

# Whole Book Class Reading Suggestions

Year Two, Spring term: FAMILY

**My Grandma and Me** by Mina Javaherbin and Lindsey Yankey, published by Walker Books

A warm-hearted and nostalgic first-hand account of family life in Iran. *Picturebook*



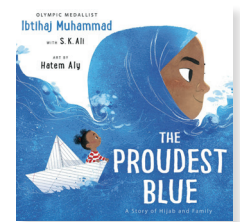
**It's a No-Money Day** by Kate Milner, published by Barrington Stoke

A single mum and her daughter are hungry and must visit the food bank. Told from the child's perspective, this realistic story about a difficult subject is infused with family love and optimism. *Picturebook*



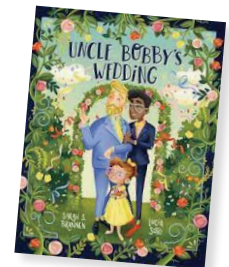
**The Proudest Blue: A Story of Hijab and Family** by Ibtihaj Muhammad with S.K. Ali, illustrated by Hatem Aly, published by Andersen Press

A little girl tells us about her big sister's first day of wearing hijab in this story full of warmth and family solidarity. *Picturebook*



**Uncle Bobby's Wedding** by Sarah S. Brannen, illustrated by Lucia Soto, published by Hodder

Chloe's Uncle Bobby is marrying his boyfriend, Jamie. Chloe worries about losing her favourite uncle, only to discover that she's gaining one, instead. Family love in all its forms is celebrated in this all-new reworking of an LGBTQ+ classic. *Picturebook*



**Town is by the Sea** by Joanne Schwartz, illustrated by Sydney Smith, published by Walker Books

A first-hand account of a day in the life of a Canadian mining family more than half a century ago. Beautifully illustrated, with a lyrical text that vividly evokes the sights, sounds and emotions of a sunny day at home. *Picturebook*

