



KS3 Reading List



Hendon School
Believe, Achieve, Lead, Belong

ADVENTURE

TITLE

AUTHOR

The London Eye Mystery

Siobhan Dowd

The Letter for the King

Tonke Dragt

The Island at the end
of everything

Kiran Milwood Hargrave

Defenders, Killing
Ground

Tom Palmer

Wolf Brother

Michelle Paver

The Ruby in the smoke

Philip Pullman

Holes

Louis Sachar

Clean Getaway

Nic Stone

Gone

Michael Grant

The Hunger Games

Susan Collins

— AUTOBIOGRAPHIES —

TITLE

AUTHOR

The Diary of Anne
Frank

Anne Frank



Boy

Roald Dahl



Benjamin Zephaniah

Benjamin Zephaniah

El Deafo

Cece Bell



Hidden Figures

Margot Lee Shetterly

The Boy Who
Harnessed the Wind

William Kamkwamba

Captain Cooke

Rebecca Levene



The Disappearing
Spoon

Sam Kean



The Missing

Michael Rosen



Chinese Cinderella

Adeline Yen Mah



CLASSICS

TITLE

AUTHOR

Little Women

Louisa May Alcott

A Christmas Carol

Charles Dickens

The secret Garden

Frances Hodgson Burnett

Goodnight Mister Tom

Michelle Magorian

Private Peaceful

Michael Morpurgo

A series of
Unfortunate Events

Lemony Snicket

Treasure Island

R.L. Stevenson

The Hobbit

JRR Tolkien

Animal Farm

George Orwell

The Chronicles of
Narnia

CS Lewis

FANTASY

TITLE

AUTHOR

Coraline

Neil Gaiman

Skulduggery Pleasant

Derek Landy

Percy Jackson Series

Rick Riordan

Harry Potter Series

J.K Rowling

The House with

Chicken Legs

Sophie Anderson

Artemis Fowl Series

Eoin Colfer

Skulduggery pleasant
series

Derek Landy

The Many Worlds of

Albie Bright

Christopher Edge

Gregor the Overlander

Suzanne Collins

Sputniks Guide to Life

on Earth

Frank Boyce

— GRAPHIC NOVELS —

TITLE

AUTHOR

Mexikid

Pedro Martin ○

Noughts and Crosses

Malorie Blackman ⊕

Through the Woods

Emily Carroll ○

Nimona

Noelle Stevenson ○

Smile

Raina Telgemeir ○

The Sad Ghost Club

Lize Meddings ○

The Baby-Sitters Club

Ann M. Martin ○

The Arrival

Shaun Tan ○

Juniper Mae

Sarah Soe ○

Amulet

Kazu Kibushi ○

HUMOUR

TITLE

AUTHOR

The Princess Diaries

Meg Carbot



The Twits

Roald Dahl



Diary of a Wimpy kid

Jeff Kinney



Tom Gates

Liz Pichon



Demon Dentist

David Walliams



Millions

Frank Boyce



Dork Diaries

Rachel Renée Russell



Demolition Dad

Phil Earl



Hoot

Carl Hiaasen



Unbelievable

Paul Jennings



HORROR

TITLE

AUTHOR

Coraline

Neil Gaiman



The Graveyard Book

Neil Gaiman



Friends for life

Andrew Norriss



Frozen Charlotte

Alex Bell



Monstrous Devices

Damien Love



i-horror series

Steve Barlow



Blood Tide

Melvin Burgess



Small Spaces

Katherine Arden



A Dark Inheritance

Chris D'Lacey



My Sword Hand is Singing

Marcus Sedgewick



— HISTORICAL —
FICTION

TITLE

AUTHOR

War Horse

Michael Morpurgo

A Skinful of Shadows

F. Hardinge

Prison Ship

Paul Dowswell

Ruby in the Smoke

Philip Pullman

Monstrous Devices
When the Guns Fell
Silent

Damien Love

James Riordan

Revolution

J. Donnely

Where the World Ends

G. McCaughrean

Auslander

Paul Dowswell

Eagle of the Ninth

R. Sutcliff

— SCIENCE
FICTION —

TITLE

AUTHOR

The Hunger Games

Suzanne Collins ○

The Maze Runner

James Dashner ○

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Pittacus Lore ○

Mortal Engines

Philip Reeve ○

Divergent

Veronica Roth ○

His Dark Materials

Philip Pullman ○

Meta Wars

Jeff Norton ○

Phoenix Files Series

Chris Morpew ○

Hitchhikers Guide to
the Galaxy

Douglas Adams ○

Last Day on Mars

Kevin Emerson ○