

# LA MOYE SCHOOL LIBRARY NEWS

## LAST HALF TERM!

Just a quick reminder about the States Library Summer Reading Challenge which runs over the Summer holidays each year. The theme this year is Read to the Beat



Someone from the Library Service will be coming into school soon to launch the challenge and tell us more about how to take part. I hope lots of you will take up the challenge!

## NEW BOOKS

We have lots of lovely new books in the library, don't forget to check these out, either on the book nook display or on the "Whoo Hoo We're

New" shelf on top of the library shelves.



## ALLIGATOR'S MOUTH AWARD



Five books have been shortlisted for The Alligator's Mouth Award 2026, which champions authors and illustrators of highly illustrated children's fiction. Now in its eighth

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year, the children's book prize, created by The Alligator's Mouth Children's Bookshop and The Bright Agency, celebrates the best books for 6–8-year-olds.



We have bought the shortlist and Year 2 are acting as our in-house judges to choose their favourite book. All of the books will be added to the Library once they have chosen which one they think is the best. Do you think they will choose the same one as the professional judges? We'll just have to wait and see.

## MICHAEL MORPURGO DAY

10 June 2026 is Michael Morpurgo Day celebrating this well-loved children's author. We will be putting a wide selection of his books on display on the book nook in the Library. We already read two of his books, Kensuki's Kingdom and War

Horse as our class readers in Upper Key Stage 2 but this is great opportunity to try one of his other books. He has written over 150!



**HAPPY READING EVERYONE!**

