

# It's Book Fair Week!

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BOOKS**  
for your schools

Your school gets  
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At the Tara Book Fair we make reading exciting. Choose from picture books, early readers, Irish language, non-fiction and bargain books from €1. With a choice of over 200 quality titles on offer there is something to suit all tastes, interests and abilities.

The school benefits greatly from your contribution, they receive a generous percentage in free books for the school library.

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## **The Book Fair is coming to your school**

Children will be allowed time to attend the fair, browse and buy. Parents are welcome and encouraged to attend the fair. We hope you will be able to attend. If not you may like to order from the catalogue or encourage your child to choose his/her own book.

## **Online Book Fair**

Your school will let you know the dates the Book Fair will be running online. A link will be emailed to you by your school, with the password (School Roll Number) for the Online Book Fair at [www.tarabookco.ie](http://www.tarabookco.ie)

Choose from the catalogue or from our age-graded website, we make it easy to choose.

Simply click on "Add to basket" when you've made your choices, checkout and continue to payment.

You will be asked for your child's name and teachers name, for delivery.

You will not be charged for carriage.

Books will be delivered to your school the following week.

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Happy shopping!

*Patsy*



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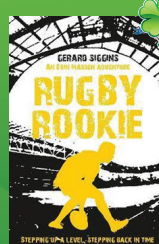
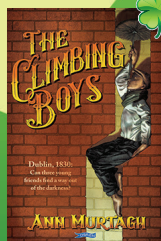
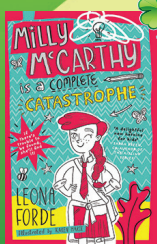
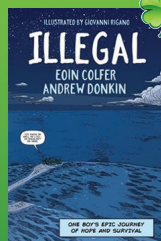
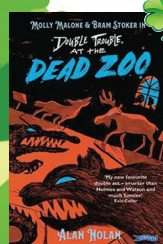
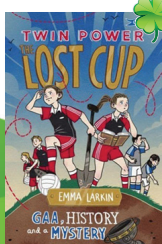
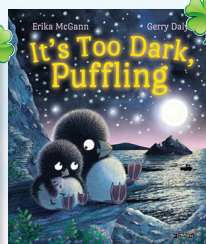
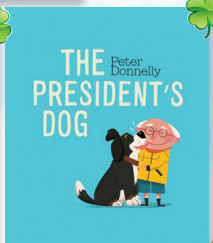
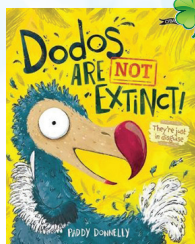
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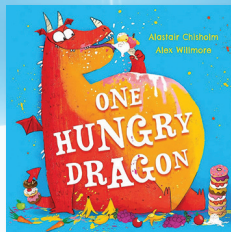


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## Preschool to Senior Infants

Help develop literacy, numeracy and listening skills by reading aloud to your child.



### One Hungry Dragon

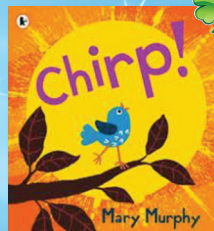
A hilarious counting tale featuring lots of favourite fairy tale characters, including magical mermaids, fairy godmothers, funny frogs... and one very big BURP!

rrp ~~€8.99~~

Tara price €8.50

### Chirp!

We all have a voice and a song to sing! In this joyful, rhythmical picture book, Mary Murphy brings to life the beauty of the dawn chorus and shows that even the smallest of birds - and the littlest of readers - have a powerful voice.



rrp ~~€10.50~~ Tara price €9.50

### Worst Sleepover in the World

Ramona is having her best friend Gracie to stay the night. It's their first ever sleepover and she wants to make a den, read stories, dance like a wild thing, stay up all night and have a midnight feast. But nothing quite goes to plan.

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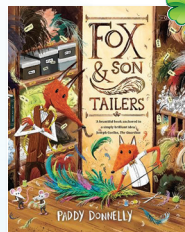
Tara price €9.50



### Fox and Son Tailers

Rory's dad, Fox, is a tailor. Rory helps in the shop and one of his jobs is measuring the customers for the tails - which isn't always easy! But Rory has his own amazing ideas.

Tara price €9.99



### Finn's Little Fibs

When Finn accidentally breaks his grandma's precious clock, he tells a teeny tiny little lie - and blames it on his sister instead! Soon, Finn's little fib is OUT OF CONTROL

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### The Music in Me

Maybe, some days, you can't find your rhythm and you feel all out of sorts, and then on other days your music will come together and you'll march to the beat of your own drum. All this music and more is celebrated here.

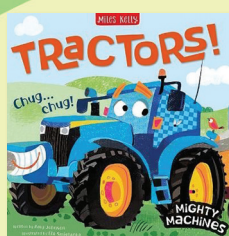
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### Tractors Mighty Machines

Filled with a multitude of tractors and other farm machines, each delightfully characterised to engage young children.

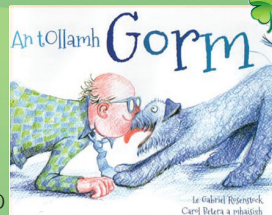
rrp ~~€8.99~~

Tara price €5.99



### An tOllamh Gorm

Tá cáil aré fud an domhain ar ollúna craiceáilte Rosenstock - bhuel, níl dáiríre, ach ceapann siad féin go bhfuil - an tOllamh Folamh, an tOllamh Sneachtapus agus seo chugainn anois an t-ollamh is aite orthu fós, an tOllamh Gorm. Bigi ullamh! Tara price €9



# First to Second Class

When your child starts to read on their own - encourage, praise and listen.

BLOOMSBURY YOUNG READERS

## Halle had a Hammer



Halle and her family are Romani Travellers. They move around fixing and making things. They visit a village that had lots of problems at their annual running race last year, will their truck of tools and wood help the community? rrp ~~€7.99~~ **Tara price €7.50**



## Message in a Bottle

Another adventure in the Famous Five Colour Reads, finding a faded message in a bottle set them off on a treasure hunt. rrp ~~€8.99~~ **Tara price €8.50**

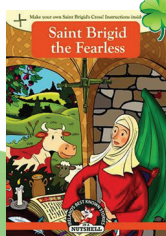
## Midnight Magic – Witch Trap

Told in rhyming verse, Trixie and Midnight are playing outside when they have a run in with a witch, who seems particularly interested in the cat's magic powers. Next morning, Trixie wakes to find that Midnight has been catnapped! rrp ~~€8.50~~ **Tara price €7.99**



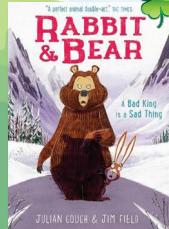
## Harry's House of Invention

Harry lives in a house full of inventors and experiments. So when he breaks his arm, his mum installs a reaching, grabbing and twirling invention to his cast. rrp ~~€7.99~~ **Tara price €7.50**



## Saint Brigid the Fearless

Celebrating our new bank holiday, St Brigid's Day, learn about Brigid's life story and her miracles. Detailed instructions on how to make the famous Brigid's Cross is an added bonus. **Tara price €4.99**



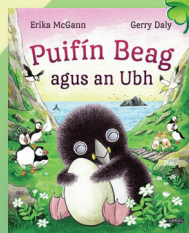
## A Bad King is a Sad Thing

Icebear is big, he's mean, and he wants to be king. rrp ~~€8.99~~ **Tara price €8.50**



## 199 Birds

From parrots and penguins to eagles and emus, this simple beautifully illustrated book is packed with pictures of amazing birds from around the world. rrp ~~€8.50~~ **Tara price €7.99**



## Puifin Beag agus an Ubh

Tá puifin beag cabhrach ina cónaí ar Sceilg Mhichíl. Nuair a thagann sí ar ubh atá ar strae, tá an puifin ar a dicheall an ubh a thabhairt abhaile go dtína nead féin. **Tara price €11.99**

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## Third and Fourth Class

Encourage your child to choose their own books.

### The Secret Tunnel

Part of the Hazel Tree Farm series, following the adventures of the Farrelly family, their neighbours, and a host of furry, woolly and feathery friends!

Tara price €8.99

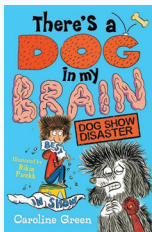


### Diary of an Accidental Witch

Bea's class is putting on a play, can she use her improving magic powers to help create some special effects...

rrp ~~€9.50~~

Tara price €8.99



### There's a Dog in my Brain

A canine bodyswap caper featuring Danny – the boy trapped in a dog's body – and Dudley – the hapless dog who's hopeless at being human.

rrp ~~€9.50~~ Tara price €8.99



### Magic Keepers

When Ava moves in to Curio House her terrier Pepper tries to eat one of the mysterious artefacts, to disastrous effect. Now she and her friends have to protect the world around them.

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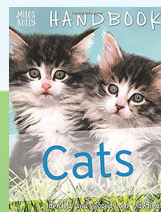


### The Thames and Tide Club

Clem and her friends search riverside for lost and hidden objects that have washed ashore. And sometimes they find treasure.

rrp ~~€8.99~~

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### Cats Handbook

Interactive handbook helps you to identify different cat breeds and encourages you to record the ones you spot.

rrp ~~€9.99~~

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### Mort the Meek

The waves are awash with brave sea-farers from Brutalia on a treasure hunt for their demanding queen. Among them is Mort, but rather than hunt for treasure, he's more interested in looking for his family who are lost at sea.

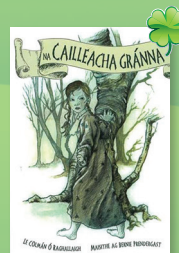
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### Na Cailleacha Gránna

Nuair a dhéanann na tincéirí a gcampa ar bhruach na habhann, tagann sé chun solais go bhfuil páistí beaga á sciobadh óna leapacha ag triúr cailleacha gránna agus á gcoinneáil áit éigin i lár na coille. Ach cé go bhfuil buidéal draíochta ag na tincéirí, an leor é chun stop a chur leis na cailleacha? Leagan álainn nua-scríofa.

Tara price €8.99



## Fifth and Sixth Class

Build reading stamina as your child prepares for secondary school.

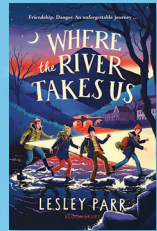


### The Girl who Fell to Earth

Latest novel from our new Laureate nan Oig, Patricia Forde. Raised on Planet Terros, Aria was taught to hate humans and their destructive ways. Nobody can ever know Aria's secret: she has human DNA. But now a mission to Earth goes wrong, can Aria make the right decisions? rrp ~~€11.50~~ Tara price €10.99

### Where the River Takes Us

A wild cat is said to roam the forest, far up the river from their bridge. A reward is offered for proof of The Beast's existence. Four best friends find themselves on a journey that will change each of them ... forever. rrp ~~€10.50~~ Tara price €9.99



### Search for the Black Mirror

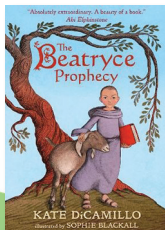
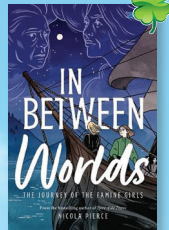
The sun's light is being stolen. It's a catastrophe for the planet and every living thing on it! Three young heroes need to find a strange black mirror to help them save the sun. Tara price €9.99



### In Between Worlds

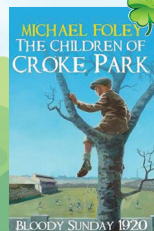
In 1849 the Thomas Arbuthnot set sail for Australia. On board were 194 Irish girls. Will Sarah and Maggie have the courage to build new lives so far away from home.

Tara price €9.99



### The Beatryce Prophecy

Gentle Brother Edik finds the girl, Beatryce, curled in a stall, wracked with fever, coated in dirt and blood and holding fast to the ear of Answelica the recalcitrant goat. As the monk nurses Beatryce to health, he uncovers her dangerous secret - one that imperils them all rrp ~~€10.50~~ Tara price €9.50

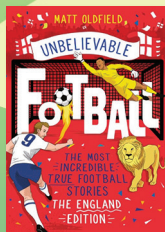


### The Children of Croke Park

Through the lives of three children who died on 21 November 1920, relive the story of Bloody Sunday, when a gaelic football match in Croke Park was the scene of slaughter by British forces. Tara price €9.99

### The Most Incredible True Football Stories

Incredible stories, from penalty pain to unbelievable comebacks, discover some of the best true tales of some of England's national teams. rrp ~~€9.50~~ Tara price €8.99



### An Mac Tíre Deireanach

Éire, 1652. Tá eagla agus imní ar na daoine, agus ní hiad siúdamaí ar áthais leis - tá Cromail ag iarraidh gach mac tíre in Éirinn a mharú, chomh tapa agus is féidir. Agus an grá atá ag Úna d'ainmhithe, an féidir léi an mac tíre deireanach sa tír a chosaint ó Chromail agus óna chuid saighdiúirí? Tara price €8.99



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## Irish History



# 10 Good Reasons to Read to your Child

- 1 You are giving them the most precious gift of all - your undivided attention.
- 2 You are nurturing a love of reading for life.
- 3 Reading to your child calms him/her at the end of the day.
- 4 You will enjoy the experience yourself.
- 5 Spending time with books gives them a head start at school.
- 6 You are sharing wonderful moments with them.
- 7 Good quality picture books develop an appreciation for good art.
- 8 Your children are learning, about the world, social skills, moral values and respect.
- 9 You are creating precious nostalgic moments for them to treasure.
- 10 They will love you for it.



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