

I read this book about adventure/magic: ........................................................

I read this gripping story: ........................................................................

My name is: ............................................................................................ I am ....... years old

Please provide an email address here: ..........................................................

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## Matilda's Bingo

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<th>1. Which Roald Dahl hero would you like to be friends with? Draw a picture!</th>
<th>2. Draw a map of James’ journey in James and the Giant Peach!</th>
<th>3. Make your very own Dream Jar – just like the BFG!</th>
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<td>7. Dress up as your favourite Roald Dahl character</td>
<td>8. Use Matilda’s bookmark activity to make your very own bookmark!</td>
<td>9. Can you draw a map of what you think Mr Fox’s home looks like?</td>
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<td>10. Design a chocolate bar – one that Willy Wonka might make in his factory</td>
<td>11. Imagine you had powers like Matilda – what would you use your powers for?</td>
<td>12. Make a mini tea set for any Minpins that come to visit!</td>
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<td>13. Make your very own reading den!</td>
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How many of Nikki Maxwell’s diaries have you read?

competition!

If you’ve read all the books in the Dork Diaries series, email your complete bingo card to info@toppsta.com for your chance to win one of five copies of Nikki’s 14th adventure, Dork Diaries: Superstar Spectacular. Out 31st October 2019!

Welcome to Nikki’s a DORKable world!
PICTURE BOOKS

Elmer’s Walk by David McKee (Andersen Press)
Another gorgeous story about Elmer, everyone’s favourite elephant, with a gentle reminder to enjoy the beautiful world around us.

Happy Hatchday by Rob Biddulph (HarperCollins Children’s Books)
A brand new series for dino fans, with a lovely rhyming story and bright and colourful illustrations, just perfect for reading aloud.

Choose Llamas by Charlie Green & Matt Hunt (Ladybird)
It’s time for YOU to CHOOSE! This laugh-out-loud, wacky book puts the power in your hands as you build your very own llama squad.

COUNTDOWN TO BEDTIME

With Splash the Little Mermaid

Also in the series:
ILLUSTRATED FICTION

Dog Diaries: Mission Impawsible by Steven Butler, James Patterson and Richard Watson (Young Arrow)
Our reviewers love this illustrated series told from a dog’s perspective. This time, Junior’s trip to Hollywood doesn’t quite go to plan. For ages 7+.

The Curse of the School Rabbit by Judith Kerr (HarperCollins Children’s Books)
The brand new, laugh-out-loud, young fiction title about a boy, a rabbit, and a lot of bad luck, from the one and only Judith Kerr. For ages 6+.

Mr Dog and the Seal Deal by Ben Fogle, Steve Cole & Nikolas Illic (HarperCollins Children’s Books)
You can always count on Mr Dog to help another animal in trouble! A brand new, illustrated, young fiction series for ages 5+.

Dork Diaries by Rachel Renée Russell (Simon & Schuster Children’s UK)
Meet Nikki Maxwell (aka Queen of the Dorks!) and follow her not-so-fabulous life through sketches, doodles and diary entries. For ages 8+.

READ THE LATEST BOOK IN THE HILARIOUS DOG DIARIES SERIES

READ THE WHOLE SERIES

‘A perfect story to tickle the funny bone of any young reader!’ MEGAN RIX
The summer holidays are nearly here and it’s going to be beyond awesome!

It’s time for sun, fun and reading SUPERcool books with your friends.

Take Part in the Dork Diaries Summer Bingo challenge with your BFFS and see how many Dork Diaries you can read this summer!

Welcome to Nikki’s a DORKable world!
LEGO Amazing Vehicles: Includes Four Exclusive LEGO Mini Models (DK Books)

This book is packed full of fascinating facts and images of more than 100 cool things that go and includes 4 exclusive mini Lego® models too!

The Sea Book by Charlotte Milner (DK Books)

“This book is amazing! Stuffed full of information and the illustrations are really detailed. My five year old was engrossed.”

Stephen Biesty’s Cross-Sections Castle by Richard Platt & Stephen Biesty (DK Books)

“This book really fed my son’s hunger for history. He thought the illustrations were incredible and it was the best non-fiction book he’s ever seen.”

The Big Book of the UK by Imogen Russell Williams & Louise Lockhart (Ladybird)

Filled with facts about wildlife, food, sports, geography, language and some very silly place names, this book will help you uncover the UK.

ADD SOME MAGIC TO YOUR SUMMER

LEGO Harry Potter

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The World's Worst Teachers by David Walliams & Tony Ross (HarperCollins Children’s Books)
A delightfully dreadful collection of short stories about the world's most gruesome teachers, with every tale illustrated in glorious colour.

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Cinders and Sparks: Magic at Midnight by Lindsey Kelk & Pippa Curnick (HarperCollins Children’s Books)
Perfect for readers 7+ Cinders and Sparks is a fresh, funny and fabulous take on Cinderella, for everyone who loved Frozen and Shrek.

The 117-Storey Treehouse by Andy Griffiths & Terry Denton (Macmillan Children’s Books)
Andy and Terry have added thirteen new levels of crazy fun to their fantastic ever-growing treehouse. So what are you waiting for? Come on up!

Head Kid by David Baddiel & Steven Lenton (HarperCollins Children’s Books)
Our reviewers thought this book about a strict head teacher, swapping bodies with the naughtiest kid in school, was laugh-out-loud funny.

The HILARIOUS new series about the boy who keeps changing into animals!
Starfell by Dominique Valente & Sarah Warburton (HarperCollins Children’s Books)
The fate of Starfell rests in the hands of misfit witch, Willow Moss, in this spellbinding new fantasy for ages 8+.

Pages & Co. by Anna James (HarperCollins Children’s Books)
Our reviewers loved this captivating, curl-up-on-the-sofa debut about the magic of books and the power of the imagination for ages 8+.

Dino Knights by Jeff Norton (Awesome Reads)
This is a fast-paced chapter book for readers who love dinosaurs, adventure and magic. Set in medieval times with plenty of action for ages 6+.

Matilda by Roald Dahl & Quentin Blake (Puffin)
Matilda is an extraordinary girl with a magical mind, who teaches her ghastly parents and headmistress a lesson they'll never forget!

Rumblestar by Abi Elphinstone (Simon & Schuster Children’s UK)
Nervous eleven-year-old Casper accidentally stumbles into a world of magical beasts. Can he and his friends save Rumblestar from the evil Morg?

The Forgotten Palace by Luke Aylen (Lion Hudson)
A magical story of elves, dwarves and dragons and a personal quest to restore the King's palace and bring peace back to Presadia.
GRIPPING STORIES

A Moon Girl Stole My Friend by Rebecca Patterson (Andersen Press)
It’s 2099. Lyla lives in a world of robocats and flying sweets but life isn’t so different in this funny, illustrated story of friendship for ages 7+

Check Mates by Stewart Foster (Simon & Schuster Children’s UK)
This is a heart-warming story about friendship, family ties and living with ADHD but it’s also bursting with humour and you’ll love the surprise twist.

Choose YOUR next adventure!

Escape into Fantastic Fiction this summer