

Whitburn Academy Library

Suggested Reading List for S3

The following list has been put together to give ideas and guidance on suitable books for young people aged 13-14 and covers a wide range of reading levels. For more information or advice ask your English teacher or Mrs Skinner in the library.

You might also want to have a look at the Scottish Book Trust website which has some great teen booklists <http://www.scottishbooktrust.com/reading/book-lists/teens>

Most of the books listed below are available to borrow from the school library.

Author	Title	Genre
Almond, David	Skellig; Clay	Adventure/mystery
Anderson, Rachel	The Scavenger's Tale	Science fiction
Arksey, Neil	MacB	Sports/suspense
Blackman, Malorie	Noughts & Crosses; Knife Edge	Fantasy
Bowler, Tim	Storm Catchers	Suspense
Bowler, Tim	River Boy	Mystery
Boyce, Frank C	Millions; Framed	Adventure
Breslin, Theresa	Death or Glory boys; Remembrance	War
Brooks, Kevin	Kissing the Rain; The Road of the Dead	Young adult
Burgess, Melvin	Billy Elliot	Young adult
Burgess, Melvin	Bloodtide	Suspense
Burgess, Melvin B	Burning Issy	History
Cassidy, Anne	Looking for JJ	Young adult
Cassidy, Cathy	Indigo Blue; Scarlett	Young adult
Chambers, Aidan	Dance on my Grave	Young adult
Choldenko, Gennifer	Al Capone Does my Shirts	Adventure
Collins, Suzanne	The Hunger Games trilogy	Science Fiction
Cormier, Robert	In the Middle of the Night	Suspense
Cormier, Robert	The Bumblebee Flies Away	Young adult
Craig, Joe	Jimmy Coates Series	Adventure
Cross, Gillian	Elephant Chase	Adventure
Dowd, Siobhan	A swift Pure Cry; Bog child; Solace	Young Adult

Downham, Jenny	Before I Die	Young Adult
Fisher, Catherine	Corbenic/The Scarab/Oracle/Archon	Fantasy
Forde, Catherine	Skarrs; The Drowning Pond	Young adult
Funke, Cornelia	The Thief Lord; Inkheart; Inkspell	Fantasy
Garner, Alan	Elidor	Fantasy
Gardner, Graham	Inventing Elliot	Young adult/Suspense
Geras, Adele	Troy	History
Gibbons, Alan	The Edge	Suspense
Gifford, Nick	Flesh and Blood	Suspense
Gray, Keith	Ostrich Boys	Young adult
Halam, Ann	Don't Open Your Eyes	Suspense
Hearn, Julie	Rowan the Strange	Suspense
Henderson, J.A	Bunker 10; Crash; Colony	Adventure
Higson, Charlie	Silverfin; Blood Fever	Adventure
Hill, Stuart	The Cry of the Icemark	Fantasy
Hopkins, Cathy	Mates, Dates and...series	Humour
Horowitz, Anthony	Stormbreaker; Point Blank; Skeleton Key	Adventure
Howker, Janni	The Nature of the Beast	Animals
Ibbotson, Eva	The star of Kazan	Adventure
Jacques, Brian	The Redwall series	Fantasy/ animals
Jarman, Julia	Hangman	Suspense
Jauncey, James	The witness; The reckoning	Suspense
Johnson, Pete	I'd rather be famous; No limits	Young Adult
Keaney, Brian	Where Mermaids Sing; Bitter Fruit	Young Adult
Laird, Elizabeth	Crusade	Historical
Lingard, Joan	Across the Barricades; Into Exile	Young adult/romance
Magorian, Michelle	Cuckoo in the Nest	History
Mah, Adeline Yen	Chinese Cinderella	Young Adult
McCaughren,G	Stop the Train	History
McCaughren,G	The White Darkness	Adventure

McNab, Andy	Payback	Adventure
McPhail, Catherine	Nemesis series	Adventure/Suspense
McPhail, Catherine	Fighting Back	Young Adult
Morpurgo, Michael	Kensuke's Kingdom	Adventure
Muchamore, R	Cherub series; Henderson boys series	Adventure
Naidoo, Beverley	The Other Side of Truth	Multicultural
Ness, Patrick	The Knife of Never Letting Go Trilogy	Fantasy
Newberry, Linda	At the Firefly Gate	Adventure
Nicholson, William	The Wind Singer	Fantasy
Nimmo, Jenny	The Rinaldi Ring	Suspense
Paulsen, Gary	Hatchet	Adventure
Peet, Mal	Tamar	War
Pullman, Philip	Northern Lights trilogy	Fantasy
Pullman, Philip	Sally Lockhart series	History/ mystery
Rai, Bali	The Crew	Suspense
Reeve, Philip	Here Lies Arthur	History/adventure
Riordan, James	War Song	War
Rosoff, Meg	How I Live Now; Just in Case	Young Adult
Rushton, Rosie	Various titles	Young adult/humour
Sedgwick, Marcus	Revolver; White Crow	Suspense
Shan, Darren	Cirque de Freak series	Horror
Singer, Nicky	Feather Boy	Mystery
Smith, Dodie	I Capture the Castle	Young adult
Swindells, Robert	Abomination; No Angels	Suspense
Tolkien, J R	Lord of the Rings series	Fantasy
Voigt, Cynthia	Dacey's Song	Young adult
Westall, Robert	Machine Gunners	War