

**Big Bairns’ Book Club!**

Research by the [Open University](https://www.readingchallenge.scot/blog/2019-03/teachers-knowledge-childrens-literature-cornerstone-reading-pleasure) has shown that teacher and family knowledge of contemporary children's books makes a big difference when it comes to instilling a love of reading in pupils.

In North Ayrshire, we’d like to start a Book Club for Practitioners and Parents/Carers with a focus on reading children’s and young adults’ literature.

Our Libraries can supply up to 500 titles through Borrowbox.

Exploring books together will mean we can:

* make informed and tailored recommendations
* introduce pupils to a diverse range of formats and genres
* add interest to school projects
* create a support network across our whole school reading communities

If you are interested in joining us, please e-mail:

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Entitle your e-mail **Big Bairns’ Book Club**