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## A starting guide of stories to read aloud with your children

(compiled by the State Library of Western Australia).

## Fairy tales

## **Aladdin and the Lamp**

by Shannon Eric Denton Series: Short Tales, Fairy Tales

#### Rumpelstiltskin

by Paul Galdone

Series: A Folk Tale Classic

#### Hansel and Gretel and the Green Witch

by Laura North

Series: Hopscotch Twisty Tales

# **Usborne Stories for Little Children: Pinocchio and Other Stories**

The Orchard Book of Hans Christian

**Andersen's Fairy Tales** 

by Martin Waddell

## **Fantasy**

### **Eve and the Runaway Unicorn**

by Jess Black

Series: Keeper of the Crystals

## **Knight Quest**

by Chris Blake

Series: Time Hunters

#### **How to Train Your Dragon**

by Cressida Cowell

Series: How to Train Your Dragon



## Once Tashi Met a Dragon

by Anna Fienberg Series: Tashi

**Kumiko and the Dragon** 

by Briony Stewart

## **Funny stories**

### The Legend of Spud Murphy

by Eoin Colfer

#### Gasp! Zapt! Splat!

By Terry Denton Series: Gasp!

#### WeirDo

by Anh Do Series: Weirdo

## Funny Stories for 6 year olds

by Helen Paiba

## The 13-Storey Treehouse

by Andy Griffiths Series: Treehouse

The Stinky Cheese Man and Other Fairly Stupid Tales by Jon Scieszka

## Mystery

## Zac Blasts Off

by H I Larry

Series: Zac Power Spy Recruit

#### **The Race**

by Susannah McFarlane Series: EJ Spy School

### **Super Sleuth**

by Jane O'Connor Series: Nancy Clancy

#### **Strawberry Thief**

by Sally Rippin

Series: Billie B Mysteries

#### **Kizmet and the Case of the Tassie Tiger**

by Frank Woodley Series: Kizmet





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## Spooky stories

My Dead Bunny

by Sigi Cohen

**Freak Street: Meet the Aliensons** 

by Knife & Packer Series: Freak Street

**Bella and the Wandering House** 

by Meg McKinlay

**The Worst Witch** 

by Jill Murphy

**Monsters and Other Creepy Things** 

by Michael Salmon

### Adventure

**Flat Stanley** 

by Jeff Brown

**Remote Rescue** 

by George Ivanoff

Series: RFDS Adventures

**Cyclone Fever** 

by Sally Morgan Series: Mates

Corroor macoo

by Chris Mould

Series: Pocket Pirates

**The Great Cheese Robbery** 

**The Crazy Cousins** 

by Sally Rippin Series: Hey Jack





