

50 BOOKS FOR YEAR 9

Fantasy books to transport you

- Sixteen Souls** Rosie Talbot
- Deeplight** Frances Hardinge
- Cinderella is Dead** Kalynn Bayron
- The Cruel Prince** Holly Black
- Six Crimson Cranes** Elizabeth Lim

Funny books to make you smile

- Not My Problem** Ciara Smyth
- Ellie Pillai is Brown** Christine Pillainayagam
- Spin Me Right Round** David Valdes
- Love is for Losers** Wibke Brueggemann
- Diary of a Confused Feminist** Kate Weston

Sci-fi & Dystopian reads to make you think

- The Upper World** Femi Fadugba
- Scythe** Neal Shusterman
- HappyHead** Josh Silver
- Noughts + Crosses** Malorie Blackman
- All That's Left in the World** Erik J Brown

Emotional reads to make you cry

- We Were Liars** E Lockhart
- They Both Die at the End** Adam Silvera
- Elsewhere** Gabrielle Zevin
- A Thousand Boy Kisses** Tillie Cole
- The Fault in Our Stars** John Green

Mystery books to thrill you

- This Book Kills** Ravena Guron
- I Kissed Shara Wheeler** Casey McQuiston
- The Good Girl's Guide to Murder** Holly Jackson
- Eight Pieces of Silva** Patrice Lawrence
- Truly Devious** Maureen Johnson

Contemporary reads to inspire you

- Slay** Brittney Morris
- Felix Ever After** Kacen Callender
- The Eternal Return of Clara Hart** Louise Finch
- What the World Doesn't See** Mel Darbon
- Crossing the Line** Tia Fisher

Horror reads to scare you

- Wranglestone** Darren Charlton
- The Revelry** by Katherine Webber
- Let's Play Murder** Kesia Lupo
- Waking the Witch** Rachel Burge
- The Lighthouse** Alex Bell

Modern Classics to challenge you

- I Capture the Castle** Dodie Smith
- The Power** Naomi Alderman
- The Picture of Dorian Gray** Oscar Wilde
- Vile Bodies** Evelyn Waugh
- Catcher in the Rye** JD Salinger

Romance reads to make you swoon

- Only on the Weekends** Dean Atta
- Solitaire** Alice Oseman
- Not Here to Be Liked** Michelle Quach
- This is How You Fall in Love** Anika Hussain
- The Summer I Turned Pretty** Jenny Han

Teacher Recommendations

- The Book Thief** Marcus Zusak
- 1984** George Orwell
- Do Androids Dream of Electric Sheep** Philip K Dick
- Klara and the Sun** Kazuo Ishiguro
- The Bear & the Nightingale** Katherine Arden