

Recommended Reading: Key Stage 4

“A reader lives a thousand lives before he dies. The man who never reads lives only one.” George R. R. Martin

Things Fall Apart – Chinua Achebe

The Handmaid’s Tale – Margaret Atwood

Jane Eyre – Charlotte Bronte

Disgrace - J.M. Coetzee

Oliver Twist / A Christmas Carol / Great Expectations - Charles Dickens

The Girl with a Pearl Earring – Tracy Chevalier

The Hound of the Baskervilles / The Sign of Four – Sir Arthur Conan Doyle

Rebecca – Daphne Du Maurier

Submarine – Joe Dunthorne

The Great Gatsby - F. Scott Fitzgerald

A Million Little Piece – James Frey

Lord of the Flies – William Golding

Brighton Rock – Graham Greene

Fiesta: The Sun Also Rises / The Old Man and the Sea - Ernest Hemingway

The Woman In Black – Susan Hill

High Fidelity / How to be Good / Fever Pitch – Nick Hornby

The House of Silk / Moriarty – Anthony Horowitz

A Thousand Splendid Suns / The Kite Runner / And the Mountains Echoed - Khaled Hosseini

Never Let Me Go / The Remains of the Day - Kazuo Ishiguru

Mr Pip – Lloyd Jones

Pigeon English – Stephen Kelman

The Poisonwood Bible – Barbara Kingsolver

To Kill a Mockingbird – Harper Lee

Small Island – Andrea Levy

All the Light We Cannot See – Anthony Doerr

Purple Hibiscus / Half of a Yellow Sun - Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie

A View from the Bridge / All My Sons / Death of a Salesman – Arthur Miller

The Night Circus - Erin Morgenstern

After the Quake (short stories) - Haruki Murakami

The Vanishing Act of Esme Lennox - Maggie O'Farrell

Nineteen Eighty Four / Animal Farm – George Orwell

The Bell Jar – Sylvia Plath

The God of Small Things – Arundhati Roy

The Catcher in the Rye – J D Salinger

The Lovely Bones – Alice Sebold

The Bookseller of Kabul - Asne Seierstad

Frankenstein – Mary Shelley

Touching the Void - Joe Simpson

The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde – Robert Louis Stevenson

The Help - Kathryn Stockett

Anita and Me – Meera Syal

Felicia’s Journey – William Trevor

The Shadow of the Wind - Carlos Ruiz Zafon

The Book Thief - Markus Zusak

