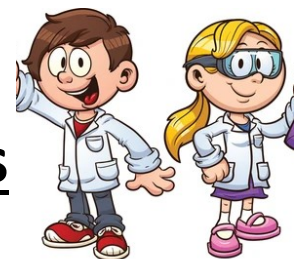




# Living Things and Their Habitats

## Summer 3A Year 5 Further Reading List



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Book	Author	Blurb
<b>Max Einstein</b> <b>The Genius Experiment</b>	<b>James Patterson</b>	<p>Max Einstein is a typical 12-year-old. She... Goes to college every day; plays speed chess in the park; builds inventions that help the homeless and talks to Albert Einstein.</p> <p>All normal stuff, right?</p> <p>Until one day when Max is recruited by a mysterious organisation! Their mission: solve some of the world's toughest problems using science. She's helped by a diverse group of young geniuses from around the globe as they invent new ways to power the farthest reaches of the planet.</p>
<b>The Matilda Effect</b>	<b>Ellie Irving</b>	<p>Matilda loves science and inventing. Her heroes are Marie Curie, Leonardo da Vinci and Thomas Edison, and one day she wants to be a famous inventor herself. So when she doesn't win the school science fair, she's devastated – especially as the judges didn't believe she'd come up with her entry on her own. Because she's a girl.</p> <p>When Matilda shares her woes with her Grandma Joss, she's astonished to learn her grandma was once a scientist herself – an astrophysicist, who discovered her very own planet. Trouble is, Grandma Joss was also overlooked – her boss, Professor Smocks, stole her discovery for himself. And he's about to be presented with a Nobel Prize.</p> <p>Matilda concocts a plan. They'll crash the award ceremony and tell everyone the truth!</p>
<b>The Secret Dragon</b>	<b>Ed Clarke</b>	<p>Mari Jones is desperate to be a real scientist, even though she's only eleven. So when she discovers a tiny dragon while fossil hunting on the beach, she's sure she can find a good scientific explanation - as long as she can keep it hidden long enough to study it.</p> <p>Unfortunately for Mari, this is one secret that doesn't want to be kept. And as she starts to form a deeper bond with the mischievous dragon, she might have to admit that, when it comes to friendship, science might not have all the answers...</p>
<b>Women in Science</b>	<b>Rachel Ignatofsky</b>	<p>A gloriously illustrated celebration of trailblazing women. Women in Science highlights the contributions of fifty notable women to the STEM fields of science, technology, engineering and mathematics, from both the ancient and modern worlds. The book also contains fascinating infographics and an illustrated scientific glossary.</p> <p>The extraordinary women profiled include well-known figures like the physicist and chemist Marie Curie, as well as lesser-known pioneers such as Katherine Johnson, the African-American mathematician who calculated the trajectory of the Apollo 11 mission to the moon.</p>