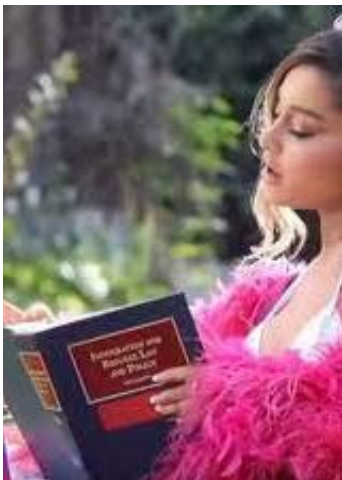
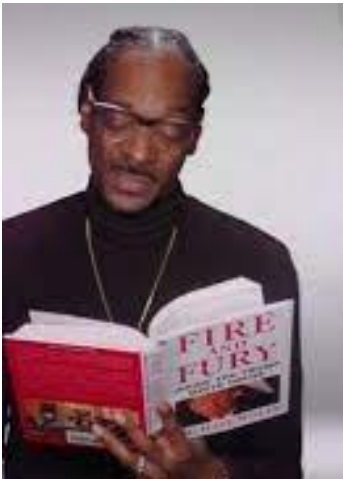
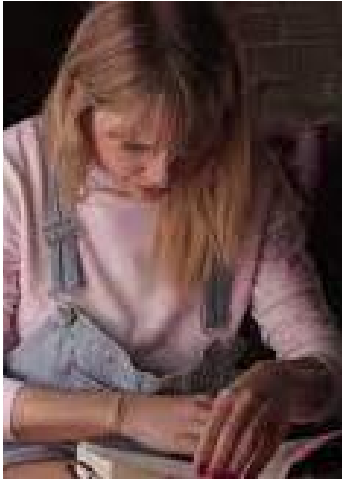


# RECOMMENDED READS

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# ACCELERATED READER BOOK LEVEL CHART

Sticker Code	Reading Level Range
	2.0 to 2.9
	3.0 to 3.9
	4.0 to 4.9
	5.0 to 5.9
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	9.0 to 9.9
	10.0 to 10.9 and above

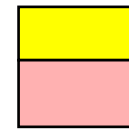
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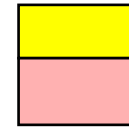


AR Book Level

Graphic Novels	Horror	Humour
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Recon Academy</li><li>• Sports Stories</li><li>• League of Enchanted Heroes</li><li>• Blast</li><li>• Roller Girl</li><li>• Escape From Planet Alcatraz</li><li>• Poison Pages</li><li>• Mega Robo: Revenge</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tremors Series</li><li>• Goosebumps series</li><li>• Nightmare Park</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Diary of An (Un) Teenager</li><li>• The Green Men of Gressingham</li><li>• Meet the Weirds</li><li>• The Impossible Parents Go Green</li><li>• Humiliation of Welton Blake</li><li>• Laura Norder: Sheriff of Butts County</li><li>• Rockbottom</li></ul>



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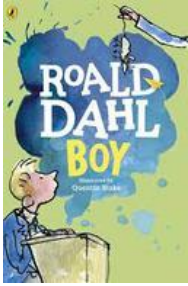


AR Book Level

Young Adult Fiction	Young Adult Fiction	Magic/ Mystery
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# BIOGRAPHIES



## Boy and Going Solo by Roald Dahl

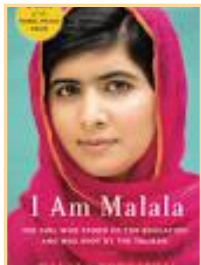
Story of Roald's boyhood experiences the inspiration for some of his most marvellous storybooks ever.



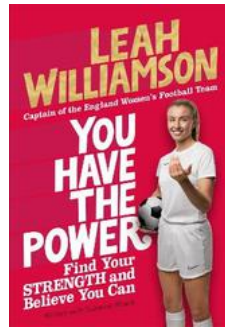
Going Solo is the sequel and tells of the dangers and horrors as a fighter pilot during WWII. Great read for all ages.



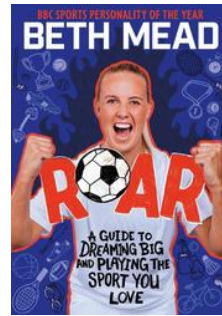
**Chinese Cinderella - Yen Mah**  
When Adeline's mother dies giving birth to her, the family consider Adeline bad luck. The only people that did not think that she was inferior were her Aunt and her grandfather who helped her overcome her awful childhood.



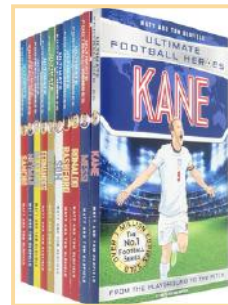
**I am Malala - Malala Yousafzai**  
Her journey will open your eyes to another world and will make you believe in hope, truth, miracles, and the determination of one person to inspire change.



**You Have The Power** is filled with stories from Leah's own life and tons of brilliant advice, to show young girls how to find their strength and empower them to follow their dreams.



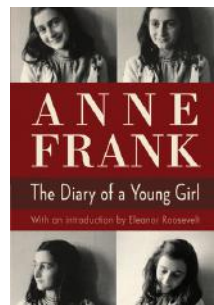
Drawing on her amazing progression from playing with the boys' team on the pitches of North Yorkshire to becoming a football champion and role model, Beth will inspire girls and boys everywhere to dream big, work hard and never give up.




**Ultimate Football Heroes**  
From the playground to the pitch. True life accounts of famous footballers.



**Bear Grylls - Mud, Sweat and Tears**  
Known and admired by millions, Bear Grylls has survived in dangerous environments few would dare to visit. True action packed adventure.



**Diary of a Young Girl**   
by Anne Frank  
Diary of a young Jewish girl and her family hiding from the nazis in world war II. Moving, funny and very sad.





# ACTION & ADVENTURE



## Hunger Games Trilogy Suzanne Collins



The Hunger Games is a searing novel set in the future where entering the games is a desperate need for survival.



**Thieves Gambit** - Fans of Hunger Games will enjoy reading and joining the Thieves' Gambit, a cut-throat competition to crown the world's greatest thief!



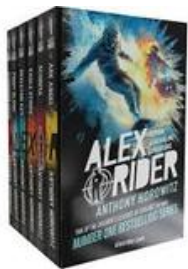
## Cherub Series Robert Muchamore



CHERUB agents are highly trained, extremely talented and all under the age of seventeen. They are sent out on dangerous missions to spy on terrorists, hack into crucial documents, and gather intel on global threats, all without gadgets or weapons.

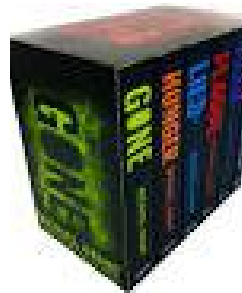


**Silverfin** - Charlie Higson  
Before the name became a legend. Before the boy became a man. Meet Bond. James Bond. Explosive action!



## Alex Rider Series - Anthony Horowitz

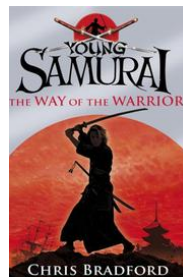
School boy to Superspy forced into joining the MI6 armed with his own special gadgets Junior James Bond, Alex is off on his first mission!



**Gone Series** - Michael Grant  
A gripping and gritty read with enough creepy gruesomeness to satisfy readers who have a taste for the macabre.



**H.I.V.E Series** - Mark Walden  
The Higher Institute of Villainous Education the top secret school of villainy. Awesome adventure, fiendish fun and gadgets galore!



**Young Samurai Series** - Chris Bradford  
Jack is in training to become a samurai warrior, but life at the samurai school is difficult, he is bullied and treated as an outcast. Can Jack prove himself and face his deadliest rival yet?



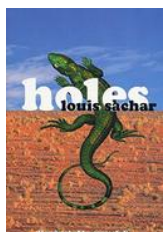
## Holes - Louis Sachar



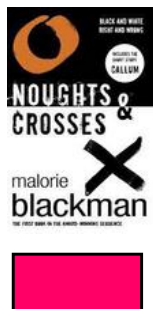
Very popular novel about a miscarriage of justice that sends Stanley into a juvenile prison and an assignment to dig "holes". Compulsive reading.



**Alpha Force Series** - Chris Ryan  
A group of five teenagers with unique talents and skills. Every school holiday they meet up to complete different challenges to test all of their skills but always manage to get sucked into fighting wrongdoing.



# SCIENCE FICTION



## Noughts & Crosses-Malorie Blackman

Two young people are forced to make a stand in this thought-provoking look at racism and prejudice in an alternate society



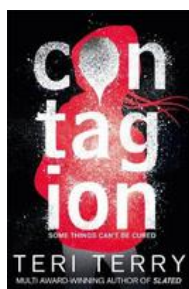
## Mind Games - Teri Terry

In a world where almost everyone lives, learns and plays in virtual worlds, Luna is one of the few who refuses the implant that makes this possible. But can she protect her secret from the creators of these implants



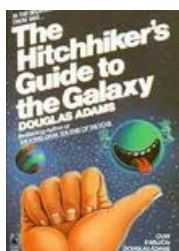
## Frozen in Time - Ali Sparkes

Can Polly and Freddy adapt to the twenty-first century? Will their bodies survive having been in suspension for so long? And most important of all, why did their father leave them frozen in time?



## Contagion - Teri Terry

An epidemic is sweeping the country. You are among the infected. There is no cure; and you cannot be permitted to infect others. Young runaway Callie survived the disease, Her brother Kai is looking for her. And his new friend Shay may hold the key to uncovering what truly happened.



## Hitchhikers Guide to the Galaxy

Seconds before the Earth is demolished to make way for a galactic free-way, Arthur Dent is plucked off the planet by his friend Ford Prefect who, for the last fifteen years, has been posing as an out-of-work actor. And so the big adventure begins...



First book of the Chaos Walking trilogy. Prentisstown isn't like other towns. Everyone can hear everyone else's thoughts in a constant, overwhelming noise. There is no privacy. There are no secrets. Then Todd Hewitt unexpectedly stumbles on a spot of complete silence. Which is impossible. And now he's going to have to run...



## The Extinction Files

Betrayal. Sacrifice. Survival..in a land full of monsters - human and reptilian - they can't afford to trust anyone. Where the consequences of not looking after our environment are all too evident



Uglies is a 2005 science fiction novel by Scott Westerfeld. It is set in a future dystopian world in which everyone is considered an "ugly," but then turned "Pretty" by extreme cosmetic surgery when they reach the age of 16.



## Divergent - Veronica Roth

Tris lives in a world of divided societies but she doesn't fit into any. Can she survive on her own?



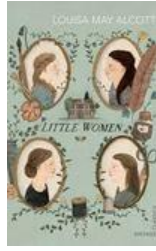
## The Mazerunner - James Dashner

Thirty teenage boys trapped in the center of a maze, with no idea as to where they are or why. Worst of all, none of the boys have any memories of their life before they got there.





# THE CLASSICS



**Little Women - Louisa May Alcott**  
The colourful lives of four sisters in 1860s America where they play games, put on wild theatricals, make new friends, argue, struggle with their vices, learn from their mistakes, nurse each other through sickness and disappointments, and get into all sorts of trouble.



**Animal Farm - George Orwell**  
The book tells the story of a group of farm animals who rebel against their human farmer, hoping to create a society where the animals can be equal, free, and happy.



**Jane Eyre - Charlotte Brontë**  
Jane is a wilful orphan brought up by her cruel aunt and bullying cousins. This story tells of the love between the governess Jane Eyre and her master Mr Rochester, and the chilling secret set to tear them both apart.



**Alice in Wonderland - Lewis Carroll**  
Follow Alice on her journey through her dream based fantasy world of adventure!!



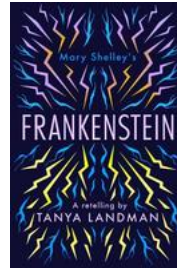
**The Railway Children - E Nesbit**  
Emotional adventure for 3 children taken from a comfortable life in London to a cottage near a railway in the country after their Father is arrested.



**Black Beauty - Anna Sewall**  
Life in Victorian London portrayed through the eyes of a horse, his idyllic upbringing and the hardship and cruelty he suffers before finding security and happiness.



**Wuthering Heights - Emily Brontë**  
Detailing Cathy and Heathcliff's self-destructive relationship amidst the wild, atmosphere of the Yorkshire moors. A unique and emotional gothic novel.



**Frankenstein - Mary Shelley**  
Victor Frankenstein has created a living being out of dead flesh and bone! A gruesome horror story.



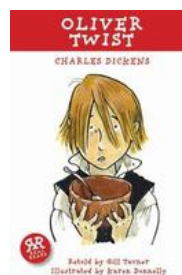
**The Secret Garden - Frances H Burnett**  
Escapism, innocence and beauty are all features of the secret garden.



**A Christmas Carol - Charles Dickens**  
A story about a greedy, miserable man who redeems himself by learning to love all humanity.



**Hound of the Baskervilles**  
A terrible beast, a house wretched in fog, treacherous moorland and a cold-blooded murder - these are the things Sherlock and his faithful assistant Dr Watson are up against.



**Oliver Twist - Charles Dickens**  
In this gripping tale of kidnapping, shooting and murder, Charles Dickens shows the threats to a vulnerable boy's existence and asks the eternal question: which is more powerful, good or evil?





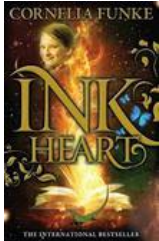
# MAGIC & MYSTERY



## Eragon - Christopher Paolini



Filled with history, ancient tales, magical creatures and true affection between a boy and a dragon.



## Inkheart - Cornelia Funke



Magical adventure that oozes a passion for books and the awesome power of words on a page.

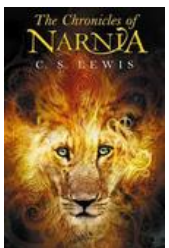


Where the River Runs Gold - This incredible story revolves around themes of dystopia, climate chaos and class divide which are more relevant today than ever. The importance of family and friendship and how if we work together we can bring about great changes



## Skulduggery Pleasant - Derek Landy

Meet the great Skulduggery Pleasant: wise-cracking detective, powerful magician, master of dirty tricks and burglary (in the name of the greater good, of course).....Oh yeah. And dead!



## Narnia Chronicles - C.S Lewis



Perhaps the ultimate battle between Good and Evil? For here is a world where a witch decrees eternal winter; where there are more talking animals than people; and where battles are fought by Centaurs, Giants and Fauns.



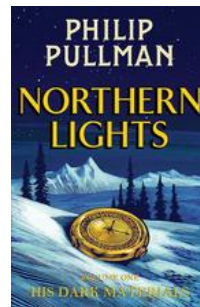
## Series of Unfortunate Events Series -

The first grisly, gruesome and gothic instalment introduces the tragic Baudelaire orphans and the despicable Count Olaf, not to mention a host of miserable moments and descriptions of despair!



## The Wizards of Once Series

This is the story of a young boy Wizard and a young girl Warrior who have been taught since birth to hate each other like poison; and the thrilling tale of what happens when their two worlds collide.



## His Dark Materials - Phillip Pullman



One of the most brilliant children's trilogies of the last 20 years. Has more surprises, scares and twists that you can cope with!



## Percy Jackson Series - Rick Riordan

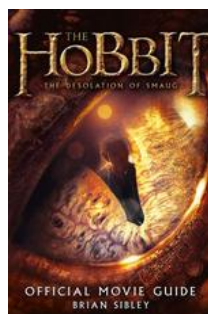


Half boy, half god, all hero. Look, I never asked to be the son of a Greek god. I was just a normal kid. . . until I accidentally vaporized my maths teacher.....



## The Day I fell into a Fairytale

A thrilling fantasy about the magic of storytelling, Ben Miller's novel pitches two bickering siblings into a dark fairytale land, hidden within a new supermarket



## The Hobbit - J.R.R. Tolkien

The Hobbit is the unforgettable story of Bilbo, a peace-loving hobbit, who embarks on a strange and magical adventure. A timeless classic.



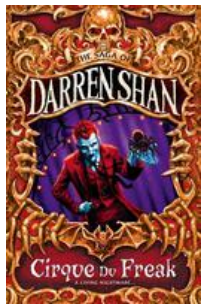
# HORROR/GHOST



**Coraline - Neil Gaiman**  
Stunning novel about a warped alternative universe hidden behind a door. Very weird and altogether creepy.



**Horowitz Horror - Anthony Horowitz**  
Welcome to a strange and twisted world where the spooky, the shocking, and the positively petrifying are lurking just out of sight



**Cirque Du Freak - The chilling Saga of Darren Shan, the ordinary schoolboy plunged into the vampire world. Atmospheric, funny, realistic, moving and... terrifying.**



**Dracula - Bram Stoker**  
The sinister Count Dracula lives in a castle Transylvania. Can it be true that he is a blood sucking monster capable of living for ever? One of the greatest horror stories of all times.



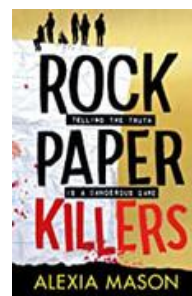
**The Woman in Black - Susan Hill**  
This book is a genuine spine-chiller. The creepiness builds up on a very gradual, and very tense rate, and you will be gripped to read further. Read it after dark – I dare you!



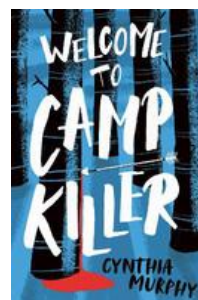
**Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde - R.L Stevenson**  
The spine-chilling story shows the struggle between good and evil that Dr Jekyll faced and how his own good nature was overpowered by the evil in himself.



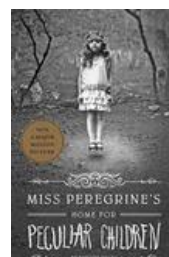
**The Graveyard Book**  
There are dangers and adventures for Bod in the graveyard. But it is in the land of the living that the real danger lurks, for it is there that the man Jack lives - and he has sinister plans for Bod...



**Rock Paper Killers - Alexia Mason**  
When five Dublin teenagers arrive at a rural coastal college to cram for their final exams, their most pressing concern is the prospect of a month with no partying. Little do they know that one of them will never make it back home ...



**Welcome to Camp Killer**  
The teens are leading a summer camp for kids and the first incidents look like accidents, but then someone dies, and it's clear that something very sinister is going on.

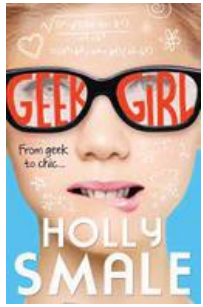



**Miss Peregrines Home for Peculiar Children - Ransom Riggs**  
Between fantasy and reality, prose and photography to create an enchanting and at times positively terrifying story."

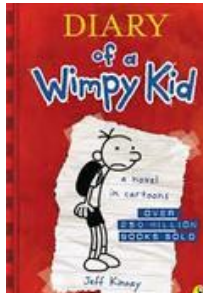





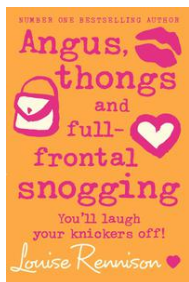
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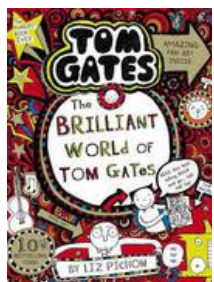
**Geek Girl - Holly Smale**   
Quirky, likable, and geeky, Harriet is an outsider to the modelling world but possesses a natural charm that is everything the fashion world needs. Pure fun




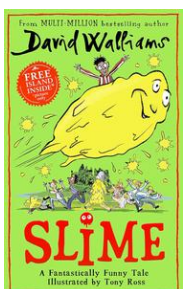
**Diary of a Wimpy Kid - Jeff Kinney**   
Greg Heffleys' trials and misadventures written in a journal. Hilarious, light, entertaining read!



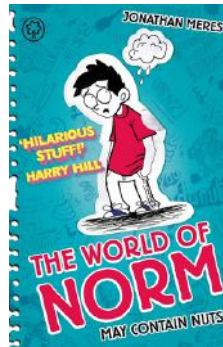
**Confessions of Georgina Nicholson**   
Follow Georgia's hilarious antics as she tries to overcome the dilemma's, (how to replace accidentally shaved-off eyebrows;) and muddle her way through teenage life and all its dramas



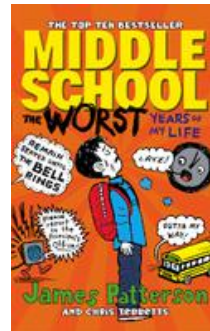
**Tom Gates - L.Pichon**   
Tom's upbeat outlook and everyday trials will have readers laughing out loud eager to read the next in the series




**Slime - David Walliams**  
This little island is home to a large number of HORRIBLE grown-ups who like nothing more than making children miserable. The most AWFUL one of all is Aunt Greta Greed who owns the whole island.



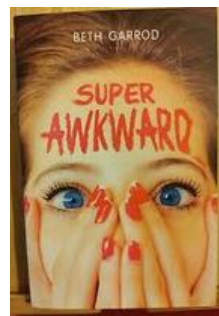
**The World of Norm**  
Why on earth did Norm's family have to move, anyway? In their old house he'd never tried to pee in anything other than a toilet. And when Norm is in bed, he's kept awake by his dad snoring like a constipated rhinoceros! Will life ever get less unfair for Norm?



**Middle School Series - James Patterson**   
Rafe is bored at Hills Village Middle School but he and his friend Leonardo invent "Operation R.A.F.E." (stands for "rules aren't for everyone"), a challenge to break every rule in his middle school handbook



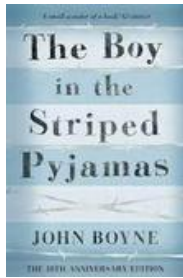
**The Boy Who Made Everyone Laugh - Helen Rutter**  
He wants to be a stand-up comedian when he grows up: delivering pinpoint punch-lines and having audiences hang on his every hilarious word. A tough career for anyone, but surely impossible for Billy, who has a stammer. How will he find his voice?




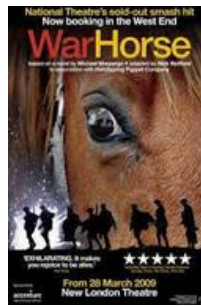
**Awkward Series - Beth Garrod**  
Bella is a brilliantly funny and accurate portrayal of a 15 year old girl and the many trials, joys, disasters and awkward moments they go through in a school year.




# HISTORICAL




**The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas - John Boyne**   
An extraordinary tale of friendship and the horrors of war seen through the eyes of two young boys with a tragic twist!



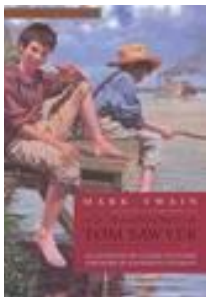
**WarHorse - Michael Morpurgo**   
Set in WWII one horse has seen the best and the worst of humanity. Shows the power of war and the beauty of peace.



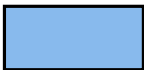
**Private Peaceful - Michael Morpurgo**   
A stunning story of the First World War where Tommo's journey from agricultural labourer to cannon fodder tells of events that should never be forgotten nor forgiven,




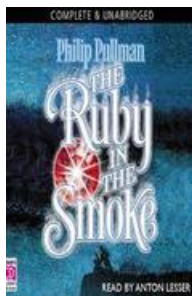
**The Diamond of Drury Lane**  
I am Cat Royal - Orphan, Adventurer, Actress ... Meet the feistiest heroine in children's historical fiction. Reader, you are set to embark on an adventure about one hidden treasure, two bare-knuckle boxers, three enemies and four hundred and thirty-eight rioters.




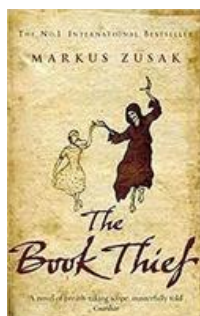
**The Adventures of Tom Sawyer**  
Tom Sawyer and his friends are always on an adventure. Then one fateful night they witness a murder. The boys swear never to reveal the secret But when Tom gets trapped in a cave with the murderer, can he escape unharmed?




**Goodnight Mr Tom- M.Magorian**   
- Willie, an evacuee, and Tom strike up a special friendship during the bombings in WWII. But then his new-found happiness is shattered by a summons from his mother to return to London. As the weeks pass by Tom begins to worry when William doesn't answer his letters, so he goes to London to find him, and there makes a terrible discovery.



**The Ruby in the Smoke - Philip Pullman**   
Set in the darkside of Victorian London where good wins over the opium dens and the evil Dr Fu Manchu.



**The Book Thief - Marcus Zusak**   
The book's narrator is nothing less than Death itself, offering us a remarkable tale of book burnings, treachery and theft.

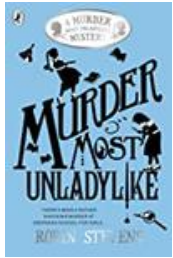


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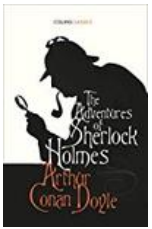




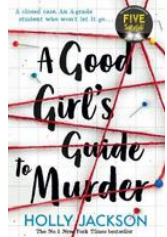
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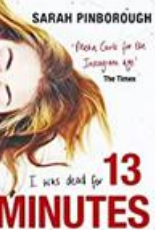
**A Murder Most Unladylike- Robert Stevens**  
Friendship, boarding school and a murder worthy of Agatha Christie.



**The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes-Sir Arthur Conan- Doyle** - This is a great introduction to classic detective stories. Many of the best Holmes stories are in this collection.



**Good Girl's Guide to Murder** might claim to be a school for geniuses - but it's really a school for spies.



**13 MINUTES** by Sarah Pinborough is a gripping psychological thriller about people, fears, manipulation and the power of the truth.



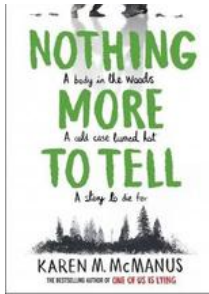
**Murder on the Orient Express-Agatha Christie**  
After a murder takes place on a train journey, a detective decides to investigate and find the culprit amongst the passengers aboard. In the process, he also learns the true identity of the victim.



**Enola Holmes**, sister to the detective Sherlock Holmes, discovers her mother has disappeared, she quickly embarks on a journey to London in search of her. But nothing can prepare her for what awaits



**The Hate U Give** is about a teenage girl who grapples with racism, police brutality, and activism after witnessing her black friend murdered by the police.



**Nothing More to Tell**  
An unsolved murder and a school full of buried secrets spell deadly danger for an intern determined to get to the truth in this nerve-janglingly suspenseful thriller from the author of One of Us is Lying.



**Special Agents-Sam Hutton**  
Alex, Danny and Maddie three teenage whizz-kids work for the notorious flying squad: Police Investigation Command, fighting crime on the streets of London Deep End is the first in the series.



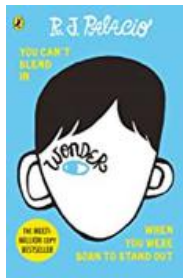
**Death Cloud** is the first in the Young Sherlock Holmes series in which the iconic detective is reimagined as a brilliant, troubled and engaging teenager



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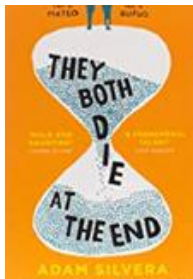
# YOUNG ADULT FICTION



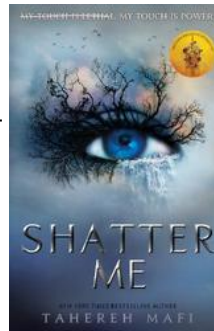
Wonder is a rare story with the power to open eyes and hearts to what it's like to be singled out for a difference you can't control, when all you want is to be just another face in the crowd.



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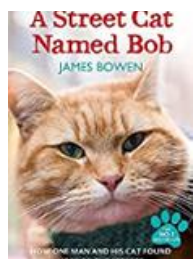


**They Both Die in the End** is a love story with a difference - an unforgettable tale of life, loss and making each day count in the international book of Tik Tok fame



## Shatter Me Series

A fragile young teenage girl is held captive. Locked in a cell by The Reestablishment - a harsh dictatorship in charge of a crumbling world. Juliette is a threat to their power, a touch from her can kill she is potentially the most powerful weapon they could have.



## A Street Cat Named Bob- James Bowen

The moving, uplifting true story of an unlikely friendship between a man on the streets and the ginger cat who adopts him and helps him heal his life.



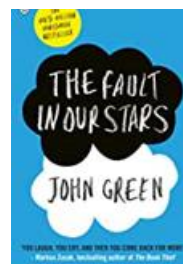
## The Girl of Ink & Stars- K. Millward-Hargrave

Forbidden to leave her island, Isabella Riosse dreams of the faraway lands her father once mapped. When her closest friend disappears into the island's Forgotten Territories, she volunteers to guide the search.



## Girl Missing-Sophie McKenzie

Lauren has always known she was adopted but when she discovers that she might actually be the missing child of an American family it makes her determined to find her biological parents.



## The Fault in Our Stars-John Green

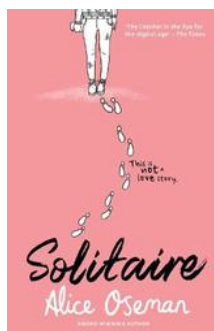
Exploring the funny, thrilling and tragic business of being alive and in love, this is a life-affirming tale of two teenagers who are terminally ill.



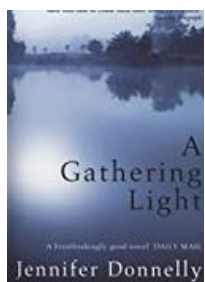
# YOUNG ADULT FICTION CONTINUED



**Can You See Me?-Libby Scott**  
Endearing, insightful and warmly uplifting, a story of autism, empathy and kindness that will touch readers of all ages. Tally is eleven years old and she's just like her friends. Well, sometimes she is. If she tries really hard to be.



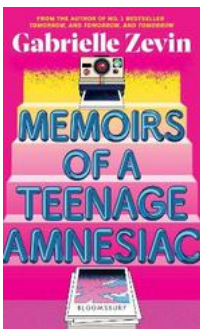
**Solitaire by Alice Oseman** is a captivating novel that follows the story of Tori Spring, a cynical teenager who is struggling to find her place in the world. As she navigates the ups and downs of high school life, Tori becomes increasingly drawn to a mysterious online game called Solitaire.



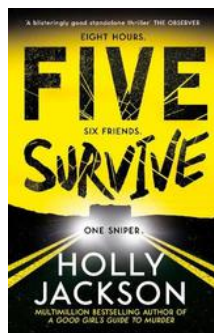
**A Gathering Light-Jennifer Donnelly**  
When mattie Gokey is given a bundle of letters to burn she fully intends to execute the wishes of the giver, Grace Brown. When Grace Brown is found drowned the next day in Big Moose Lake, Mattie finds that it is not as easy to burn those letters as she had thought.



**Wink** is a hilarious and heartwrenching story about surviving middle school--and an unthinkable diagnosis--while embracing life's weirdness



**Memoirs of a Teenage Amnesiac**  
After an accident that leaves her with partial amnesia, Naomi tries to piece together the fragments of the last three-and-a-half years of her life. She discovers that she has a tennis-champion boyfriend but can't remember him, her parents are divorced, and she apparently hates her mother. But when a girl loses three-and-a-half years she gets a chance to reinvent herself. After all, who is to say that everything has to stay the same?



**Five Survive**  
From the author of the Good Girl's Guide to Murder trilogy comes a gripping cat-and-mouse thriller fizzing with suspense, as a group of friends en route to the beach end up in the crosshairs of a deadly sniper.



**We Were Liars - E.Lockhart**  
We are the Liars., We are beautiful, privileged and live a life of carefree luxury.We are cracked and broken. A story of love and romance., A tale of tragedy.Which are lies? Which is truth?



**Monument 14-Emmy Laybourne**  
Fourteen kids from Monument, Colorado find themselves trapped in a superstore. Outside, violent storms rage and a dangerous chemical leaks into the atmosphere, killing some and changing others into something not quite human.





# THE COTTESLOE SCHOOL TOP 100 READS

**Harry Potter Series – J K Rowling**

**They Both Die in the End - Adam Silvera**

**Lord of the Flies – William Golding**

**To Kill a Mockingbird – Harper Lee**

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**The Diary of a Young Girl – Anne Frank**

**Northern Lights (His Dark Materials Series) – Phillip Pullman**

**Animal Farm – George Orwell**

**Holes – Louis Sachar**

**The Fault in Our Stars – John Green**

**The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas – John Boyne**

**Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief Series – Rick Riordan**

**The Colour of Magic (Discworld Series) – Terry Pratchett**

**The Bell Jar – Sylvia Plath**

**13 Reasons Why – Jay Asher**

**Skellig – David Almond**

**The Perks of Being a Wallflower – Stephen Chbosky**

**War Horse – Michael Morpurgo**

**Charlotte's Web – E B White**

**Matilda – Roald Dahl**

**Girl in Pieces - Kathleen Glasgow**

**The Lord of the Rings – J R R Tolkien**

**The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe – C S Lewis**

**Shatter Me Series - Tahereh Mafi**

**The Catcher in the Rye – J D Salinger**

**The Hobbit – J R R Tolkien**

**The Outsiders – S E Hinton**

**The Book Thief – Markus Zusak**

**One of Us is Lying - Karen McManus**

**The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy – Douglas Adams**

**The Hunger Games – Suzanne Collins**

**Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children – Ransom Riggs**

**The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night – Mark Haddon**





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**The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian – Sherman Alexie**

**Wuthering Heights – Emily Bronte**

**Great Expectations – Charles Dickens**

**Wonder – J J Palacio**

**A Good Girl's Guide to Murder - Holly Jackson**

**Are You There God? It's Me, Margaret – Judy Blume**

**Eragon – Christopher Paolini**

**How to Live Now – Meg Rosoff**

**Boy Soldier – Andy McNab**

**A Street Cat Named Bob – James Bowen**

**Jane Eyre – Emily Bronte**

**Looking For JJ – Anne Cassidy**

**Angus, Thongs and Full Frontal Snogging – Louise Rennison**

**The Secret Diary of Adrian Mole Aged 133/4 – Sue Townsend**

**My Sister's Keeper – Jodi Piccoult**

**A Monster Calls – Patrick Ness**

**Goodnight Mister Tom – Michelle Magorian**

**Uglies Trilogy – Scott Westerfield**

**Artemis Fowl – Eoin Colfer**

**Heartstoppers - Alice Oseman**

**Coraline - Neil Gaiman**

**Treasure Island - Robert Louis Stevenson**

**Room 13 – Robert Swindells**

**Little Women – Louisa May Alcott**

**Dracula – Bram Stoker**

**Girl, Missing – Sophie McKenzie**

**The Lovely Bones – Alice Sebold**

**City of Bones (Mortal Instruments Series)– Cassandra Clare**

**Noughts and Crosses – Malorie Blackman**

**Pride and Prejudice – Jane Austen**

**Sisterhood of the Travelling Pants – Ann Brashares**

**Gone Series – Martin Grant**



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**Divergent – Veronica Roth**

**The Maze Runner – James Dashner**

**Stormbreaker – Anthony Horowitz**

**Anne of Green Gables – Lucy Maud Montgomery**

**Twilight Series – Stephanie Meyer**

**Wink - Rob Harrell**

**THUG - Angie Thomas**

**Skulduggery Pleasant Series – Derek Lane**

**Geek Girl – Holly Smale**

**I Capture the Castle – Dodi Smith**

**Chinese Cinderella - Adeline Yen Mah**

**I am Number Four – Pittacus Lore**

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**Murder on the Orient Express – Agatha Christie**

**H.I.V.E Series (Higher Institute of Villainous Education) - Mark Walden**

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**Alice Adventures in Wonderland – Lewis Carroll**

**The Borrowers – Mary Norton**

**The Graveyard Book – Neil Gaiman**

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