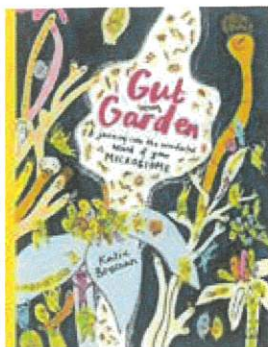


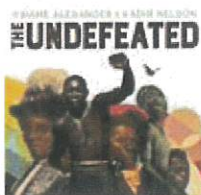
Great Books Guide: For 8 to 9 year olds



Here's a round-up of new children's books from the last year (2020), which we think any child aged 8 to 9 will love.

From incredible true life stories to mind-blowing non-fiction and brilliant adventures, there's so much to discover.

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The Undefeated

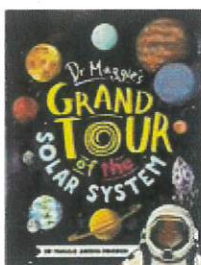
Author: Kwame Alexander **Illustrator:** Kadir Nelson

Publisher: Andersen press

Interest age: 6-11

Reading age: 8+

An illustrated poem filled with stunning painted portraits, written to commemorate the birth of Alexander's daughter and the inauguration of Barack Obama in 2008, *The Undefeated* remembers unforgettable, unafraid and unbowed, famous and overlooked figures from black history. While this is a book that would be best read with an adult who can give con...



Dr Maggie's Grand Tour of the Solar System

Author: Dr Maggie Aderin-Pocock **Illustrator:** Chelen Écija

Publisher: Buster Books

Interest age: 6-11

Reading age: 7+

Space scientist Dr Maggie invites readers to join her on a grand space tour using their imaginations. This fantastic, imaginative reference book would be a wonderful resource in the classroom and treasured by any young person with an interest in space.