

# **Books about Art and Artists**

#### **Chasing Vermeer by Blue Balliett**

Can you solve the mystery? Crack the code in every picture

# Medici Seal by Teresa Breslin

A fascinating glimpse into the world of Leonardo Da Vinci

## **Graphic by Cathy Brett**

Can Joe literally draw his dreams into reality?

# The amazing Adventures of Kavalier and Clay by Michael Chabon

World War II as seen through the eyes of two comic book writers

## Framed by Frank Cottrell Boyce

The perfect crime – it's a work of art

## **Keeping the World Away by Margaret Foster**

Follows the adventures of a 20<sup>th</sup> century painting over 100 years

## Ivy by Julie Hearn

The only beautiful thing in Ivy's drab life is her glorious red hair

# The Lacuna by Barbara Kingsolver

Story set around the households of famed Mexican artists Diago Rivera and Frida Kahlo

## **Meeting Cezanne by Michael Morpurgo**

Set in 1960s Provence, Yannick destroys a drawing by an important visitor and tries to make amends

# **Smart by Kim Slater**

Kieran is amazing at drawing but terrible at fitting in and there are dangerous secrets everywhere.

#### How to be both by Ali Smith

A renaissance artist of 1460s and a child of a child of the 1960s: two stories brought together.

## The Guggenheim Mystery by Robin Stevens

Mystery of the stolen painting from the Guggenheim Museum in New York

#### Fire Colour One by Jenny Valentine

Iris's father has a priceless art collection and now her mother has declared war and wants to get her hands on it.



