



# Summer Reading Challenge

## Year 7 & Year 8 Reading List

Author	Title	Genre
Almond, David	Kit's Wilderness	Mystery
Ashley, Bernard	Ben Maddox series	Thriller
Bertagna, Julie	Exodus	Mystery
Blackman, Malorie	Tell me no Lies	Adventure
Bowler, Tim	Starseeker	Mysterious Thriller
Boyce, Frank Cottrell	Framed	Real life
Brooks, Kevin	Martyn Pig	Murder Mystery
	The Road of the Dead	Thriller
Choldenko, Gennifer	Al Capone does my Shirts	Mystery\family life
Cole, Stephen	The Aztec Code	Mystery
Coleman, Michael	Tag	Real Life
	Weirdo's War	Bullying
Crossley-Holland, Kevin	The Seeing Stone	Historical adventure
Cross, Gillian	Tightrope	Thriller
Dashner, James	The Maze Runner	Dystopia
D'Lacey, Chris	The Last Dragon Chronicles	Fantasy
Dowd, Siobhan	The London Eye Mystery	Mystery
	Bog Child	
Doyle, Arthur Conan	The Lost World	Adventure
Fine, Anne	The Road of Bones	Political adventure
Gardiner, Sally	Maggot Moon	Dystopia
Gibbons, Alan	Caught in the Crossfire	Social drama
Gleitzman, M	Once	Holocaust drama
Haddon, Mark	The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time	Mystery
Hearn, Lian	Across the Nightingale Floor	Historical fantasy
Higson, Charlie	The Enemy	Horror /Sci- Fi
Ibbotson, Eva	Journey to the River Sea	Historical adventure
Landy, D	Skulduggery Pleasant Series	Fantasy mystery
McCaughrean, Geraldine	The Death Defying Pepper Roux	Historical adventure
McKenzie, S	The Medusa Project	Sci fi adventure
Morpurgo, Michael	Waiting For Anya	Historical Adventure
Naidoo, Beverley	The Other Side of the Truth	Gripping story based in Nigeria and London
Nicholson, William	The Wind on Fire Trilogy	Fantasy adventure
Nix, Garth	Sabriel (Old Kingdom Trilogy)	Fantasy
	The Keys to the Kingdom Series	
Oppel, Kenneth	Airborn	Adventure
Orwell, George	Animal Farm	Political comment
Paolini, Christopher	Eragon	Fantasy



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Paver, Michelle	Chronicles of The Ancient Darkness Series	Prehistoric Adventure
Peet, Mal	Keeper	Football adventure
Priestley, Chris	Uncle Montague's Tales of Terror	Gothic
Pratchett, Terry	The Discworld series	Fantasy
Pullman, Philip	His Dark Materials Trilogy	Fantasy adventure
Rees, Celia	Witch Child	Historical Thriller
Reeves, Philip	Mortal Engines Quartet	Adventure
Sedgwick, Marcus	The Books of the Dead Days	Historical fantasy
	My Swordhand is Singing	
Shan, Darren	The Demonata Series	Horror
Shearer, Alex	The Lost	Mystery
Stroud, Jonathan	The Bartimaeus Trilogy	Fantasy
Tolkien, JRR	The Lord of the Rings	Fantasy
Townsend, Sue	The Secret Diary of Adrian Mole	Humour
Valentine, Jenny	Finding Violet Park	Real life mystery
Wyndham, John	Day of the Triffids	Science fiction
Zephaniah, Benjamin	Face	Urban drama

## Pre 1914

Treasure Island by Robert Louis Stevenson

King Solomon's Mines by H. Rider Haggard

David Copperfield by Charles Dickens

Nicholas Nickleby by Charles Dickens

Pride and Prejudice by Jane Austen

The Last of the Mohicans by James Fenimore Cooper

The Count of Monte Cristo by Alexandre Dumas

The Three Musketeers by Alexandre Dumas

The Moonstone by Wilkie Collins

The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes by Arthur Conan Doyle

Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea by Jules Verne

The Invisible Man

*Or any of the Classics*