



Haygrove School Reading Canon

Title	Author	Date	Genre
Year 7			
Granny	Anthony Horowitz	1994	Fiction
Nobody's eye	Michael Morpurgo	2002	Fiction
Private Peaceful	Michael Morpurgo	2003	Historical Fiction, War story
The Boy in the Dress	David Walliams	2008	Children's literature
The Eagle in the Snow	Michael Morpurgo	2005	Historical Fiction, War story
The Peculiars	Kieran Larwood	2012	Mystery
Sky Chasers	Emma Carroll	2018	Historical Fiction
Holes	Louie Sachar	2000	Adventure
Goodnight Mr Tom	Michelle Magorian	1983	WWII
The Chinese Cinderella	Adeline Yen Mah	2009	Autobiographical
Goldfish Boy	Lisa Thompson	2017	Mental Health
Private Peaceful	Michael Mopurgo	2003	WWI fiction
Waiting for Anya	Michael Mopurgo	1997	WWII
Boy 87	Ele Fountain	2018	Refugee story
You Are a Champion: How to Be the Best You Can Be	Marcus Rashford	2021	Autobiography

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Year 8			
Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief	Rick Riordan	2005	Fantasy
Skulduggery Pleasant	Derek Landy	2007	Fantasy
A Kestrel for a Knave	Barry Hines	1968	Social realism
The Hunger Games	Suzanne Collins	2008	Dystopian
The Giver	Lois Lowry	1993	Dystopian
Animal Farm	George Orwell	1945	Political satire
The Hitch-Hikers Guide to the Galaxy	Douglas Adams	1979	Science Fiction
Divergent	Veronica Roth	2011	Dystopian
Fahrenheit 451	Ray Bradbury	1953	Dystopian
Wed Wabbit	Lissa Evans	2018	Comedy/Adventure
The Prisoner of Azkaban	J.K. Rowling	1999	Fantasy/Wizarding World
The Curious Incident of the Death of the Dog in the Night Time	Mark Haddon	2003	Mystery
Chocolate Cake with Hitler	Emma Craigie	2010	WWII

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Never Let Me Go	Kazuo Ishiguro	2005	Dystopian
Arthur: The Seeing Stone	Kevin Crossley-Holland	2000	Historical fantasy
Woman in Black	Susan Hill	1983	Horror
The Knife of Never Go	Patrick Ness	2008	Sci/Fi
I Am Malala	Christina Lamb & Malala Yousafzai	2013	Autobiography
The Fault in Our Stars	John Green	2012	Romance
Lord of the Flies	William Golding	1954	Psychological
To Kill a Mocking Bird	Harper Lee	1960	Southern Gothic
Life of Pi	Yann Martell	2001	Autobiographical
Noughts and Crosses	Malorie Blackman	2001	Romance
The Hobbit	J. R. R. Tolkien	1937	Adventure fantasy
Annexed	Sharon Dogar	2010	WWII
Knife Edge	Malorie Blackman	2004	Fiction

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Looking for JJ	Anne Cassidy	2004	Mystery
The Great Gatsby	F. Scott Fitzgerald	1925	Modernism, Tragedy
Behind the Mask	Tyson Fury	2018	Autobiography
Lion	Saroo Brierley, Larry Buttrose	2013	Autobiography
Frankenstein	Mary Shelley	1818	Gothic Horror
The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes	Arthur Conan Doyle	1892	Mystery
Americanah	Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie	2013	Romance
Release	Patrick Ness	2017	Coming of age
The Help	Kathryn Stockett	2010	Historical
White Teeth	Zadie Smith	2000	Hysterical realism
Aristotle and Dante Discover the Secrets of the Universe	Benjamin Alire Saenz	2014	Coming of age, LGBTQI +
Small Island	Andrea Leavy	2004	Windrush
Black Flamingo	Dean Atta	2020	

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A Brave New World	Aldous Huxley	1931	Dystopian
Cosmos	Carl Sagan	1980	Cosmology
The 57 Bus	Dashka Slater	2017	Crime
The Hate U Give	Angie Thomas	2017	Coming of age, Human rights
The Kite Runner	Khaled Hosseini	2003	Historical fiction
The Perks of Being a Wallflower	Stephen Chbosky	1999	Romance
One of Us is Lying	Karen M. McManus	2017	Mystery
To the Lighthouse	Virginia Woolf	1927	Fiction
Remains of the Day	Kazuo Ishiguro	1989	Historical romance
I Know Why Caged Birds Sing	Maya Angelou	1969	Autobiographical
Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde	Robert Louis Stevenson	1886	Gothic Horror
Wuthering Heights	Emily Bronte	1847	Gothic Tragedy
The Trap	Alan Gibbons	2017	Terrorism
Slay	Brittany Morris	2019	Virtual reality, Black culture